

Welcome to Skykomish Community Church

> a Word preaching, people loving community

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# Song(s)

### Next Communion: January 5, 2025

- Next Potluck: January 12<sup>th</sup>
- Christmas Eve Santa @ 6 PM
  - Christmas Eve Service: (after FD Santa-7ish)
  - 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, or mail to:

### Skykomish Community Church PO Box 56 Skykomish, WA 98288





Prayer Spotlight

Paul & Lynn Wager; Fairview, OR Fairview Community Church; Central West Coast District

We live in a beautiful area about 20 miles from the central Oregon coast and 10 miles from Coquille. The Coquille River runs close by. Our congregation is small but faithful! PRAYER REQUESTS: Please pray that our church will be a light in our community and share God's good news with those around us.





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## PRAYER REQUESTS: We are asking the Lord to bring new families to our church. Thank you for praying with us!

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News Spreads Luke 4:14-37

And Jesus returned to Galilee in the power of the Spirit, and news about Him spread through all the surrounding region. And He began teaching in their synagogues and was praised by all.

And He came to Nazareth, where He had been brought up; and as was His custom, He entered the synagogue on the Sabbath, and stood up to read. And the scroll of Isaiah the prophet was handed to Him. And He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

- "The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me,
- Because He anointed Me to bring good news to the poor.
- He has sent Me to proclaim release to captives,
- And recovery of sight to the blind,
- To set free those who are oppressed,
- To proclaim the favorable year of the Lord."

And He rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down; and the eyes of all the people in the synagogue were intently directed at Him. Now He began to say to them, "Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." And all the people were speaking well of Him, and admiring the gracious words which were coming from His lips; and yet they were saying, "Is this not Joseph's son?"

And He said to them, "No doubt you will quote this proverb to Me: 'Physician, heal yourself! All the miracles that we heard were done in Capernaum, do here in your hometown as well." But He said, "Truly I say to you, no prophet is welcome in his hometown.

But I say to you in truth, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the sky was shut up for three years and six months, when a severe famine came over all the land; and yet Elijah was sent to none of them, but only to Zarephath, in the land of Sidon, to a woman who was a widow.

And there were many with leprosy in Israel in the time of Elisha the prophet; and none of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian."

And all the people in the synagogue were filled with rage as they heard these things; and they got up and drove Him out of the city, and brought Him to the crest of the hill on which their city had been built, so that they could throw Him down from the cliff. But He passed through their midst and went on His way.

And He came down to Capernaum, a city of Galilee; and He was teaching them on the Sabbath; and they were amazed at His teaching, because His message was delivered with authority. In the synagogue there was a man possessed by the spirit of an unclean demon, and he cried out with a loud voice, "Leave us alone! What business do You have with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have You come to destroy us? I know who You are—the Holy One of God!"

But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be quiet and come out of him!" And when the demon had thrown him down in the midst of the people, it came out of him without doing him any harm. And amazement came upon them all, and they began talking with one another, saying, "What is this message? For with authority and power He commands the unclean spirits, and they come out!" And the news about Him was spreading into every locality of the surrounding region.

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.