

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

Summer Sermon Series



Sunday, July 31, 2016

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.

Mary Magdalene

Pastor Dan Meyerpeter

John 20:11-18

Worship Team: Justin Hamilton, Laurie Jones, Jim Sedore, Greg Eastman, Peter Savin, Roger Jones, Derek Stinson



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

Sunday, July 31:

6:30-8:00 pm **Grow Group Leaders' Meeting**

Monday, August 1: (office closed)

Tuesday, August 2:

7:00 pm **Prayer Meeting**

Friday, August 5:

6:45-8:00 am **Men's Bible Study at Hawks Prairie Cutter's Point** (drop-ins welcome)

Saturday, August 6:

8:30 am **Shepherding Team**

9:00 am **Youth Hiking Trip** (adults welcome too!)

Pass the word...

24/7 RRCC Prayer Line

A group of praying people are available to support an emergency 24/7 prayer line. Effective immediately, River Ridge has a 24/7 Emergency Prayer Line. Please call the 24/7 Prayer Line if you are in need of urgent prayer and the church office is closed. Yes, 24/7 includes weekends and the middle of the night. The contact person for this 24/7 Prayer Line is Pat Keeley. If you have an urgent prayer need, please call her cell phone.

Women's Bible Study

The Tuesday Morning women's bible study will resume September 27th.

If you are interested in helping to facilitate or lead Tuesday mornings, please contact Peg in the office.

Peg@rrcov.org.

Serving Opportunities—Please consider serving once every 4-6 weeks on one of the following teams.

You can also mention your interest on the back of the yellow connection card.

- **Coffee Team:** making coffee before the Sunday worship service and/or helping to clean up afterward. For more information contact Debbie O'Neill.
- **Usher Team:** Being a welcoming presence on Sunday mornings and helping with the service as needed. Contact Pete Reiner or Ginger Theibert.
- **Chair Team:** Set up chairs for the Sunday morning service on the Friday or Saturday before. Contact the office for more information.

Grow Groups at RRCC —Pick up a Grow Group flyer in the lobby. Many groups are having once a month get-togethers during the summer. It's a good time to try a group out.

Scrip Gift Cards—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.

Upcoming RRCC Events

Grow Group Leaders' Meeting—2016-2017 Kick-Off

Sunday, July 31, 6:30-8pm at Sedores' house

Current GG leaders, please call Jim Sedore to confirm. Anyone who is interested in starting a Grow Group, please contact Jim Sedore.

Help Needed

Tuesday, August 2, at 11:00 am and (if necessary) Thursday, August 4 at 8:00 am.

We are looking for assistance in removing and reinforcing the sound absorption panels in the sanctuary. If you can help, or for more information, please contact Joel Birchman.

Youth Hiking Trip

Saturday, August 6, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

We'll be hiking at Staircase in the Olympic National Park. Adults are welcome too! Bring a bagged lunch, water, and hiking shoes. For more information contact Pastor Dan.

Needlers—Quilters

Next meeting Monday, August 8, noon-4:00 pm

Our Quilters meet the 2nd Monday and 4th Saturday each month. They make items for people with long term illness or disabilities, new parents and local charities.

Questions? Contact Pat Keeley or Rosalea Carlin.

Middle School Lake Day

Tuesday, August 16, 4:00-8:00 pm

This will be a time of fun and fellowship as we play on water tubes, BBQ, and hang out. We'll be on Long Lake at the home of Roger & Laurie Jones. For more information contact Pastor Dan.

High School Lake Day

Wednesday, August 17, 4:00-8:00 pm

A time of fun and fellowship as we play on water tubes, BBQ, and hang out. We'll be on Long Lake at the home of Roger & Laurie Jones. For more information contact Pastor Dan.

Music in the Park

Wednesday, August 17, 7-8 pm at Sylvester Park in Olympia

Come early with your picnic!

There are some great *free* concerts on Wednesday nights at Sylvester Park in downtown Olympia. RRCC is gathering for the one on August 17 (7-8 pm) with swing music by *The Tickled Pinks*—a vocal trio and band. Come for just the concert... or come early with your picnic dinner, and be sure to bring a lawn chair. Pastor Brian will be there by 5:30 to rope off a section for River Ridgers.

Church Picnic!

Sunday, August 28—following worship

You bring the sides and we'll supply burgers and dogs and drinks. There will be games to play, food to eat and great fellowship. Some of the folks from the other churches that meet in our building will also be joining us for worship and the picnic! Don't miss out! Please sign up on our website, or call the church office to let us know you're coming —It helps us to plan accordingly.

Summer Schedule for Youth Group Events—Pick up a youth flyer at the info booth in the lobby for a schedule of the summer Middle School & High School meetings and events.