

Connection Point

February 2025

Happy Valentine's Day

Check out our website:

<http://www.pnwpcg.com>

Calendar Events

Mar. 20 – 22 – Impact NW, District Board Meeting, The Cause - Tacoma, WA
Keynote speaker: Joe Skiles Jr.

June 6 -7 - District Board Meeting, The Cause Training Open to everyone.-Yakima

June 16 – 20 – General Assembly & Summerfest, Glendale, AZ

July 14 - 18 - District Family Camp, Hayden, ID Speaker: Dr. Phil Redding/Arkansas
District Bishop -Silverwood Fun Day on July 18.

Sept. 5 – 6 – District Board Meeting, The Cause Training. Open to everyone. – Yakima

Dec. 5 - 6 – District Board Meeting, The Cause Training - Yakima

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*For the month of February, we are featuring our
Pastors of Celebration Church in Clarkston, WA - John & Linda Oebel*

Pastors John and Linda Oebel met in 1972 at International Bible College where they were attending and pursuing God's plan for their lives. Linda being from Grangeville, Idaho and John from San Antonio, Texas, were married the following summer after they met. After finishing Bible college, they moved to Grangeville, Idaho where they started their work in the ministry. They were blessed with additions to their family of 3 sons, Joshua John, Jacob James, and Dustin Michael. They have served in areas of ministry from youth pastors, Sunday school teachers, children church leaders, associate pastors, men's and women's ministry, lead pastors, and support staff. They went where God lead them from Idaho, California, Texas and back to the LC Valley. God has now led them to a new position as Pastors here in the Lewis-Clark Valley at Celebration Church to help the community in embracing their faith, sharing the hope of Jesus Christ, and spreading God's Love.

<http://celebrationchurchlcv.org>



Bro. Fred Kerley is still struggling with a cough & gets out of breath easily. On Feb. 11th at Providence Heart Clinic in Spokane, he is scheduled for CT scan for a possible valve replacement. Please continue to pray. We love you Bro. Kerley.

Bishop's travel schedule for February.

Feb. 1, Oroville, WA

Feb. 2, Omak, WA

Feb. 7th, Waitsburg, WA

Feb. 9th, Kamiah, ID

Feb. 16th, Tacoma, WA

If you would like Bishop to come minister, please contact: (208) 699-5688



From the Bishop's Desk,

We are only 7 weeks out from Impact NW 25 “Building Bridges”! Please register online, no fee, but this will assist us with numbers for the meals being served. We are very excited for our first Meeting of the year where we get to connect and build more trusting relationships. Our Keynote speaker is Joe Skiles Jr. who pastors New Life Church in Concord CA. Joe is so relational and inspiring; he will challenge and inspire us to serve one another and our community. They really model loving God and people with a spirit of excellence. Other features of Impact will have our first Pastor Appreciation Dinner, our first Honoring Service “Champions” celebrating the Carter’s and Rodgers, and The Cause will close us out with making disciples. We will be having two other great sessions as a first, one on Church Security and the other will be regarding the Executive Pastor/Church Administrator. There will be a short Board Meeting for credentialing purposes Friday afternoon. All information may be found in this newsletter and on our website PNWPCG.com.

February of course has Valentines Day therefore Teresa and I pray all our marriages and families of the great PNW District be filled with God’s everlasting love.

Family Camp will be here before we know it! Bro. Redding is coming fired up, it’s gonna be great, make plans now to attend July 14-17 in Hayden Idaho, again, see our website for further promotions and information. The Friday following Family Camp is a Silverwood Fun Day, checkout our promotions and links at PNWPCG.com. Family Camp has no registration fee so any donations from all of our churches to help fund this much needed event are most appreciated. Just send your support to our District office at PO Box 1497, KAMIAH ID 83536 marked Family Camp Budget, thank you.

My daily Bible reading for January 21 in Genesis 28 held the story of Jacob’s dream about the angels ascending and descending from heaven. We receive this story as historical truth and learn about our God who is the same yesterday, today, and forever. Just as He met and promised Jacob will He not do the same for us today. For all of our Pastors God has given us the land where we serve, I see fruit as numerous as the dust of the earth that shall spread out in all directions! Our God is with us and is our protection! Our God is a promise keeping God! The rock-hard pillow that Jacob once rested upon, the rock hard pillow sometimes remind us of how hard our assignment is however Jacob now sets it up as a memorial and named it the house of God! What was hard now becomes a place of paise and worship, I see joy returning in our mission! Jacob said regarding his experience “Surely the Lord is in this place, and I wasn’t even aware of it”, Pastors, Ministers, God is with you, He is in the place where you are, we just sometimes are not even aware of it! Jacob concludes “what an awesome place this is, it is none other than the house of God (Bethel), the very gateway to heaven”. May we now see our assignment as the gateway to heaven!

Family Camp 2025

Date: July 14 – 18

(Silverwood Fun Day on 18th)

Location: Family Worship Center

697 W. Dakota Ave. Hayden, ID

Host Pastor: Steven Hemming

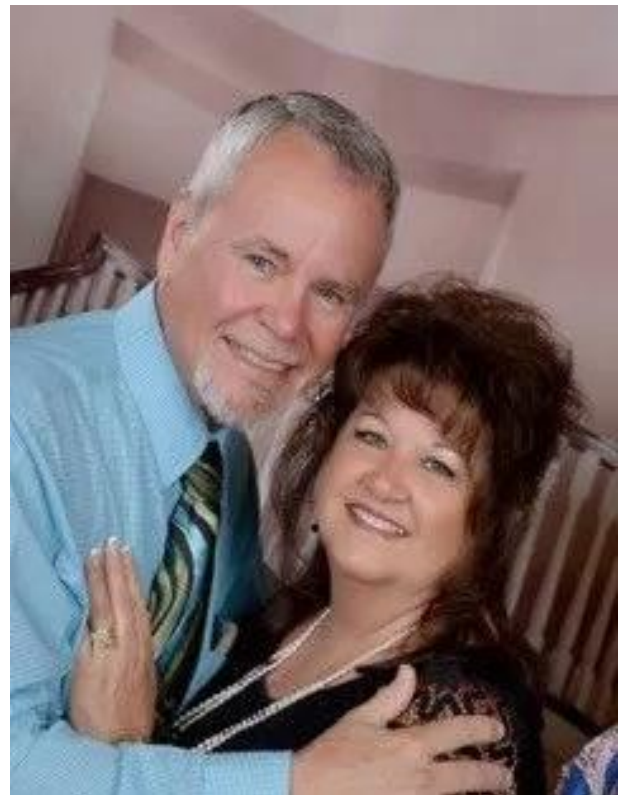


Tent camping/Limited
RV space/various motels

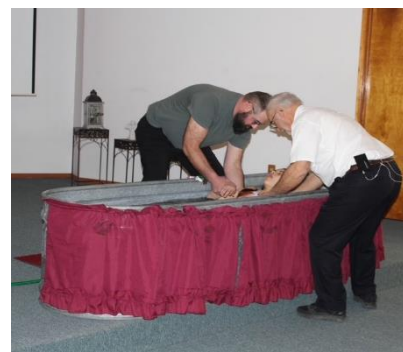
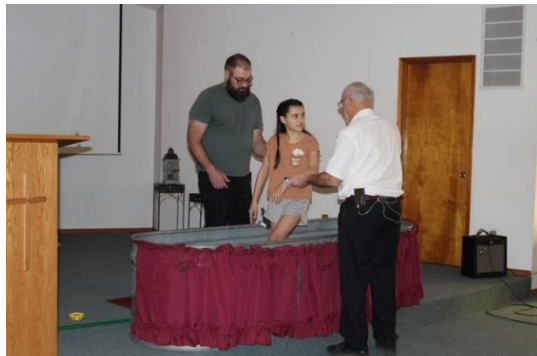


Guest Speaker: Dr. Phil Redding

Phil L. Redding has been a lifetime member of the Arkansas District Pentecostal Church of God. Raised by his parents, who were District Superintendents for the Arkansas District for 20 years, he developed a great love for the people of the Arkansas District. He has served the district pastoring in Sheridan, Fort Smith and Clarksville as well as an evangelist, state and national youth director, state men's ministry director, state Christian Education director, District Secretary, General Bishop of the Pentecostal Church of God of over 1,200 churches and has served as the District Bishop of Arkansas District since 2019. He has written three books. He and his beautiful wife, Sharon, very talented and have recorded five albums. The Redding's have two sons who are both working in ministry.



Oroville, WA at Bible Faith Family Church. Pastor Claude Roberts baptized his great-granddaughter Olivia Peterson-age 10. Dedicated that morning were Olivia's younger sisters, Emi & Ariya. Proud parents Ben & Kate



The true test of your faith is when you don't understand anything at all, and still trust God.

Some of Bishop's travels & activities from the past month.

Christmas with our family!



L to R - Silas, Brad, Bree, Nate, Kris, Brooke, Nic, David, TJ, Dom

Visiting friends in Pinehurst.
Keith & Elizabeth Keller.



Had a game night relaxing with the Hemmings so the kids could spend some time together.



Our grandkids and the Hemmings kids getting to catch up and have some play time together.



We had a great visit to the Doty church to reunite with some friends and meet some wonderful new friends.

