


## KNOWING CHRIST


### Worship Services

**New To Gateway?** Need to make an appointment with a Pastor? Have questions about spiritual matters? Want to know more about Gateway? Our Hospitality team would love to meet you! Fill out a Welcome Card and place it in the offering box or scan the QR code.



 **Live Streaming Worship Services:** View our live-stream Worship Services on Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m. at [gatewayweb.org](http://gatewayweb.org), or on our Youtube channel, by searching "Gateway Church Washougal, Wa" or scanning the QR code.

## September Focus

 This month we're focusing on fellowship—spending intentional time with one another to build relationships, encourage each other, and grow together in faith. Check out our website for ways to take action or to fill out the service survey. Use the QR code for quick access.


**Worship Night:** September 28th from 6-7:00 p.m. This is a time to worship, emphasizing fellowship. Worship, sing & encourage!

### Pathways Class

Our adult education ministry (Pathways) provides classes for everyone who wants to learn more about the Bible and how to apply it to their lives.

**The Truth Project:** this *video seminar* continues Sunday evening from 6-7:30 p.m. in the upstairs conference room. Session 10: "The American Experiment - Stepping Stones" Paul Freiwald, facilitator. Please RSVP on Realm; the QR code on the right is a quick link to Realm.



 **James** takes us through the forging of Christian faith and character. Life isn't easy, but God uses challenge and hardships to shape us and make us stronger believers. This study starts September 28th at 3:00 p.m. Use QR code to register.

**Baptism Opportunities:** whether you have just made a decision to follow Christ or have been following for some time, you can get baptized! For next steps, talk to any pastor.

## GROWING TOGETHER

### Grow Groups

Grow Groups are the place we cultivate spiritually encouraging relationships. We desire everyone at Gateway to have a group to call their own—a place to feel at home. Get in a group! Create a group! Contact Pastor Gary at [gary@gatewayweb.org](mailto:gary@gatewayweb.org).

**The Annual Fall Church Picnic is today** at the Lacamas Lake Lodge, September 14th from 1:00-3:30 p.m. Bring a SIDE & DESSERT to share. Hamburgers and hotdogs and drinks will be provided.

### Women's Ministry

**Women's Bible Study:** Women's Bible Study is starting again! Please join us as we study "Luke in the Land: Walking with Jesus in His First-Century World" by Kristi McLelland. Books are free! We have groups meeting Thurs, 9:30-11:30 a.m. with childcare; and Fri, 10-12:00 p.m.



We also have a group meeting Wed, 2-4:00 p.m. studying Matthew 1, taught by Darlene Naffin.

**Bible Study Fellowship (BSF)** is a weekly, free women's bible study on Tuesdays 7:00-8:30 p.m. We just started a new study "Exile & Return, A Time to Build" please join us! Sign up at [joinbsf.com](http://joinbsf.com) or drop in any Tuesday night.

### Men's Ministry

There are many men's groups that have Bible study and fellowship activities. Find out more details on these groups by scanning the QR code to the left.



Contact Pastor Ken about joining the new men's group for spiritual encouragement: [ken@gatewayweb.org](mailto:ken@gatewayweb.org).

### Young Adults

**Young Adults** are meeting at Gateway each Thursday at 7:00 p.m. Text Jonalee at 541-400-0999 for more details.

## SHOWING GOD'S LOVE

### Partnerships at Gateway

We encourage everyone who calls Gateway home to find at least one other person to meet consistently for encouragement in following Jesus and reading God's Word. To be a part of Gateway is to be in partnership with others! Visit [gatewayweb.org](http://gatewayweb.org) or scan the QR code.



**Coffee Ministry:** If you are interested in volunteering for coffee service ministry, please contact Aria Boneski for more information, [aria@gatewayweb.org](mailto:aria@gatewayweb.org)

**Children's Center Volunteers needed:** We're looking for some volunteers to rock babies, share a Bible story, or just be a helping hand. Serve once a month or more; contact Katie: [gatewaychurchchildrenscenter@gmail.com](mailto:gatewaychurchchildrenscenter@gmail.com)

**Crop Share Table** is just outside the west doors. This is a place to bring the surplus from your garden or pick up goodies to take home. Everyone is welcome to take and enjoy what's available.

**Gateway 101:** If you're new to Gateway—or even if you've attended for years—Gateway 101 is a great place to find out who and what we're all about! You'll hear about: our beliefs (doctrine), our Purpose Statement and how it relates to everything we do, our many ministry programs, how you can get involved, and you'll also get a chance to meet many of our Pastors. September 21 from 1-3:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided. Only 4 spots left, use the QR code to see if there's still space!



### Devoted to Prayer

**Prayer Update:** Subscribe to our email Prayer Update for weekly prayer updates. Call the church office or email [gc@gatewayweb.org](mailto:gc@gatewayweb.org) to subscribe.

**PrayerLine:** Would you like your church family to pray for you? Call or email the church office at the address listed above and we will send out your request to our PrayerLine subscribers.

**Pray for Students and Schools** on Mondays at 9:30 a.m. in the Woman's Conference Room.

**Gateway Updates:** If you would like last-minute and emergency Gateway news updates sent to your phone, text the word "gateway" to 360-203-5535.



## Welcome to Gateway!

Thank you for joining us in worshipping God, studying the Word and being together. Whether you're new to Gateway or have been attending for many years, our passionate prayer is that our time together will grow your relationship with Jesus Christ as you experience the benefits of being part of a spiritual family. To find out more, please talk to our greeters in the lobby and visit [gatewayweb.org](http://gatewayweb.org).

## Children's Ministries

**Our Children's Center ministry** to preschoolers and toddlers is open for both the 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. services.

**Kid's Church** is for kindergarteners-5<sup>th</sup> graders during each worship service. Kids stay with their parents during singing and will be released before the sermon.

**Club W** is up and running for September! Club W is our Tuesday night outreach for elementary age kids where we explore God's Word and his World through Bible teaching and hobby-based "clubs." **Kids LOVE Club W!!** We run throughout the school year on Tuesday nights from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Gateway's office.

## Student Ministries

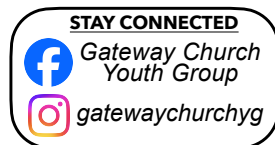
**Wednesday Night Youth Group:** Takes place most Wednesdays from 7-8:30 p.m. at Gateway. Games, understandable teaching, singing, and more designed to help students follow Jesus. All middle school and high school students are welcome! We are currently teaching through the book of Exodus.

**Student Small Groups:** Begin tonight, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Gateway. Sunday night Small Groups are the best place to get to know other students and leaders and spend time reading the scriptures together. All middle school and high school students are welcome. Bring a Bible!

**High School Students Serving Our Youth Group:** If you missed our meeting last Wednesday but still want to know how you can serve in our youth group this year, let Mathias know today and he can help you out.

### Key Upcoming Events:

- September 14<sup>th</sup>—Small Groups Begin
- February 13-16— Winter Camp 2025



## THIS WEEK AT *gatewaychurch*

### Sunday

9:00, 11:00 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m.  
6:30 p.m.

### Monday

7:00 a.m.  
9:30 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

### Tuesday

6:30 p.m.  
7:00 p.m.

### Wednesday

2:00 p.m.  
6:30 p.m.  
7:00 p.m.

### Thursday

9:30 a.m.  
7:00 p.m.

### Friday

10:00 a.m.

### Saturday

8:00 a.m.

### Sunday

9:00, 11:00 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m.  
6:30 p.m.

### September 14

Worship Services  
Church Picnic  
The Truth Project  
Small Groups for Students

### September 15

Men's Camaraderie Group  
Prayer for Youth  
Men's Activity Night

### September 16

Club W  
BSF (women)

### September 17

Women's Bible Study  
Mentor Prayer Time  
Youth Group for Students

### September 18

Women's Bible Study  
Young Adults group

### September 19

Women's Bible Study

### September 20

Men's Bible Study

### September 21

Worship Services  
Gateway 101  
The Truth Project  
Small Groups for Students

## Financials

### Online Giving:

- Use web browser: [onrealm.org/gatewaycommunit/give](http://onrealm.org/gatewaycommunit/give) or click the GIVE button on our church website.
- Enter amount, select fund, and enter your email address.
- Click Give, then add payment method.

### Text to Give:

- Text GatewayGive to 73256.
- Click the secure link in your text message response, then follow the prompts.

**Checks and Cash:** Find collection boxes in the auditorium and lobbies, or mail checks to the church.

Contact Danielle Carter, Financial Administrator, directly at 360-844-7501 or [danielle@gatewayweb.org](mailto:danielle@gatewayweb.org)

<b>General Fund Offering week ending 9/7:</b>	\$19,325
<b>General Fund Offering YTD:</b>	\$614,162
<b>General Fund Budget YTD:</b>	\$682,100
<b>Global Partner Offering YTD:</b>	\$47,301
<b>Global Partner Budget YTD:</b>	\$50,150

