

This Week at Messiah Hazel Dell

Today -

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

Monday

9:00 AM Prayer Team
9:00 AM-NOON VBS Decorating & Lunch
9:30 AM Monday Morning Group

Tuesday

9:30 AM Quilters
12:00-2:00 PM Material Girls
7:00 PM Al-Anon, LL Dining Hall

Wednesday - FL!P is on Summer Break

Thursday

2:30 PM *Centering Prayer*
7:00 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 Godly Play



Scripture for next Sunday: Amos 7:7-15;
Psalm 85:8-13; Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:14-29

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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

Martha Maier, Sabbatical Lead Pastor
Kathleen & Peter Braafladt, Pastors
David Teeter, Minister of Worship and Music
Ryan Dockery, Pastoral Intern
Joyce Handran, Preschool Director
Cheralyn Hann, Administrative Assistant
Jessica Potts, Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministries
Megan Dilitto, Director of Children's and Family Ministries
Julie Bracken, Minister of Welcome
Daniel Ortman, Assistant Worship Leader
Greg Rhodes, NCC Project Manager
Julie Backous, NCC Site Coordinator
Christina Hawley, Lead Nursery Attendant

Office hours

9:00 – 1:00 Mon-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 Messiah North

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

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The Messenger

July 7 & 8, 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.

Messiah North

What's in a name? Perhaps more than meets the eye. It can define us, represent us, frustrate or please us. "North County" - the name we've often used for our presence at Tri-Mountain Golf Course - has been a source of frustration. It means nothing, or perhaps suggests we gather in Yacolt (a lovely place, but far from accurate). Some have suggested we call ourselves "Messiah Ridgefield." That sounds nice, but will we always be in Ridgefield?

So We've decided to use "Messiah North." It affirms first that we are Messiah, one congregation. Second, it distinguishes our separate location. From now on you'll see us use this name for our ministry in Northern Clark County.

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



2018 Vacation Bible School

Training Scheduled for 11:00am, July 8

Vacation Bible School is almost here! The final training session is Sunday July 8 at 11:00 AM. VBS begins July 9 and will continue through July 13. The VBS culmination is July 15 in the sanctuary. Contact Megan with any questions at megand@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.*

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. Check out the craft table in the rear of the sanctuary on Saturday evenings at the Hazel Dell campus and Sunday mornings at Messiah North. It is supervised by a Messiah staff member and allows young children to make crafts in response to what they hear and see in worship. You can also check out the nursery directly below the sanctuary at the Hazel Dell campus 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.

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

Messiah – Hazel Dell – 905 NW 94th St., Vancouver, WA 98665

Free Public Wifi

Messiah Public
password: katieluther

(360) 574-7081

Special Music from Denmark July 8!

On July 8, please join us for a special musical performance by Christina Beltoft and Karina Stevenson. Christina studied at the Danish Royal Academy of Music in Aalborg, and received a degree in church music. Karina, the daughter of Howard & Ingrid Thomas, lives and works in Denmark. She sings at the local Lutheran Church where Christina leads worship.

Greg Rhodes is moving to China!

After 22 months of service at Messiah, Greg and his wife Heidi are moving to China to pursue Heidi's teaching career. He has been a wonderful member of our team and will be missed! A special reception will be held July 15 at the Messiah North.



July Food on the 4th Needs

July's collected items are going to Ridgefield Family Resource Center and Ridgefield's Neighbor Helping Neighbor Food Bank. The following is a list of their requests:

- One can meals: stew, chili, etc.
- Canned vegetables & fruits
- Canned meats
- Macaroni and cheese
- Box dinners: Hamburger Helper, Rice-a-Roni, Tuna Helper
- Optional: Ketchup, mustard & mayo



Of course, all of the other types of food, soaps and paper products that you so generously donate are welcome as well. This is the ninth year of the *Food on the 4th* program! Your continued support of this program is a blessing to the community. Thank you! Sorting will take place Monday morning July 23.

Wallowas Backpacking Trip Planned August 10–15, 2018

You can still 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.

Lunch with the Pastor

Sunday July 22, 2018 at Messiah North

All are welcome to join the Pastor for lunch at Messiah North from 11:00am-12:00pm. A hosted lunch will be provided upstairs after worship service. This is a great opportunity to learn about Messiah's mission & ministries, and how you can be a part of it!



Due to internet privacy issues for people's names, prayer requests are not published on-line.

Summer 9:30 Sunday Godly Play® for 3 Year-olds to 5th grade

The flowers on the altar at Hazel Dell this week were given by Pam Williams in honor of her birthday.

Combined weekend attendance: 248
Worship CD Ministry: Need to hear it again?
Check out a CD in the church office.