

Welcome to River Ridge!

If you have come as a visitor, we hope that you'll leave as a friend who's been blessed by worshiping God with us. We're glad you came and welcome you to join us again!

- To join a **Grow Group**, check our website to see the list of possibilities or speak to a pastor or to Jim Sedore, our Grow Group Coordinator.

Need WIFI? Select "RRCOV3", password is lovegrowserve

A note for parents:

A special welcome to you! We strive to be an intergenerational church, and strongly believe that children are gifts to be treasured.

- Please feel free to use the nursery during the service to meet the needs of your infants.
- During the entire service, nursery care for toddlers and classes for 3-4 year olds are offered but not required.
- Children's bulletins are available for young doodlers. You might want to sit at a table!
- K – 5th grade children are encouraged to come up for "Komments for Kids" during the worship, and then are invited to go to their own class for the remainder of the service.
- Middle School & High School students are invited to join the worship service. We believe that students have an important role in our church family.

All kids learn by example, so you are teaching them about worship.

If you are fired up about God, they will be too!

Office Hours: Tuesday - Thursday: 8 am—12 pm and 1 pm—3 pm
Fridays: 8 am - 2 pm

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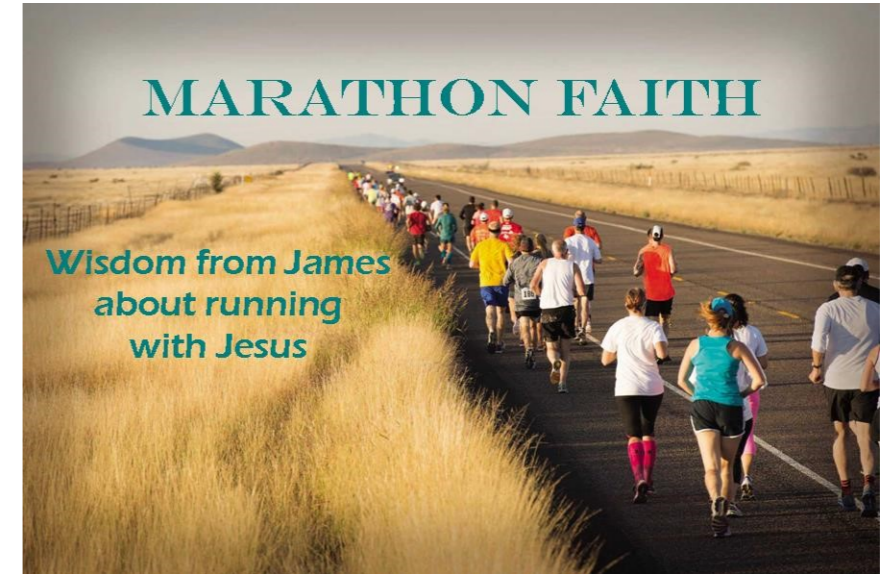
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At River Ridge Covenant Church, we believe that everyone is called to a lifelong, upward path of discipleship where we Love, Grow, Serve (repeat)



Sunday, July 2, 2017

10:00 am Worship Service

Offered throughout the services:

Infant/Toddler Nursery, and Mothers' Room

Dismissed from the main service after 'Komments for Kids':

3s—Pre K Class, Kids Club for K-2nd grades, Club 345 for 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades

Middle School & High School students participate in the main worship service.

The Joy of Running

Enduring through the trials of life

Pastor Brian Wiele

James 1:1-12

Worship Team: Jim Sedore, Laurie Jones, Greg Eastman, Paul Minor-Weeks, Mark Cook, Roger Jones, Chance Smith



Love - Grow - Serve (repeat)

We strive to be an intergenerational church of engaged, compassionate disciples. We'd love to serve you - and to serve with you!

This Week's Spotlight

Monday, July 3: (Office Closed)

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6:30-8:00 pm **No Middle School Ministry**

7:00-8:00 pm **Prayer Meeting**

Wednesday, July 5:

6:30-8:00 pm **No High School Ministry**

Friday, July 7:

6:45-8:00 am **Men's Morning Bible Study**

Saturday, July 8:

8:30 am **Shepherding Team**

Pass the word...

Parking Lot Closure— On Friday, July 14, the church parking lot is scheduled to be re-surfaced so the parking lot will be closed to all traffic for the entire day.

Thank You

Thanks for the prayers, the cards, the calls and the meals! Our church family has been such a blessing to me and I treasure each of your gifts. Thanks for all the encouragement as I recover from surgery.
Sincerely, Pastor Peg

Scrip—Please consider purchasing Scrip cards in the lobby for your shopping needs or as gifts. When you purchase our cards, the River Ridge Kids Ministries get a percentage of the proceeds. It costs you nothing over the price of the card. Questions? Speak to the person at the scrip table in the lobby.

Want a cushion?

Yes, our chairs are not very comfortable. But our wonderful quilting group has made a couple dozen cushions. Pick one up from the deck box in the back of the worship room, or ask an usher for one.

Family Support Center (FSC)—Diapers needed

Diapers can be placed in the FSC box in the lobby. Opened bags are also welcome. Monetary donations or checks, payable to "FSC" and noted 'for diapers', are also welcome. Questions? Contact Heather Birchman.

Upcoming RRCC Events

VBS Photographer needed!

Each day at VBS during the closing activities kids watch themselves on the big screen with pictures taken throughout the morning. We need someone who loves taking pictures, especially of kids to help us out at VBS this year. Email Pastor Peg for more info!

Office closure

The church office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4.

Parking Lot Work Party

Saturday, July 8 beginning at 9:00 am

The parking lot is scheduled to be re-surfaced Friday, July 14. To help get ready for that work, we need to do a bit of clean-up around the edges. The church is organizing a work party that will begin at 9:00 am, Saturday July 8th. Please join us! Please bring gas-powered weed wacker if you have one. We can also use rakes, push brooms, and tarps. Questions? Contact Dennis Anderson.

Needlers—Quilters: Next meeting Monday, July 10

Meeting the 2nd Monday and 4th Saturday from noon-4:00 pm

Our Quilters meet to make items for people with long-term illness or disabilities, new parents and local charities. Questions? Contact Pat Keeley or Rosalea Carslin.

VBS Volunteer Training & Dinner

Wednesday, July 19 at 6:00 pm

We'll have dinner in the sanctuary, followed by training for crew leaders, station leaders, and all youth volunteers.

Vacation Bible School (VBS)

July 24-28, for kids ages 4 through 5th grade

This year's VBS is "Maker Fun Factory—Created by God, Built for a Purpose". Invite your friends and neighbors! To learn more, or to register both kids and volunteers, check out our church website.

Church Potluck Picnic

Sunday, August 20

*4 pm at Woodland Creek Community Park
(next to the Lacey Community Center on Pacific)*

This will be a potluck so please plan to bring enough to share. Friends & neighbors welcome too!

Fall PACNW Women's Retreat!

*September 22-24, 2017 at Cascades Camp
in Yelm, WA*

If you are interested in attending the retreat, please sign up in the lobby, or contact Pastor Peg or the office. We will let you know of others going so we can room together as a church. The discounted registration fee expires July 2. It will be a great time to go as the speakers are Ruth Hill & her daughter Rebecca Worl. For more information, pick up a flyer in the lobby.

