

This Week at Messiah Hazel Dell

Palm Sunday

8:30, 9:45 AMWorship with Communion
 9:30 AMSunday School/Godly Play®
 11:00 AMHigh School Lunch Bunch

Monday

9:00 AMPrayer Team
 9:30 AMMonday Morning Group
 9:30-11:30 AMMoms' Connect

Tuesday

6:00 AMBible Study/Breakfast w/Pr. Peter
 6:30-8:00 AMHigh School Breakfast
 9:30 AMQuilters
 12:00-2:00 PMMaterial Girls
 6:00 PMHandbells
 7:00 PMAl-Anon, LL Dining Hall

Wednesday - NO FLIP

8:45 AM & 12:30 PMPreschool Chapel
 7:00 PMChoir Rehearsal

Maundy Thursday


8:45 AMPreschool Chapel
 10:00 AMMartha Circle
 2:30 PMCentering Prayer
 7:00 PMWorship
 7:15-8:30 PMAl-Anon, LL Dining Hall


Good Friday


10:00 AMWorship
 7:00 PMWorship

Saturday - No Worship Service

Easter Sunday

 6:30 AM..... Sunrise Service
 (behind Eisenhower)

 7:00-10:00 AM.....Easter Breakfast

 8:30, 9:45 AMWorship
 with Communion

This Week at Messiah North County

Sunday

9:30 AMPrayer Team
 10:00 AMWorship w/Communion

Easter Sunday

9:30 AMEaster Egg Hunt
 10:00 AMWorship 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
 Alison Treichel, Administrative Assistant
 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



Joy Studer Invited to Introduce Godly Play® in Guatemala

Messiah's own Joy Studer, Director of Children's and Family Ministries, has accepted the invitation of Lutheran Partners in Global Ministry (LPGM) to experience the partnerships it has forged in Guatemala and to introduce Godly Play® to some key players in hopes of planting the seeds for future ministry opportunities.

Joy is leaving April 21. For more information, please check out Messiah's website. Donations are welcome to help defray the cost associated with this trip. You can place a check in the offering with a notation for "Joy's Guatemala trip" or go to her Go Fund Me page: <https://www.gofundme.com/godly-playr-to-guatemala>.

Yoga with Karri Bukant! FREE! Childcare available. Mondays beginning April 17

Yoga will resume after Easter with yoga instructor Karri Bukant. Two Christ-centered classes will be offered. Participants should dress in comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat and water. Please contact Karri Bukant at karribukant7@gmail.com with any questions.

4:30-5:45pm in the gym: Yoga Workshop. An opportunity to breakdown poses and work on specific body parts, postures and alignment. A little yoga experience is preferred for this class.

6:00-7:15pm in the narthex: Gentle Yoga. All ages and abilities welcome. Must be able to get from the floor to standing.

Acolyte Training (4th grade and up)

There will be an acolyte training/refreshers class on Saturday, May 13 from 9:00am-10:00am in the sanctuary. This class is for those wishing to be trained as an acolyte and for those that are current acolytes and would like a little extra practice. Richard Vaughn and Mike Odren will be leading the training that morning. Please contact Jessica Potts at jessicap@messiahvancouver.org with any questions.

Due to Joy being gone, dates for the robot contest have been extended!

DESIGN A ROBOT CONTEST

Bring Your Robot to Church
 Sunday, April 23 to Wednesday May 3

Voting will be
 Sunday, May 7

3 Categories



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



Robots will be used for VBS decorations

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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Easter Breakfast Sign Up

The high school mission trip team is hosting the Easter Breakfast. If you would like to support them by bringing eggs and/or muffins, a sign-up sheet is available in the narthex or you can email Jessica Potts at jessicap@messiahvancouver.org. Donations can be brought to any of the Holy Week services. **20 more dozen eggs and 5 dozen muffins needed!**



Middle School Event at the Firstenburg Center Prevention Is A Party

7:30–10:30pm Friday, April 21 (*Meet and Pick Up at Messiah*)
Basketball, Swimming, Games, Free Food and Prizes!
Friends are welcome!

Cost: FREE, but need to bring your student ID; Contact Jessica Potts with any questions; Sign up by April 16

Father and Daughter Conference

Saturday, April 29, 2017 8:30am–2:30pm at
Messiah Lutheran Church, Hazel Dell Campus

For all daughters age 12 and up who yearn for a close relationship with her dad and for all dads who want to be the dad she deserves, this conference is for you. Messiah's own Justin Farrell will be a speaker at the event. To register or to learn more: www.betterdads.net/#events.

Would You Like to Learn

How to Set up for Communion?

Communion set-up and cleanup helpers are needed. Contact Cheryl Sanders at 606-0237 if you are interested. She will set up an instructional meeting based on responses.

The flowers on the altar this week were given by...
Rodger & Pam Williams in honor of
Elena Williams' 13th birthday

Financially sponsoring the High School
Tuesday Morning Breakfast is...
Harold & Florence Teters

Scripture for Easter Sunday: Acts 10:34-43;
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Col. 3:1-4; Matthew:28:1-10

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. **Today!**

FREE Breakfast...just for High Schoolers!

Every Tuesday morning before school at HD (6:30–8:00);



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

Thank you for your prayers for Brenda's mom. She is doing much better. ~Alan & Brenda Gardner

We wish to thank all of you who have held us up before God during this time of Winnie's younger brother's death. Your prayers, your love and unselfish generosity overwhelm us as God continues to display himself through you, the body of Christ here at Messiah. We have felt the arms of God wrapped around us in your love, care and outpourings toward us. "Thank you" seems to be inadequate to express what we have personally felt and experienced through you. We are overwhelmed and humbled at your offerings of love and prayer, demonstrating God's blessing and mighty presence. May God bless you as we have been blessed by God through you. Peace... ~David and Winnie Teeter

Combined weekend attendance: 271
Worship CD Ministry: Need to hear it again?
Check out a CD in the church office.