

This Week at Messiah Hazel Dell

Today

8:30-9:20 AM Youth Ensemble
 8:30, 9:45 AM Worship with Communion
 9:30 AM Godly Play

Monday

9:30 AM Monday Morning Group
 9:30 AM Messiah Mothering, rm 108
 9:30 AM Prayer Team
 4:30-5:45 & 6:00-7:15 PM Yoga

Tuesday

6:30-8:00 AM High School Breakfast
 9:30 AM Quilters
 12:00-2:00 PM Material Girls
 7:00 PM Al-Anon, LL Dining Hall

Wednesday – FLIP

8:45 AM & 12:30 PM Preschool Chapel
 10:00 AM Pr. Kathy's Book Club
 10:00 AM Adult Bible Class (F. Hall)
 3:00-4:00 PM Homework Club
 4:00-4:30 PM NewSong
 4:00-4:40 PM Godly Play (3yrs-1st grade)
 4:35-5:15 PM Chaos!
 4:45-5:15 PM Praise Patrol/Pax Christi
 5:00-6:00 PM Dinner
 6:00 PM Adult Bible Class (rms 205/207)
 6:00-7:00 PM Godly Play (2nd-5th grade)
 6:00-7:00 PM Confirmation
 6:00-7:00 PM H. School Wednesday Night Live!
 7:00-8:30 PM Choir Rehearsal

Thursday

2:30 PM Centering Prayer
 7:00 PM Al-Anon, LL Dining Hall

Friday

5:30-7:30 PM Spring Fling

Saturday

5:00 PM Worship w/Communion

Compassion Sunday

8:30, 9:45 AM Worship with Communion
 9:30 AM Godly Play

Scripture for next Sunday: Acts 10:44-49;
 Psalm 98; 1 John 5:1-6; John 15:9-17

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

Kathleen & Peter Braafladt, Pastors
 David Teeter, Minister of Worship and Music
 Ryan Dockery, Pastoral Intern
 Joyce Handran, Preschool Director
 Jessica Potts, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries
 Megan Dilitto, Director of Children's and Family Ministries
 Daniel Ortman, Assistant Worship Leader
 Cherry Berry, Publications/Media Specialist
 Greg Rhodes, NCC Project Manager
 Julie Backous, NCC Site Coordinator
 Janet Borst, Bookkeeper
 Christina Hawley, Lead Nursery Attendant
 Marsh White, Custodian

Temporary Office hours

9-1:00 Mon-Thurs, 9-11:30 Friday

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



The Messenger

April 28 & 29, 2018

Are you new to Messiah?

We would love to connect with you—it's quick, easy and secure. Text the word "welcome" to 360-200-7332 and we will promptly provide information. If you prefer, you can complete a Discover Card and place it in the offering or in one of the designated baskets near the exits. Thank you.

Calling all Volunteers for VBS

Vacation Bible School will be here before we know it (July 9-13), and YOUR help is needed! Whether you have a heart for teaching, decorating, making a mess, having fun, singing, dancing, being silly, telling stories, or all of the above, our VBS team will be better with you as a part of it!

Just go to Messiah's own VBS volunteer page, vbspro.events/p/events/c5539d, click on Volunteer Registration, then click on "What Position are you Interested in?" to browse through volunteer opportunities for both Pre-Kindergarten and Elementary age groups. Then fill out the required fields and you're done. Once you have signed up, Megan will contact you! **VBS Online registration opens May 6 at noon**

Compassion Sunday Mission

Sunday, May 6 at North County

Compassion Sunday is part of Compassion International. Their mission is to partner with local churches across the globe, often in the poorest areas, to teach children about Jesus while also working to meet their physical, social, and emotional needs.

Nine year old Grace Farrell will be hosting this event and will be speaking more about it during the worship service. Her goal is to get 30 kids sponsored.

Pastors Kathy and Peter will be leaving for sabbatical on May 14. A basket for well wishes will be available at the Saturday May 12 and Sunday May 13 worship services.

Graduation Sunday

June 3, 2018 at the 9:45am service

Messiah would like to recognize all high school, college and technical school graduates. Please fill out a graduate form (found online or on the Youth News bulletin board at Hazel Dell) and return it to the main office **no later than May 6**. Please contact Jessica Potts at jessicap@messiahvancouver.org with any questions.



Material Girls North

Beginning 12:00 noon Tuesday, May 8, Material Girls will meet once per month for hand crafts and lunch at Tri Mountain Golf Course. Bring a friend!

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...

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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 9:30am in rooms 101, 103 and 105. Godly Play® is a Montessori-style learning experience that your child will love. Teachers escort the children to the sanctuary 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.

All children are welcome to come forward to receive Communion or a blessing.

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 also 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

Free Public Wifi

Messiah Public
password: katieluther

(360) 574-7081

Children's Craft Table at Saturday Evening Service

If you have been to worship at Messiah's North County campus, you know that one of the special additions to the worship space is a craft table for children. The table allows busy hands to be creative while still listening, watching, and participating in worship.

Saturday evenings only, at the Hazel Dell campus, children will be invited to sit at a table with a Messiah staff member who will guide them in craft-making while still allowing time for listening and participating in all parts of worship, especially the children's message and Holy Communion.

We are excited about this new addition to worship. As always, nursery care will continue to be available.

Pr. Kathy's Book Club

Meeting May 2, 10-11:30am Hazel Dell. *The Handmaid's Tale*, by Margaret Atwood is the book being discussed.

Messiah... Let's Go Hiking! Sunday, May 20

Meet at Messiah Hazel Dell at 11:30am to caravan/carpool or at 12:00pm at the south end of the Lacamas Heritage Trail (303 NE Lake Road, Camas, WA 98607). Participants can choose to hike along the Lacamas Heritage Trail and/or to hike around Round Lake. All ages and abilities welcome! Invite a friend! There will be easy – moderate options. Dress for the weather, eat lunch before the hike and bring snacks and water. The group will also go to a local restaurant for refreshments afterwards. For more information or if you plan to attend, please email Jessica Potts at jessicap@messiahvancouver.org.

Facilities Coordinator Position Opening

Organize, support, and supervise facility maintenance, repair, and improvements. Coordinate and support volunteers and, when needed, contractors to accomplish the above. Part time. Job description on Messiah's website or pick one up in the office. FTE: 0.20



May 4
Spring Fling 5:30-7:30

May 16-17
Last Days of Chapel

May 22-23
Last Days of Preschool

Wallowas Backpacking Trip Planned August 10–15, 2018

You can now reserve your spot for the summer backpacking trip to the Wallowa Mountains. This is a great opportunity to get into the wilderness and experience God's beauty in nature. Trip cost is \$85 and payment is needed to secure your spot. For more information or to sign up, please contact Jessica Potts, jessicap@messiahvancouver.org.

FREE Breakfast... for High Schoolers!

Every Tuesday morning before school (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. All high school students are welcome!

A sign up sheet for sponsorship is available in the fellowship hall. Cost to sponsor a breakfast is \$35 and three sponsors are needed each week. (\$105 total). Thank you!

Financially sponsoring the High School Tuesday Morning Breakfast is...
Ellen Helm; Ellen Andres

The flowers on the altar at Hazel Dell this week were given by...
Joan & Mike Kjer

9:30 Sunday School (during the school year)
Godly Play® for 3 Year-olds to 5th grade

Combined weekend attendance: 273
Worship CD Ministry: Need to hear it again?
Check out a CD in the church office.