



# Update on Envision

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Envisioning what God can do in Whatcom County

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The Mission of Envision is to:

- build authentic community by:
- proclaiming the gospel
- and making disciples of Jesus Christ
- in Whatcom County
- especially within the downtown culture of Bellingham
- as a church missionary effort working in conjunction with local churches.

(Goals/Values and Budget Report Available Upon Request)

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## Reasons for Celebration and Prayer

**Mark your calendars for a Senti Concert of Music!**

**Saturday August 28**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Reformed Church in Lynden**  
**610 Grover Street**  
**@ 7pm.**

**Mitchell and Rochelle will be sharing new music from the latest CD "Songs of Joy" along with old favorites.** A love offering will be taken for Envision and it should last no more than an hour and 15 minutes, so kids are welcome too!

**The Senti's took a wonderful and meaningful trip to Kansas where they honored Mitchell's Dad's memory and put part of his ashes up on the old Senti land there.** The Senti family shared at the Dispatch church encouraging the family in Christ that is there. **They also traveled to Zuni where Mitchell preached and led worship with Rochelle.** In both places they relearned the importance of slowing down and taking time for people. Pictured here is the one room school house that Mitchell's Dad went to as a child called "Oak Creek School". [L-R Peter, Mitchell, Johnny and Elisha]



**The Lynden Summit House is up and running with two men living there currently.** They are working through so many things and desiring to find jobs as well. If anyone would like to interview one of them for a position or knows of a possible job opening idea let us know. We also need more men in the Lynden house so pray that God will raise them up. **The Bellingham house is also going strong** with the return of our friend Sopajay. He is facilitating a Christ-centered art and sharing time called "Come and Join the Circle" on Thursday nights at 7pm at

the Bham Summit house. There are three other men living there and two more applying currently. Pray for God's transforming power among them all and also for those of us who come alongside them. The Lighthouse Mission is also sending us more folks to check out the Summit houses. And God is providing discipleship partners for both houses. We still hope to have a ladies house by next year as well! Pray for all these things according to God's will in Christ Jesus.

**Board:  
Elders and their  
wives:**  
Mitchell and Rochelle  
Senti,  
Bernie and Mary  
Brower

Elder/Pastor: Ben  
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**Treasurer/Elder:** Dan  
Obbink

**Advisory Deacon and  
deaconesses:**  
Rustin Polinder and  
Linda Hammings

**Bookkeeper:** Karen  
Kooistra

“Now to him who is  
able to do  
immeasurably more  
than we can ask or  
imagine, according to  
his power that is at  
work within us, to him  
be the glory in the  
church and in Christ  
Jesus throughout all  
generations, for ever  
and ever! Amen.”  
Ephesians 3:20-21

We appreciate your  
generosity so much!  
(Mitchell doesn't see  
how much each of you  
gives, but he sees who  
gives.)

If you'd like to make a  
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Our vision: to seek the  
face of Jesus!

**Even in our prayer time on Fridays we see the Lord at work.** We often pray for each other and anoint folks with oil for healing and breakthrough. Pray for one man who has struggled with anxiety terribly but asks for prayer frequently as well.

**Glenda Price returned for a visit to our ministry and joined us on Street Nights along with many others** (she is pictured below reaching out downtown). **Our desire is to share Christ and minister to those we meet while also learning from Jesus through them as well.** God continues to raise up workers for the harvest on street nights. More and more folks have been coming to join us. First we do orientation with them. Sometimes we minister to needs, pass on resources and just listen. Other times we share the Gospel as the Spirit leads us and there is willingness.

On a recent street night after we finished singing, a man was intrigued by the music and we had the opportunity to share the Gospel with him for almost an hour. He shared that he believed in a Creator of some kind simply because he could see that in creation, so we shared Christ and even about hell, judgment and our need for special revelation. We prayed that He would receive the revelation of Christ. We all hugged afterwards and parted ways with deep respect for one another.

The different groups that went out reported of praying with folks, listening to folks' stories, giving out items that could be helpful. We often realize that Jesus is still

walking with His disciples and teaching them as they go out two by two and three by three today. Feel free to join us sometime on a Tuesday night!



**Our Weekly Schedule:**

**Tuesday:** Street Night Tuesdays (5:30-7:15pm), starts at 1<sup>st</sup> Baptist on 110 Flora St.

**Thursday:** Men's group at Woods Barkely at 5:45am.

**Friday:** Prayer at the Light of the World Prayer Center (3-5pm)

**Saturday:** Jeff's House church at Cornwall Park at (10am)

**Sunday:** House church meetings at the Gray's (10am) and the Rust's (5:30pm) Jesus Gathering at Hope in Christ on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month (5pm) Jesus Study at the Majestic all other Sundays (5pm)