




# Welcome to Skykomish Community Church

The logo for Skykomish Community Church features a green outline of a church building with a steeple and a cross. To the right of the building, the text "Skykomish Community Church" is written in a green, sans-serif font.

a Word  
preaching,  
people loving  
community





**Do not be overcome by evil,  
but overcome evil with  
good.**

**(Romans 12:21)**

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**Skykomish Community Church**

**PO Box 56**

**Skykomish, WA 98288**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Potluck: Today, September 12<sup>th</sup>
- WOW: Time and Day TBD

## COVID-19 Update

69% of Washington Residents have received the first dose of vaccine as of September 9<sup>th</sup>; 61% are fully vaccinated, 73.2% of adults, 88.9% of seniors.



# Prayer Spotlight

Matt & Stephanie Van Gordon; OH  
Hartland Center Community Church

Hartland Center Community Church is surrounded by the farmland and rolling hills of northern Ohio, about 25 miles south of Lake Erie and halfway between Cleveland and Toledo. Agriculture, education, and the medical field are the primary industries represented in our



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congregation, but our proximity to the Lake and to urban areas allows for a wide variety of employment opportunities.

## PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Please pray with us that the people of HCCC will grow in the grace and knowledge of the





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Lord Jesus Christ, and that in our growing, we will reach out in love to our community.

- Pray for opportunity and creativity in outreach, as well as focus and commitment in discipleship through men's and women's Bible studies, Sunday School, and



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junior/senior high youth group.

- Pray that God will continue to strengthen our marriage and equip us to parent our children with joy and wisdom.





# Open Field Spotlight

## Sandy Valley Community Church

### Sandy Valley, NV

Please pray for the people of Sandy Valley Community Church as they wait for a full-time Village Missions pastor. Also pray for the 20 other churches in the U.S. and Canada that are waiting for a Village Missions pastor.



Romans 12:21

Overcome Evil with Good



Today's Text: Romans 12:21 (NIV)

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Genesis 50:19-21 (NIV) Joseph story

But Joseph said to them, “Don’t be afraid. Am I in the place of God? You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. So then, don’t be afraid. I will provide for you and your children.” And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them.

Romans 8:28 (NIV)

And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.



James 4:7,10 (NIV)

Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.... Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will lift you up.

## Galatians 5:13-26 (NIV)

You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love. For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: “Love your neighbor as yourself.” If you bite and devour each other, watch out or you will be destroyed by each other.

So I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.

## Galatians 5:13-26 (NIV)

For the flesh desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the spirit what is contrary to the flesh. They are in conflict with each other, so that you are not to do whatever you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

The acts of the flesh are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity and debauchery (excessive indulgence in sensual pleasures); idolatry and witchcraft; hatred, discord, jealousy, fits of rage,



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selfish ambition, dissensions, factions and envy; drunkenness, orgies, and the like. I warn you, as I did before, that those who live like this will not inherit the kingdom of God.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.

## Galatians 5:13-26 (NIV)

Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other.

Genesis 1:4,10,12,18,25,31 (NIV)

God saw that the light was good...

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God saw all that he had made, and it was very good...

Genesis 3:23 (NIV)

So the LORD God banished him (Adam) from the Garden of Eden to work the ground from which he had been taken.

Revelation 21:22-27 (NIV)

I did not see a temple in the city, because the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are its temple. The city does not need the sun or the moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and the Lamb is its lamp. The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their splendor into it.



Revelation 21:22-27 (NIV)

On no day will its gates ever be shut, for there will be no night there. The glory and honor of the nations will be brought into it. Nothing impure will ever enter it, nor will anyone who does what is shameful or deceitful, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life.

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## Communion: Matthew 26:26-29

While they were eating, Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take and eat; this is my body.”

Then he took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, “Drink from it, all of you. This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. I tell you, I will not drink from this fruit of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father’s kingdom.”

## Baptism: Matthew 28:18-20

“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”



## Baptism: Romans 6:3-4

Or don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?

We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

# Baptism

Baptism is the sign and seal of God's promises to his people, followers of The Way.

Through baptism Christ calls us to new obedience: to love and trust God completely; to forsake the evil of the world; and to live a new and holy life.

# Baptism

Brooklyn: For you Jesus Christ came into the world; for you he died; and for you he conquered death. All this he did for you, Brooklyn. We love because God first loved us.



Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)

The LORD bless you and keep you;  
the LORD make his face shine on  
you and be gracious to you; the  
LORD turn his face toward you and  
give you peace.



Ephesians 3:20-21 (NIV)

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.