



CHURCH PROFILE



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CHURCH & CONGREGATION

Love, Live, Lead. This is the mission at Pathway Church, which was founded in the fall of 1993, holding services in two Graham locations for seven years until settling into a beautiful 10-acre property. Since then, the church has built the sanctuary (2009), fellowship hall (2014), and through God's provision are debt free! This includes \$80,000 worth of updates to furniture, sound systems, and building exteriors over the last 10+ years.

The sanctuary can accommodate over 200 people, with overflow seating in the foyer. The fellowship hall is a multi-purpose facility with a warmup kitchen used for events, children's ministry, and youth ministries. There is a third building used as an office/conference room. The rest of the five acres are well kept and include a playground, fire pit, BBQ, and picnic area for outdoor events and programs.

The church welcomes about 60 attendees on average each Sunday. The sermons are recorded live and published at 12pm on Sundays. Since January 1st of 2025, sermons on the church's Facebook page average around 150 views each week. There is a vibrant youth ministry that averages 15-20 students weekly. Pastors are supported by over 30 volunteers and ministry team leaders who manage the Children's ministry, Youth ministry, Worship Team, Life Groups, Community Outreach, Greeters, Tech, and a dedicated Prayer team. The people of the church are generous and welcoming; passionate about reaching and giving back to the community.

COMMUNITY

Pathway Church is in beautiful rural Pierce County, in the shadow of Mount Ranier, where Spanaway gives way to Graham. The church is located 10 miles from Tacoma and Puyallup, and roughly 40 miles from Seattle. This area experiences 10% growth every year, with new schools and new housing built within 10 miles of the church. Pathway Church is located within the Bethel School District, which consists of 39 schools serving 21,539 students. Pierce County is home to multiple public and private colleges and universities. Joint Base Lewis-McChord is 8 miles east, therefore, many residents are active-duty military, retirees, and civil servants. With large Amazon and Boeing facilities nearby, and as the home of the largest state fair, there is no shortage of opportunities to reflect the light of Jesus into these communities.

If you are an outdoor enthusiast, you'll enjoy many rivers, lakes, and hiking trails. The ocean is just a three-hour drive away. Crystal Mountain is one hour away if you enjoy skiing in the winter. If you prefer to hit the big city, we have major professional sports teams in Baseball, Hockey, Soccer, and Football. Further north is Seattle's famous Pike Place Market, which provides plenty of shopping for those who enjoy the Downtown scene.

PASTORAL CANDIDATES

Pathway church desires a pastor with the following qualities....

- **Prioritizes their relationship with Jesus** and models a vibrant spiritual life.
- **Gifted communicator and preacher**, with a heart to disciple the congregation.
- **Spirit-filled** able to listen and follow the prompting of the Holy Spirit.
- **Sets the Example** in integrity, moral courage, and godly living.
- **Humble Servant Leader** considering the needs of others and what's best for the Church.
- **Able to equip and empower** by identifying the gifts and talents in others.
- **Collaborative Spirit** building relationships to maximize impact.
- **Resilience and Perseverance** with faith, and a positive attitude to push through setbacks.
- **Lifelong Learner** continually seeking to grow and develop as a leader and pastor.

TO RESPOND

Those wishing to be considered should send a resume with a photo to the Regional and District Directors:

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