

September Calendar 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
For events not listed on this calendar, check out the St. James website!		1 8am Prayer Group 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 4pm Cross-fit 5:30pm AI Anon 7:30pm WA Gender Alliance	2 9:15am Christian Faith Formation 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 5:30pm Mission & Social Action 6pm SOS Men's AA	3 10:15am Yoga 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solutions 5:30pm Building and Grounds 5:30pm Congregational Life 6:30pm Bell Choir 7:15pm AA 7:30pm Choir	4 4pm Cross-fit	5 10am OA 10am SIA	
6 9:30am Adult Bible Class 10:30am Worship w/communion - 6:15pm AA	7 Labor Day 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6:30pm AA Men's Book Study	8 8am Prayer Group 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 4pm Cross-fit 5:30pm AI Anon 5:30pm Finance 7:30pm WA Gender Alliance	9 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6pm SOS Men's AA 6:30pm Weavers Guild	10 10:15am Yoga 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solutions 6:30pm Bell Choir 7:15pm AA 7:30pm Choir	11 12pm Prime Timers 4pm Cross-fit	12 9am Church Work Party 9am Pet Partners 10am OA 10am SIA 12:30pm and 1pm Bellingham Ukulele Group	
13 9am Adult Bible Class 10:30am Worship 12pm Session + Lunch 6:15pm AA	14 10am Grief Support Group 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6:30pm AA Men's Book Study	15 8am Prayer Group 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 4pm Cross-fit 5:30pm AI Anon 7:30pm WA	16 PULSE DUE 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6pm SOS Men's AA	17 10:15am Yoga 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solutions 6:30pm Bell Choir 7:15pm AA 7:30pm Choir	18 4pm Cross-fit 5:30pm Prayer Vigil for Peace in the Middle East at First Christian Church	19 10am OA 10am SIA 4pm Emma Conlee's reception	
20 9am Adult Bible Class 10:30am Worship 11:30am Deacons 6:15pm AA	21 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6:30pm AA Men's Book Study 7pm Boy Scouts	22 8am Prayer Group 9am Co-op Preschool 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 4pm Cross-fit 5:30pm AI Anon 7:30pm WA Gender Alliance	23 9am Co-op Preschool 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6pm SOS Men's AA	24 9am Co-op Preschool 10:15am Yoga 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solutions 5:45pm Worship Committee 6:30pm Bell Choir 7:15pm AA 7:30pm Choir	25 9am Co-op Preschool 4pm Cross-fit 4:15pm Membership 5:30pm Whatcom Genealogical Association Set-Up	26 7am-5pm Whatcom Genealogical Society 10am OA 10am SIA	
27 9am Adult Bible Class 10:30am Worship 6:15pm AA	28 10am Grief Support Group 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6:30pm AA Men's Book Study 7pm Boy Scouts 7pm St. James Literary Society	29 8am Prayer Group 9am Co-op Preschool 10am Woman's Bible Study 12pm Women's Luncheon 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 4pm Cross-fit 5:30pm AI Anon 7:30pm WA	30 9am Co-op Preschool 10am Pulse Crew 2:30pm Hawthorne Learning Solution 6pm SOS Men's AA				

Survey for Parents of Children Under the Age of Ten

In April, the Session voted to form a Task Force to explore our ongoing ministry to children, youth, young adults and families at St. James. The Youth and Family Ministries Task Force has now been formed and are meeting regularly to seek new ways of reinvigorating the programs for the above mentioned people. To accomplish this, we need input from you, the parents of our St. James children. Please take a few moments to fill out this survey so that we might better understand and evaluate our present program for children under the age of ten. Completed surveys may be placed in the Christian Education mailbox, in the offering plate or dropped off at the church office. Please accept our thanks in advance for taking the time to give us your valuable input. If you prefer to respond electronically, you may cut and paste the questions 1-9 below onto a MSWord document, fill it in and send it to office@saintjamespres.org

Thanks!

Survey for Parents of Children Under the Age of Ten

1. In what ways does your child enjoy his or her experience at St. James Church School? How can we make his/her experience better?
2. Do you feel confident about the safety of your child in our church school facilities? If not, please tell us why.
3. Is the classroom welcoming, comfortable and inviting for your child? If not, how could we make it better?
4. Do you feel that your child receives adequate care and supervision during church school? If not, please be specific about what needs to be improved.
5. Are you familiar with the curriculum being used to teach your child? Would you like more information about the curriculum?
6. Do you think that your child is receiving adequate religious education teaching? If not, what changes might we make to improve it?
7. How is the transition between worship and classroom working for your child? If it is not going well, please make suggestions for making this run more smoothly.
8. Would you be interested in having children's church school at 9:30 on Sunday morning?
9. We welcome your comments below about any aspect of our church school program.

Thank you!

The CFF Committee coordinates and facilitates the education/faith formation opportunities for the entire St. James Community.

Committee Members for 2015 are: Merry Thomas, Chair, Faye Hill, Secretary, Rev. Jon Hauerwas, Minister , Gretchen Pfueller