Welcome to North Creek!

We're so grateful you are worshipping with us today! Our mission at NCPC is to Grow Deep in the Life of Jesus, Extend God's Love, and Share Christ's Hope. Join us!

Need Help? The Deacons provide assistance to the sick, needy and homebound. Send an email to the Active Care Coordinator, Jill Johnson at jilljohnson12@comcast.net

Prayer Chain: To join in praying for the needs of our church family, sign up to receive the prayer chain. To submit a prayer request, email Prayer@northcreekpres.org

Church Staff:

Kurt Helmcke, Pastor Brian Armes, Worship and Music Director Isaiah Esterline, Family Ministry Assistant James Kwon, Facility Maintenance Coordinator Johnson Pham, Custodian Kate West, Media Supervisor Kcristell Peña, Administrative Manager Kris Green, Bookkeeper Kristi Wiant, Accompanist

To subscribe to our weekly Connections email, scan the QR code or email Church@northcreekpres.org

Our Mission

We are cultivating a thriving community of faithful Christ-followers who:

- •Grow deep spiritual roots in a **life**-giving relationship with Jesus
- •Extend God's **love** by serving others with Christlike compassion
- •Share Christ's **hope** by making Him known near and far

Giving Update

Through October 2025

YTD expected: 654,400 YTD actual: \$661,769

YTD per capita received: \$6,199



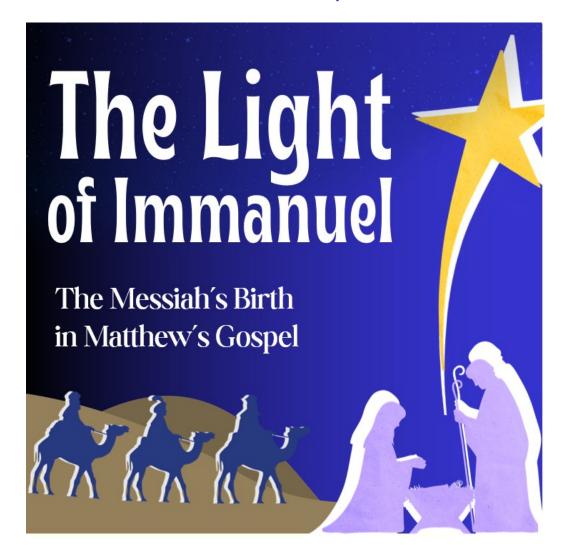
Thank you to those who contributed their household per capita amount. We deeply appreciate your generous support!



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DECEMBER 7, 2025



Time to Turn



December 7, 2025

Second Sunday of Advent: PEACE

Matthew 3:1-12

Praise

Call to Worship

Advent Praise

Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates (Weissel, Winkworth, Williams, Mason)

O Come, O Come Emmanuel (Neale, Coffin, Helmore) #123

Advent Candle Lighting

Choir Anthem

Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming (Purifoy)

God's Word

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Matthew 3:1-12

Message: "Time to Turn"

Pastor Kurt Helmcke

Our Response

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Come forward, receive elements, return to seat, eat bread as each is led, hold cup to partake together.

Tithes and Offerings

Christmas Grace (arr. Kern)

Prayer of Dedication

Praise

It Came Upon a Midnight Clear (Sears, Willis)

Benediction

Prayer Partners

Kay Bannister and Mary Oakley

Music Team

Vocals: Brian Armes, Joe Bohnen, and Julie Gleason

Piano: Kristi Wiant

Keyboards: Michael Little

Guitars: Brian Armes and Emily Ward

Bass: Isaiah Esterline Drums: Michael Little

Worship Leader: Kathy Hulet

Notes

WELCOME!

Hearing Assist Devices are available at the media desk in the back of the sanctuary.



You can give online by scanning the QR code, or place your offering in the plate during Tithes and Offering.

Join our guest Wi-Fi using the password: NCPCguest

UPDATES AND WEEKLY EVENTS

Communion Sunday - No Sunday School

Today, children will remain in the sanctuary and join their families in worship. The Nursery will be open for infants through pre-K.

Family Advent Service Project—This Afternoon

Children, Youth, and Parents: Join us for the Family Advent Service Project on December 7 at 4:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall as we support our unhoused neighbors. We're grateful for the many donations already received!

Christmas Concert on Saturday!

Join us for *Great Joy*, the North Creek Music Ministry Christmas Concert, next Saturday, December 13, at 7:30 PM (doors open at 7:00 PM). The North Creek Choir, with a chamber orchestra, will celebrate the Biblical Christmas story with familiar carols and newer favorites. This free concert is a wonderful way to share the joy of Christmas. Postcards are available in the Narthex.

Celebrate Christmas Eve with Us!

Join us on Christmas Eve for a joyful celebration of the birth of our Savior. We offer two worship opportunities:

- Family 5:00 PM Service A family-friendly service perfect for all ages.
- Traditional 8:00 PM Service A classic candlelight service with carols and reflection.

Both services are open to any and all! Come and share in the hope, joy, and wonder of Christmas at North Creek Presbyterian Church!

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM – Prayer Zoom: ID- 87334145891 PW- 871257

Tuesday

10:00 AM — Women's Bible Study (Zoom Availale) Zoom: ID- 88626438528 PW- 2021

7:00 PM — Worship Team Rehearsal 7:00 PM — Deacon Meeting Saturday

Wednesday

7:00 PM – "Great Joy" Christmas Concert

Sunday

9:00 AM— Discipleship Formation 10:00 AM— Sunday Service

7:30 PM- Choir Rehearsal