



The key to continual  
and deeper spiritual  
renewal and revival is the  
continual re-discovery  
of the gospel.



Tim Keller

# Welcome

Welcome to Cross Sound Church. Whether you are a follower of Jesus, someone interested in Christianity, or a skeptic about faith—God is calling you to worship. Wherever you are in life, we hope you feel welcome and at home. If you have never been to church (or not in a long time) and fear that you will not know what to do, how to act, or what to say, know this: God's grace is here and is for people like you.

We are a church that loves our cities: Bainbridge Island, Poulsbo, Silverdale, Kingston, and Seattle. And while we actively love and serve our communities, we don't pretend to have it all together. Instead, we are a church where there is freedom to struggle with our questions, doubts, and fears; and a place where real healing, joy, and power can be found.

We are a church rooted in the belief that the historic Christian gospel is true, compelling, and promises to change our lives powerfully, in the direction of freedom, hope, and generosity.

The gospel, which means 'Good News', tells us that God's Kingdom has entered history in order to renew us and the world. The gospel is more than entering God's Kingdom, it is also the way we face every struggle in life and make any progress in personal growth.

The good news is that Jesus lived the life we should have lived and died the death we deserved to die in order to put us in a place where only He deserves to be—in a right, safe, thrilling relationship with God the Father.

Cross Sound Church desires to be filled with both believers and non-believers, who together explore the claims of the gospel and its effects on our lives and on the world.

Our aim in worship is both ancient, with liturgy that connects us to the Church of old and those who have gone before us, as well as modern, accessible, and meaningful. Underneath it all is our desire to be God-honoring, God-exalting, God-glorifying! Let's worship God together.

## Say hello

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As we gather to worship, please silence all mobile phones and devices for the duration of the service.

# Gathering

CALL TO WORSHIP — Isaiah 57:14-15

And it shall be said,  
“Build up, build up, prepare the way,  
remove every obstruction from my people’s way.”  
For thus says the One who is high and lifted up,  
who inhabits eternity, whose name is Holy: “  
I dwell in the high and holy place,  
and also with him who is of a contrite and lowly spirit,  
to revive the spirit of the lowly,  
and to revive the heart of the contrite.

# Renewing

CONFESSION OF SIN — Psalm 130

*Confession happens within the context of relationship, both with God and with each other as we acknowledge our sin and need for forgiveness. Jesus promises that He freely forgives sins which frees us from past regrets. You are invited to personalize your confession as we pray silently.*

**Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD.**  
**Lord, hear my voice!**  
**Let your ears be attentive**  
**to the voice of my supplications!**  
**If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities,**  
**Lord, who could stand?**  
**But there is forgiveness with you**  
**so that you may be revered.**  
**I wait for the LORD, my soul waits,**  
**and in his word I hope;**  
**my soul waits for the Lord**  
**more than those who watch for the morning,**  
**more than those who watch for the morning.**  
**O Israel, hope in the LORD!**  
**For with the LORD there is steadfast love,**  
**and with him is great power to redeem.**  
**It is he who will redeem Israel**  
**from all its iniquities.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND RECEIVING OF GRACE — Rom 8:34; 2 Cor 5:17

Hear the good news!  
Who is in a position to condemn?  
Only Christ, and Christ died for us,  
Christ rose for us,  
Christ reigns in power for us,  
Christ prays for us.  
Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.  
The old life has gone;  
a new life has begun.  
Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

**All Creatures of Our God and King** — Phil Wickham

All creatures of our God and King,  
Lift up your voice and with us sing. Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Thou burning sun with golden beam,  
Thou silver moon with softer gleam  
Oh praise Him! Oh praise Him! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
  
Thou rushing wind that art so strong,  
Ye clouds that sail in heaven along Oh praise Him, Alleluia!  
Thou rising moon in praise rejoice,  
Ye lights of evening find a voice  
Oh praise Him! Oh praise Him! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

And all ye men of tender heart,  
Forgiving others take your part O, sing ye, Alleluia!  
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,  
Praise God and on Him cast your care  
Oh praise Him! Oh praise Him! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,  
And worship Him in humbleness Oh praise Him, Alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
And praise the Spirit, Three in One!  
Oh praise Him! Oh praise Him! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

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The largest book in the Bible is primarily a book of poems set to music to sing God praises. This is all part of God's design to surround His presence with singing. Gratitude to God expresses dependence upon God and is an antidote for cynicism, criticism, and bitterness.

## **Honey In the Rock**

There's honey in the rock, water in the stone  
Manna on the ground no matter where I go  
I don't need to worry now that I know  
Everything I need You've got, There's honey in the rock

Praying for a miracle, Thirsty for the Living Well  
Only You can satisfy, Sweetness at the mercy seat  
Now I've tasted, it's not hard to see, Only You can satisfy

There's honey in the rock, There's honey in the rock  
There's honey in the rock, There's honey in the rock

Freedom where the Spirit is, Bounty in the wilderness  
You will always satisfy

There's honey in the rock, water in the stone  
Manna on the ground no matter where I go  
I don't need to worry now that I know Everything I need You've got

There's honey in the rock, purpose in Your plan,  
Power in the blood, healing in Your hands  
Started flowing when You said it is done,  
Everything You did's enough, Jesus who you are is enough

I keep looking, I keep finding, You keep giving, keep providing,  
I have all that I need, You are all that I need  
I keep praying, You keep moving, I keep praising, You keep proving,  
I have all that I need, You are all that I need

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**Come Alive (Dry Bones)** — Lauren Daigle

Through the eyes of man it seems There's so much we have lost  
As we look down the road Where all the prodigals have walked  
And one by one the enemy Has whispered lies And led them off as slaves

But I know that You are God Yours is the victory  
We know there is more to come That we may not yet see  
So with the faith You've given us We step into the valley unafraid

*We call out to dry bones, "Come alive! Come alive!"  
We call out to dead hearts, "Come alive! Come alive!"  
Up out of the ashes, Let us see an army rise.  
We call out to dry bones, "Come alive!"*

God of endless mercy, God of unrelenting love  
Rescue every daughter, Bring us back the wayward sons  
And by Your Spirit, Breathe upon them  
Show the world, That You alone can save

*Chorus*

So breathe, oh breath of God, Now breathe, oh breath of God  
Breathe, oh breath of God, Now breathe (repeat)

*Chorus*

TUESDAY STORY — Maggie Hemphill

ANNOUNCEMENTS, STUDENT DISMISSAL & GREETING

*Please stand and introduce yourself to one another.*

QUOTES:

"Revival isn't about filling a church building; it's about filling a soul with the presence of God." —Ann Voscamp

"Only an awakened church...only in a revived condition are going to make a dent on this society." —Ray Orlund

"You must let the gospel argue with you. You must let the gospel sink down deeply until it changes your views and the structures of your motivation. You must be trained and disciplined by the gospel. The gospel, if it is truly believed, helps us out of the extreme neediness that is natural to the human heart."—Tim Keller

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*With the exception of the nursery, all students begin in the worship service. Upon dismissal students may proceed to their individual classes: Nursery Rm 234, Preschool Rm 232, K-1<sup>st</sup> Rm 231, 2-4<sup>th</sup> Rm 229, 5-6<sup>th</sup> Rm 231.*

SERMON SERIES: SUMMER IN THE PSALMS

**Text: Psalm 85**

**Title: Revival: Do it Again, Lord**

**Speaker: Dave Sellers**

LORD, you were favorable to your land;  
you restored the fortunes of Jacob.  
You forgave the iniquity of your people;  
you covered all their sin. Selah  
You withdrew all your wrath;  
you turned from your hot anger.  
Restore us again, O God of our salvation,  
and put away your indignation toward us!  
Will you be angry with us forever?  
Will you prolong your anger to all generations?  
Will you not revive us again,  
that your people may rejoice in you?  
Show us your steadfast love, O LORD,  
and grant us your salvation.  
Let me hear what God the LORD will speak,  
for he will speak peace to his people, to his saints;  
but let them not turn back to folly.  
Surely his salvation is near to those who fear him,  
that glory may dwell in our land.  
Steadfast love and faithfulness meet;  
righteousness and peace kiss each other.  
Faithfulness springs up from the ground,  
and righteousness looks down from the sky.  
Yes, the LORD will give what is good,  
and our land will yield its increase.  
Righteousness will go before him  
and make his footsteps a way.

COMMUNION — *Communion, also called the Lord's Supper, is the family meal of Christians. We invite all baptized followers of Jesus Christ to participate. If you are not baptized or not prepared to share in the meal, we encourage you instead to spend this time in prayer (see back cover for "Prayers of Reflection").*

OFFERING — *Offering is a way for members and friends to support the worship and work of the church, it's mission and ministry. There are different ways to give:*

- Offering basket: place Check or Cash in a Giving Envelope on Sunday mornings
- Cross Sound app: look up "Church Center" on the App Store and follow prompts
- Online: [www.crosssound.org/give](http://www.crosssound.org/give) • Stock: contact [bookkeeper@crosssound.org](mailto:bookkeeper@crosssound.org)
- Mail: Cross Sound Church PO Box 11748 or 600 Ericksen Ave NE #210, Bainbridge Is., WA 98110



*"Don't hoard treasure down here where it gets eaten by moths and corroded by rust or—worse!—stolen by burglars. Stockpile treasure in heaven, where it's safe from moth and rust and burglars. — Matthew 6:9*

**Steadfast** — Sandra McCracken

I will build my house Whether storm or drought  
On the rock that does not move I will set my hope  
On Your love, O Lord, And Your faithfulness will prove

*You are steadfast, steadfast*

By the word You spoke, All the starry host  
Are called out by name each night, In Your watchful care  
I will rest secure, As You lead us with Your light

*You are steadfast, steadfast*

*You are steadfast, steadfast*

I will not trust In the strength of kings  
On Your promise I will stand  
I will shout for joy, I will raise my voice  
Hallelujah to the Lamb!

*You are steadfast, steadfast*

*You are steadfast, steadfast*

In the moment of emptiness All was fulfilled  
In the hour of darkness Your light was revealed  
In the presence of death Your life was affirmed  
In the absence of holiness You are still God

*You are steadfast, steadfast*

*You are steadfast, steadfast*



PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
Hallowed be thy Name.  
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done,  
On earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts,  
As we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
But deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
The power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

# Sending

**(Unending Love) Amazing Grace** — Citizens

Amazing Grace! how sweet the sound,  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found,  
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved.  
How precious did that grace appear,  
The hour I first believed.

*My chains are gone, I've been set free  
My God, My Savior, has ransomed me  
And like a flood, His mercy reigns  
Unending Love, Amazing Grace  
Unending Love, Amazing Grace*

Through many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come  
'Twas grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise,  
Than when we first begun.

BENEDICTION — 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

May God himself,  
the God who makes everything holy and whole,  
make you holy and whole,  
put you together—spirit, soul, and body—  
and keep you fit for the coming of our Master, Jesus Christ.  
The one who called you is completely dependable.  
If he said it, he'll do it! **Amen.**

# Announcements

**All-Church Lunch TODAY after church!** Please stay after, hang out, and have fun!

**Prayer for Revival** Please sign up to pray for 30 minutes between Sunday (Sept 1st) at 3pm and Tuesday (Sept.3rd) at 3pm at this link: [bit.ly/CSCPrayerForRevival](http://bit.ly/CSCPrayerForRevival)



**September 1: CS Kids Fall Kickoff** - Students, please join us in Sunday School as we kick off the new school year! Fun, games, prizes, giant bounce slide. We'll also pass out our traditional Backpack Blessings.

**September 4: Suquamish Kitchen** Come join the fun as we cook and serve a meal to folks from North Kitsap and Bainbridge Island. There is plenty to do that only requires a willing spirit! Cook, prep, serve, schmooz, wash dishes, clean up - all clearly defined jobs, so you know what you're getting into! Sign up at: [bit.ly/suquamishkitchen](http://bit.ly/suquamishkitchen) or follow QR Code >



**September 9 & 11: Women's Bible Study** is studying "God of Covenant: Genesis 12-50" by Jen Wilkin. We will meet at the church office. Starting September 9 - Monday Evenings 6:30-8:30 - Soup and Salad Dinner provided. Starting September 11 - Wednesday Mornings at 9:30 - 11:30 - Breakfast Potluck & Childcare Provided. Questions? Email [Ashley@CrossSound.org](mailto:Ashley@CrossSound.org) or visit [bit.ly/crosssoundwomen](http://bit.ly/crosssoundwomen)

**September 10: Men's Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) Begins** Tuesday evenings at the CS Church Office. This years' focus is on the book of Revelation and our hope in Jesus' return. Questions? Email Tony Merritt - [merritts.wa@gmail.com](mailto:merritts.wa@gmail.com)

**September 14: Grand Forest 5k/10k Trail Run** benefitting Young Life BINK. Meet at the Battle Point Park Picnic Shelter at 10am. Sign up today! [binkyounlife.org/events](http://binkyounlife.org/events) or follow this QR Code >



**September 15: The School of Discipleship** kicks off our next 4-week class on the ancient practice of the Sabbath. This is the second spiritual discipline we are introducing from a ministry called Practicing the Way ([www.practicingtheway.org](http://www.practicingtheway.org)). Meet in the church office at 6 pm for dinner, followed by a short video teaching and small group discussion. Please RSVP to Katie at [katiepearson@crosssound.org](mailto:katiepearson@crosssound.org)

**October 19: Dan Allender (PhD) is speaking at our Men's Event** from 8am-Noon at The Bainbridge Island Museum of Art (BIMA) on "Learning how to Talk Out Loud- the Discipline of Querying the Soul": Dan is one of the founders of the Seattle School of Theology and Psychology where he served as president from 2002-2009. He's a therapist in private practice and teaching at the Allender Center. He's the author of the Wounded Heart, Bold Love, Intimate Allies, the Healing Path, To be Told, How Children Raise Their Parents, God Loves Sex, Leading With A Limp, The Cry of the Soul, Sabbath, as well as co-authoring several books with Tremper Longman.

# Connect With Us

If you are new to Cross Sound Church, please tear this portion off and put it in the offering to let us know you were here. You may also use this to inform us of any changes in your contact information, or to submit prayer requests for the staff to pray over.

First time visitor ( )      Interested in more info for:      Please add me to:  
Second time visitor ( )      \_\_\_\_\_ Ministry ( )      Email list ( )  
Regular attendee ( )           Mailing list ( )

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Children & their ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer Requests/Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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We hope these are helpful to you as you consider your relationship with Jesus Christ and His people, the church.

## Prayer for the Skeptic

*Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.*

## Prayer of Belief

*Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sin and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.*

## Prayer for those Struggling with Sin

*Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my needs, and my turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you, the true and living bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race set before me, looking to you, the pioneer and perfecter of my faith. Amen.*

## Prayer of Commitment

*Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. Grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with your people, and live in the fullness of your spirit. Amen.*