

# Welcome to Skykomish Community Church

a Word  
preaching,  
people  
loving  
community





# ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Next Communion: April 6<sup>th</sup>
- Potluck Today: March 9<sup>th</sup>
- Annual Meeting: March 23<sup>rd</sup> after church
- Women's Bible Study on Esther at parsonage every Wednesday from February 5 to April 2 at 10AM and beginning again in May to complete the study
- 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

Steve & Lisa Rief; Redland, OR

Evergreen Community Church; Coastal Northwest District

Redland is in rural Clackamas County about 20 miles southeast of Portland. Most residences are on multiple acre lots and many have horses, livestock, or hay fields. This beautiful area was once home to vast berry farms; today Christmas tree farms and small ranches dot the area. Redland is primarily a bedroom community for the nearby metro area.



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## PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please pray for us as we reach out to the Redland community with monthly Family Fun Nights and our Free Zone Clothing Outlet, which is stocked with clothing and necessary items.

Pray for our ministry to women as we create gift baskets for mothers who choose life.



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Pray for continued unity among our church board and church body. Pray that we would humbly evaluate all we do by God's Word.



Same Seed; Different Result  
Luke 8:1-15



Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Soon afterward, Jesus began going around from one city and village to another, proclaiming and preaching the kingdom of God.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

The twelve were with Him, and also some women who had been healed of evil spirits and sicknesses:

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Mary who was called Magdalene, from whom seven demons had gone out, and Joanna the wife of Chuza, Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others who were contributing to their support out of their private means.



Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Now when a large crowd was coming together, and those from the various cities were journeying to Him, He spoke by way of a parable:

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

“The sower went out to sow his seed; and as he sowed, some fell beside the road, and it was trampled underfoot, and the birds of the sky ate it up.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Other seed fell on rocky soil, and when it came up, it withered away because it had no moisture.



Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Other seed fell among the thorns; and the thorns grew up with it and choked it out.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

And yet other seed fell into the good soil, and grew up, and produced a crop a hundred times as much.”

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

As He said these things, He would call out, “The one who has ears to hear, let him hear.”



Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Now His disciples began asking Him  
what this parable meant.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

And He said, “To you it has been granted to know the mysteries of the kingdom of God, but to the rest they are told in parables, so that while seeing they may not see, and while hearing they may not understand.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

“Now this is the parable: the seed is the word of God.



Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

And those beside the road are the ones who have heard, then the devil comes and takes away the word from their heart, so that they will not believe and be saved.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

Those on the rocky soil are the ones who, when they hear, receive the word with joy; and yet these do not have a firm root; they believe for a while, and in a time of temptation they fall away.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

And the seed which fell among the thorns, these are the ones who have heard, and as they go on their way they are choked by worries, riches, and pleasures of this life, and they bring no fruit to maturity.

Luke 8:1-15 (NASB)

But the seed in the good soil, these are the ones who have heard the word with a good and virtuous heart, and hold it firmly, and produce fruit with perseverance.





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.