

MARINERS CHURCH



What this Place is About

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We are Coastsiders committed to Jesus and each other, doing the most important thing in the world.

A PLACE TO BEGIN.

A place for people to BEGIN their faith journey to God through Jesus.

Jesus answered, "The work of God is this: to believe in the one he has sent." John 6:28

"I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me." John 14:6

Our message is sacred, but our methods are not.

I have made myself a slave to everyone, to win as many as possible. To the Jews I became like a Jew, to win the Jews. To those under the law I became like one under the law so as to win those under the law. To the weak I became weak, to win the weak. I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some. 1 Corinthians 9:19-23

A PLACE TO BELONG

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another." -Jesus, John 13:34

"By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another." -Jesus, John 13:35

No perfect people allowed here.

Brothers and sisters, consider what you were when God called you to be Christians. Not many of you were wise from a human point of view. You were not in powerful positions or in the upper social classes. Cor. 1:26-27



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You are partners with Christ Jesus because of God. 1 Cor. 1:30

A PLACE TO BECOME.

This is a place where I will grow and change.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Gal 5:22-23

This is a place of giving and serving.

They gave themselves to the Lord and then to us, just as God wanted them to do. 2 Corinthians 8:

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20

For your LifeGroup and growth time.

What is one of the best things about being part of a church family and/or life group?

Read together 1 Corinthians 9:19-23. What is being said here? How do we, as a church, make it possible for others who are not comfortable with church, fit in? What does it mean, "Our message is sacred but our methods are not"?

How good are we at being a place to 'begin'?

Jesus was big on unity and love. Look at John 13:34-35. How did Jesus love us? What does 'love look like'?

How good are we at being a place to 'begin'?

How good are we at being a place to 'become'? How have you grown here?

Pray together and support each other!

If you'd like to grow in your faith and connect with others, LifeGroups are a great place for you. For more information, drop us your name and we'll get back to you (emma@marinerscc.org)