If you're new to Mariners, here are 3 great next steps:

CONNECT CARD

Fill out a Connect Card to let us know more about you. Drop it in an offering box or bring it to the...

▶ WELCOME CENTER

Stop by the Welcome Center on the patio to get a gift from us and find opportunities to get involved.

NEW TO MARINERS

— CLASS—

Sat, Jul 20 • 6:30p **Sun, Jul 21 •** 12:30p

Join us in the **upper room** to learn more about Mariners.

Sin is
no longer
your master...
Instead,
you live
under the
freedom of
God's grace.

Romans 6:14

BECAUSE OF YOUR GENEROSITY

1858kids

experienced the love of Jesus through worship, skits, games, teaching and activities at VBS this week!



JOIN US IN GIVING

We are celebrating a week of incredible life change through VBS! Kids encountered Jesus, shared God's love with the world by raising money for our partners in Congo, and discovered what it means to make Christ the foundation of their life.

One student said, "I learned that if there's anything I need, I know I can go to God." "I learned that God loves me no matter what," shared another.

1024 volunteers gave their time this week to guide kids to a deeper relationship with Jesus. One volunteer said, "My favorite part is seeing kids fearlessly worship God."

This incredible event was only possible because you committed your giving to Jesus and entrusted it to His will. Thank you for your generosity!

Take your next steps in giving • Visit marinerschurch.org/give

Jun 29 & 30 **WELCOME TO** MARINERS CHURCH

WELCOME!

Each weekend we gather to worship, hear a message from God's Word and pray together.

Are you here with your family? We welcome kids of all abilities and have programming designed for every age.

- Programs for 0-5th grade and junior high students are available in our kids and youth buildings.
- Parents who prefer to stay with their children 0-5yrs old are welcome to enjoy the service together in the fover or family viewing room.

We hope you enjoy every moment of our service. We believe God has something for you here today!

If you're in need of prayer, our prayer team is PRAYER available at the front of the worship center available at the front of the Worship Center online, email prayer@marinerschurch.org

GIVING

We give because God first gave to us. We invite you to experience a life of generosity by giving **online** at **mariners**church.org/**give** or through the offering boxes located at the back of the Worship Center.



SIGN UP ONLINE TO **STAY IN THE LOOP**

















There's something for you at Mariners Visit **mariners**church**.org** for info on all our events

JOIN US **NEXT WEEK**

Don't miss the opportunity to hear from great speakers these next two weeks and then join us to kick off our summer series on July 20 & 21.





What's your happiness built on?

Most people allow their circumstances to determine their happiness, but Jesus turns this notion upside down. This summer message series on the beatitudes deconstructs the surprising way Jesus offers us profound happiness.

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☐ I'm new to Mariners
I'm interested in:
\square getting connected in a group
\square the Weekly newsletter
\square serving on campus
serving through Outreach



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HOW TO TRAP A MONKEY

Romans 6

The lesson...let go and run away

What are you holding on to that is making a monkey out of you?

Change your mind...thinking

You are free

...We are no longer slaves to sin...When he died, he died once to break the power of sin. But now that he lives, he lives for the glory of God. So you also should consider yourselves to be dead to the power of sin and alive to God through Christ Jesus...Sin is no longer your master...Instead, you live under the freedom of God's grace. Romans 6:6.9-11.14

It's your choice

Don't you realize that you **become the slave** of whatever you choose to obey? You can be a **slave to sin**, which leads to **death**, or you can choose to **obey** God, which leads to **righteous living**. Thank God! Once you were slaves of sin, but now you wholeheartedly obey this teaching we have given you. Romans 6:16.17

Sin-kills

Obedience-righteous living

So honor God

Don't you realize that your body is the **temple of the Holy Spirit**, who lives in you and was given to you by God? **You do not belong to yourself**, for God **bought** you with a high price. So you must honor God with your body. 1 Corinthians 6:19-20

Embrace a new motivation

But God showed his **great love** for us by sending Christ to die for us while we were still sinners. Romans 5:8

Dear friends, let us continue to **love** one another, for **love** comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God...**God is love**. 1 John 4:7-8

For God is working in you, **giving** you **the desire** and the **power** to do what pleases him. Philippians 2:13

Depend on God's strength

Admit: I can't...God can

..."My grace is all you need. **My power works best in weakness**." So now I am glad to boast about my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ can work through me...For when I am weak, then I am strong. 2 Corinthians 12:9-10

Ask

For I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength. Philippians 4:13

Dependence

I need you Lord...Lord, I need you

So, this summer...