

## This Week at Messiah Hazel Dell

### Sunday

8:30, 9:45 AM ..... Worship with Communion  
 8:30-9:40 AM ..... Youth Ensemble  
 9:30 AM ..... Sunday School/Godly Play®

### Monday

9:00 AM ..... Prayer Team  
 9:30 AM ..... Monday Morning Group  
 9:30-11:30 AM ..... Moms' Connect

### Tuesday

6:00 AM ..... Bible Study/Breakfast w/Pr. Peter  
 6:30-8:00 AM ..... High School Breakfast  
 9:30 AM ..... Quilters  
 12:00-2:00 PM ..... Material Girls  
 6:00 PM ..... Handbells  
 7:00 PM ..... Al-Anon, LL Dining Hall

### Wednesday - Modified FLIP During Lent

8:45 AM & 12:30 PM ..... Preschool Chapel  
 4:00-4:40 PM ..... Godly Play (3 yrs-5th grade)  
 4:45-5:15 PM ..... Praise Patrol, NewSong, Pax Christi  
 4:45-5:15 PM ..... Mom' Time Out  
 5:00-6:00 PM ..... Soup Supper  
**6:00-6:30 PM ..... Worship**  
 6:30 PM ..... Service Projects & Creative Time  
 6:30 PM ..... Quiet Prayer Time in the Prayer Chapel  
 7:00 PM ..... Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday

8:45 AM ..... Preschool Chapel  
 2:30 PM ..... *Centering Prayer*  
 5:00 PM ..... Journey Theater  
 6:00 PM ..... Stephen Ministry in P. School Lounge  
 7:15-8:30 PM ..... Al-Anon, LL Dining Hall

### Friday

### Saturday

5:00 PM ..... Worship w/Communion

### Sunday

8:30, 9:45 AM ..... Worship with Communion  
 9:30 AM ..... Sunday School/Godly Play®  
 11:00 AM ..... H. School Mission Trip  
 Group Building Mtg.

## This Week at Messiah North County

### Sunday

9:45 AM ..... Prayer Team  
 10:00 AM ..... Worship w/Communion

### Order of Service

Song	Gospel
Greeting & Announcements	Message
Song	Song
Confession & Absolution	Children's Message
Prayer of the Day	Profession of Faith
Song	Lord's Prayer
Prayers of the Church	Communion
Offering/Music	Prayer
Scripture Readings	Blessing
Song	Song
	Sending

Kathleen & Peter Braafladt, Pastors  
 David Teeter, Minister of Worship and Music  
 Mary Beenken, Pastoral Intern  
 Joyce Handran, Preschool Director  
 Jessica Potts, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries  
 Joy Studer, Director of Children's and Family Ministries  
 Daniel Ortman, Assistant Worship Leader  
 Cherry Berry, Publications/Media Specialist  
 Tracy Neuhauser, Interim NCC Site Coordinator  
 Janet Borst, Bookkeeper  
 Greg Rhodes, NCC Project Manager  
 Christina Hawley, Lead Nursery Attendant  
 Bryon Williams, Facility Coordinator  
 Marsh White, Custodian

### Weekend Worship Services Hazel Dell

Saturday 5:00 PM; Sunday, 8:30, 9:45 AM  
 Nursery Care, Sat. 4:45-6:15 PM; Sun. 8:15-11:00 AM

### Sunday Worship Services North County

Worship 10:00 AM  
 Child Care, 10:00-11:00 AM



### New Mid-Week Lenten Worship Time!

**5:00-6:00pm**

Soup Supper in lower level  
 (small groups will eat together)

**6:00-6:30pm**

Worship (Holden Evening Prayer)

**6:30-7:00pm**

Service Projects and  
 Creative Time for all ages



### Minister of Welcome Job Posting Extended

The application period for a Minister of Welcome position at Messiah Lutheran Church has been extended. The position is approximately 0.3 FTE.

If you or others you know may be interested in this position, please share this information and direct them to Messiah's website where a full job description is posted along with the application packet. Hardcopy application packets are also available in the front office.

### Discernment Meeting Date Changed to 6:30pm Wednesday, March 29

Immediately following midweek Lenten service; Opportunity to participate in the congregation's current three-month discernment process regarding the mission of the congregation in North Clark county.



### Theology on Tap (ToT) - March 28

Topic: What's Next? Resawning. Resuscitation. Reabsorption. Reincarnation. Resurrection.

Guest presenter: Bo Sanders, Assistant Professor of Theology, George Fox Seminary

Location: Heathen Brewing Feral Public House, Vancouver

There are a lot of ways that both religious and non-religious people characterize what happens after death. Hindus think about it differently than do Christians; Buddhists differently than Muslims; Jews differently than Mormons. ToT participants will be exploring the various ideas about "afterlife" and even wonder about their hybrid merging within popular culture. As we approach Easter, we will ponder what the women saw and heard at the empty tomb and consider why the early creeds of the Church insisted on describing the experience as "resurrection."

Seating is limited. An RSVP is required.

Registration is online at Messiah's website: [messiahvancouver.org](http://messiahvancouver.org).

# Welcome to Messiah

This is a church that welcomes doubters, seekers, and believers of all stripes—conservatives and liberals; the wealthy and the poor; individuals, and every kind of family; sinners and saints; those who are broken, lost, and those who long for healing and connection. ALL are welcome to experience the transforming love of God in Christ. Welcome to Messiah Lutheran Church: *The Body in Motion*.

## To Guests of Messiah ...

May we provide you with information about the mission and ministries of Messiah? Complete the "Discover Card," place it in the offering or in one of the designated baskets in the foyer as you leave and we will promptly provide information.

## Children and Church ... Yes!

For younger children in the sanctuary, we all expect a certain amount of squirming, fussing, and wandering. Feel free to pick up a bag from the activity cart located in the foyer and use it in the sanctuary. Kits are disinfected weekly. Or check out the nursery directly below the sanctuary for children up to five years old.

Preschool through fifth grade children are welcomed to Godly Play® Sunday school that begins at 9:30 AM in rooms 103, 105 and 108. Godly Play® is a Montessori-style learning experience that your child will love. Teachers escort the children to the sanctuary around 10:20 following the sermon in time to participate in the children's message. Children join their families in Holy Communion and the rest of the service.

## Holy Communion

We celebrate the presence of Christ in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper as part of every weekend service. All are welcome to commune.

Ushers will guide you up the center aisle. Please take an empty cup from either of the tables at the front as you come forward to stand at the altar rail. If you prefer, there are pre-poured cups with grape juice and gluten-free wafers at each of the tables. You are welcome to return to your seats at your own pace.

Children who have not received first communion instruction are welcome at the altar rail to receive a blessing from the pastor.

## Assistive Listening Devices

Wireless listening devices are available at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary. Pick one up and sit anywhere in the sanctuary with the benefit of hearing support.

## Restrooms

Restrooms are located at the base of the stairs off the foyer and at the end of the photo gallery hallway.

## one congregation | two locations

North County Campus - 1701 NW 299th St, Ridgefield, WA 98642  
*meeting in the banquet room at Tri-Mountain Golf Course*

Hazel Dell Campus - 905 NW 94th St., Vancouver, WA 98665  
(360) 574-7081

Free Public Wifi  
Messiah Public  
password: katieluther



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## DESIGN A ROBOT CONTEST

Bring Your Robot to church  
Sunday, April 23 to Wednesday April 26

Voting will be  
Sunday, April 30

Great family  
project!

3 Categories

- ◆ Small (under 12 inches)
- ◆ Large Free Standing
- ◆ Moving

Robots will be used for VBS decorations

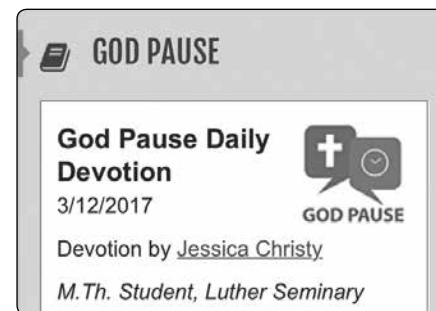
## One Mile Mission Needs (for area schools)

Donations can be brought to the main office, to worship at NCC or to the bins in the Hazel Dell fellowship hall.

- New boxes of crayons for Eisenhower
- Individually packaged snack items (cheese crackers, fruit snacks, raisins, granola bars)
- Microwaveable macaroni and cheese
- Packs of gum, chapstick, individual bags of tea (38 of each item needed)
- Volunteers for the Eisenhower Early Learning Night, 6:00-7:30pm Thursday, June 8 (Contact Joy Studer)

## New "God Pause" Devotion on Messiah's Front Page is Updated Daily

Based on the upcoming lessons for the weekend, these daily devotions are written by Luther Seminary teachers, students, and alumni. Check it out at [messiahvancouver.org](http://messiahvancouver.org).



Scripture for Next Week: 1 Samuel 16:1-13; Psalm 23; Ephesians 5:8-14; John 9:1-41

## Youth Worship (during the school year)

**Middle School**—attend worship with family (*as part of confirmation, you will also sign up to help with ushering, reading, etc.*)

**High School**—9:45 worship; second Sunday of the month at 11:00 AM, meet at the gym door and the *Lunch Bunch* will go to a local restaurant.

## FREE Breakfast...just for High Schoolers!

Every Tuesday morning before school at HD (6:30–8:00) there is a FREE, hot and delicious breakfast available in the Hazel Dell lower level dining hall for all high school students. Breakfast is financially sponsored, cooked and served each week by Messiah members. **A sign-up sheet is available in the fellowship hall to financially sponsor the food for the Tuesday Morning High School Breakfast.** Cost is \$45 and three sponsors are needed each week (\$135 total). Thank you for continued support!



Sunday Mornings  
8:30-9:40, room 207

All youth are invited. Only requirement is that you know how to play your instrument. Contact Laurie Rickett or David Teeter @[davit@messiahvancouver.org](mailto:davit@messiahvancouver.org) if you are interested.

**Due to internet privacy issues for people's names, prayer requests are no longer published on-line.**

Financially sponsoring the High School Tuesday Morning Breakfast is...  
Jared & Jennifer Tormohlen

The flowers on the altar last week were given by...  
Christine Quinn, in memory of  
Shirley Quinn (grandmother)

Combined weekend attendance: 297  
Worship CD Ministry: Need to hear it again?  
Check out a CD in the church office.