Welcome to Skykomish Community Church

a Word preaching, people loving community



Song(s)

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer There is no more for heaven now to give He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus For my life is wholly bound to his Oh how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken For by my side, the Savior he will stay I labor on in weakness and rejoicing For in my need, his power is displayed To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me Through the deepest valley he will lead Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven The future sure, the price it has been paid For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon And he was raised to overthrow the grave To this I hold, my sin has been defeated Jesus now and ever is my plea Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus For he has said that he will bring me home And by day I know he will renew me Until I stand with joy before the throne To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus All the glory evermore to him When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat: Yet not I, but through Christ in me! When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat: Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

I cast all my cares upon You. I lay all of my burdens Down at Your feet. And anytime that I don't know What to do, I will cast all my cares upon You.

- Next Communion: December 1st
 Next Potluck: December 8th
 Tree Lighting: December 7th @ Dark PM
 Christmas Eve Santa @ 6 PM Near Town Tree
 Christmas Eve Service: (after FD Santa)
 Offering: place in box on the north wall in the rear of the sanctuary, use PayPal donate button on website, Venmo QR-Code where available,
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Prayer Spotlight

Paul & Leslie Lanquist; Tanwax, WA Tanwax Country Chapel; Coastal NW District

Tanwax Country Chapel is on the beautiful Mountain Highway, 8 miles from Eatonville. We have a picturesque view of Mt. Rainier. The church has been serving the people in our area for over 35 years. The church is rural and draws people from about a half-dozen surrounding communities.





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PRAYER REQUESTS: Please pray for a 5-year-old girl in our church who has brain cancer and for her family. Pray that our church would support her family well. We are growing!





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This fall, we will start several outreach programs: Center Shot Archery Program for kids and one for adults, and One Scoop Ministry for junior high and high school students at the Ice Cream Shop. We have a new website up and running. Content includes weekly devotionals.

Song(s)

I come to the garden alone, While the dew Is still on the roses; And the voice I hear, Falling on my ear, The Son of God discloses. And He walks with me, And He talks with me, And He tells me I am His own; And the joy we share As we tarry there None other has ever known.

He speaks, and the sound Of His voice Is so sweet the birds Hush their singing; And the melody That He gave to me Within my heart is ringing. And He walks with me, And He talks with me, And He tells me I am His own; And the joy we share As we tarry there None other has ever known.

I'd stay in The garden with Him, Though the night Around me be falling; But He bids me go-Thru the voice of woe, His voice to me is calling. And He walks with me, And He talks with me, And He tells me I am His own; And the joy we share As we tarry there None other has ever known.

Immortal, invisible, God only wise, In light inaccessible Hid from our eyes Most blessed, most glorious, The Ancient of Days, Almighty, victorious, The great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting And silent as light, Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might; Thy justice like mountains High soaring above Thy clouds which are fountains Of goodness and love.

Great Father of glory, Pure Father of light, Thine angels adore thee, All veiling their sight; All praise we would render; O help us to see 'Tis only the splendor Of light hideth Thee!

Increasing in Wisdom and Stature Luke 2:41-52

Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the east and have come to worship Him." When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him.

And gathering together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for this is what has been written by the prophet: 'And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, Are by no means least among the leaders of Judah;

Matthew 2:1-23 (NASB) For from you will come forth a Ruler

- Who will shepherd My people Israel."
- Then Herod secretly called for the magi and determined from them the exact time the star appeared. And he sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search carefully for the Child; and when you have found Him, report to me, so that I too may come and worship Him."

After hearing the king, they went on their way; and behold, the star, which they had seen in the east, went on ahead of them until it came to a stop over the place where the Child was to be found. When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy. And after they came into the house, they saw the Child with His mother Mary; and they fell down and worshiped Him.

Then they opened their treasures and presented to Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And after being warned by God in a dream not to return to Herod, the magi left for their own country by another way.

Now when they had gone, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, "Get up! Take the Child and His mother and flee to Egypt, and stay there until I tell you; for Herod is going to search for the Child to kill Him."

So Joseph got up and took the Child and His mother while it was still night, and left for Egypt. He stayed there until the death of Herod; this happened so that what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet would be fulfilled: "Out of Egypt I called My Son."

Then when Herod saw that he had been tricked by the magi, he became very enraged, and sent men and killed all the boys who were in Bethlehem and all its vicinity who were two years old or under, according to the time which he had determined from the magi.

- Then what had been spoken through Jeremiah the prophet was fulfilled:
- "A voice was heard in Ramah,
- Weeping and great mourning, Rachel weeping for her children; And she refused to be comforted,
- Because they were no more."

But when Herod died, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt, and said, "Get up, take the Child and His mother, and go to the land of Israel; for those who sought the Child's life are dead." So Joseph got up, took the Child and His mother, and came into the land of Israel.

But when he heard that Archelaus was reigning over Judea in place of his father Herod, he was afraid to go there. Then after being warned by God in a dream, he left for the regions of Galilee, and came and settled in a city called Nazareth. This happened so that what was spoken through the prophets would be fulfilled: "He will be called a Nazarene."

Luke 2:39-52 (NASB)

And when His parents had completed everything in accordance with the Law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own city of Nazareth. Now the Child continued to grow and to become strong, increasing in wisdom; and the favor of God was upon Him.

His parents went to Jerusalem every year at the Feast of the Passover. And when He was twelve years old, they went up there according to the custom of the feast; and as they were returning, after spending the full number of days required, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but His parents were unaware of it.

Instead, they thought that He was somewhere in the caravan, and they went a day's journey; and then they began looking for Him among their relatives and acquaintances. And when they did not find Him, they returned to Jerusalem, looking for Him.

Then, after three days they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both listening to them and asking them questions. And all who heard Him were amazed at His understanding and His answers.

When Joseph and Mary saw Him, they were bewildered; and His mother said to Him, "Son, why have You treated us this way? Behold, Your father and I have been anxiously looking for You!" And He said to them, "Why is it that you were looking for Me? Did you not know that I had to be in My Father's house?"

And yet they on their part did not understand the statement which He had made to them. And He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and He continued to be subject to them; and His mother treasured all these things in her heart. And Jesus kept increasing in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and people.

Numbers 6:24-26 (NASB)

The LORD bless you, and keep you; The LORD cause His face to shine on you, and be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His face to you, and give you peace.