

Welcome to Skykomish Community Church



a Word preaching, people loving community

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Next Potluck: Jan. 9th** 😊
COVID-19 Update

Date	September 16	December 15
% of total population fully vaccinated	62%	66.9%
% of total population with at least one dose	70.1%	74.3%
% of adults fully vaccinated (18+)	74.2%	78.3%
% of seniors fully vaccinated (65+)	89.3%	91.2%

To the Jews who had believed him, Jesus said, “If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”

John 8:31-32 (NIV)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Fire Department gift-giving; 6 PM on December 24th
- Christmas Eve Service; 5 PM, December 24th

Offering: place in box on the north wall in the rear of the sanctuary, use PayPal donate button on website, or mail to:

Skykomish Community Church

PO Box 56

Skykomish, WA 98288



Prayer Spotlight

Ken & Charlotte Schmidt; District Rep.
Coastal Northwest District

Stretching from Bellingham, WA, to Salem, OR, our district encompasses 25 Village Missions fields. We travel from the coast to the Cascades as we encourage our Village Missionaries and their church families, seeking to help them stand strong in the great work where God has called them. It is our privilege to serve each of them!



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PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please pray against burnout for those who have been dealing with COVID-related issues in the church and community; pray that local church bodies would build each other up and be the light that is desperately needed in their community.



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PRAYER REQUESTS:

Pray that candidates (new missionary pastors) would be placed on the right field for many years of fruitful service to our Lord.

Praise for the VM Associates (usually retired VM pastors) who serve the fields between full-time pastors.



Village Missions

Keeping Country Churches Alive

Open Field Spotlight

Broadbent Community Church Broadbent, OR

Please pray for the people of Broadbent Community Church as they wait for their next full-time Village Missions pastor.

Also pray for the 18 other churches in the U.S. and Canada that are waiting for a Village Missions pastor.

Exodus 11:1-10

Then You Will Know

Exodus 11:1-10 (NIV)

Now the Lord had said to Moses, “I will bring one more plague on Pharaoh and on Egypt. After that, he will let you go from here, and when he does, he will drive you out completely. Tell the people that men and women alike are to ask their neighbors for articles of silver and gold.” (The Lord made the Egyptians favorably disposed toward the people, and Moses himself was highly

Exodus 11:1-10 (NIV)

regarded in Egypt by Pharaoh's officials and by the people.)

So Moses said, "This is what the Lord says: 'About midnight I will go throughout Egypt. Every firstborn son in Egypt will die, from the firstborn son of Pharaoh, who sits on the throne, to the firstborn son of the female slave, who is at her hand mill, and all the firstborn of the cattle as well. There will be

Exodus 11:1-10 (NIV)

loud wailing throughout Egypt—worse than there has ever been or ever will be again. But among the Israelites not a dog will bark at any person or animal.’ Then you will know that the Lord makes a distinction between Egypt and Israel. All these officials of yours will come to me, bowing down before me and saying, ‘Go, you and all the people who follow you!’ After that I will leave.” Then Moses, hot with anger,

Exodus 11:1-10 (NIV)

left Pharaoh.

The Lord had said to Moses, “Pharaoh will refuse to listen to you—so that my wonders may be multiplied in Egypt.” Moses and Aaron performed all these wonders before Pharaoh, but the Lord hardened Pharaoh’s heart, and he would not let the Israelites go out of his country.

Exodus 1:8-10 (NIV)

Then a new king, to whom Joseph meant nothing, came to power in Egypt. “Look,” he said to his people, “the Israelites have become far too numerous for us. Come, we must deal shrewdly with them or they will become even more numerous and, if war breaks out, will join our enemies, fight against us and leave the country.” (See Exodus 11:1) [he will let you go, he will drive you out completely.]

Exodus 1:11-13 (NIV)

So they put slave masters over them to oppress them with forced labor, and they built Pithom and Rameses as store cities for Pharaoh. But the more they were oppressed, the more they multiplied and spread; so the Egyptians came to dread the Israelites and worked them ruthlessly.

(See Exodus 11:3) [The LORD made the Egyptians favorably disposed toward the people, and Moses himself was highly regarded in Egypt by Pharaoh's officials and by the people.]

Exodus 1:15-16 (NIV)

The king of Egypt said to the Hebrew midwives, whose names were Shiphrah and Puah, “When you are helping the Hebrew women during childbirth on the delivery stool, if you see that the baby is a boy, kill him; but if it is a girl, let her live.”

(See Exodus 11:4-5) [About midnight I will go throughout Egypt. Every firstborn son in Egypt will die...]

Exodus 1:22 (NIV)

Then Pharaoh gave this order to all his people:
“Every Hebrew boy that is born you must
throw into the Nile, but let every girl live.”

(See Exodus 11:7) [But among the Israelites not
a dog will bark at any person or animal. **Then**
you will know that the LORD makes a
distinction between Egypt and Israel.]

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.

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.