

# Welcome to Skykomish Community Church



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a Word  
preaching,  
people  
loving  
community





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So my soul  
Longeth after Thee.

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And I long to worship Thee.

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And a contrite heart  
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You desire truth  
In the inward parts  
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Lord my heart is  
Prone to wander  
Prone to leave  
The God I love  
Here's my heart  
Lord take and seal it  
Seal it for  
Your courts above

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Next Communion: April 5<sup>th</sup>
- Potluck Today: March 8<sup>th</sup>
- Board Meeting after church on March 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Game ~~Night~~ Day: March 28<sup>th</sup> @ 2PM @ Parsonage
- Women's Bible Study: Wednesdays @ 10AM @ Parsonage (108 Reginald Street)
- Offering: place in box on the north wall in the rear of the sanctuary, use PayPal donate button on website, Venmo QR-Code where available, or mail to:

**Skykomish Community Church**

**PO Box 56**

**Skykomish, WA 98288**



# Prayer Spotlight

Joe & Ana Levesque; Elk Creek, CA  
Elk Creek Community Bible Church

Elk Creek is a small, quaint community in a valley 1.5 hours north of Sacramento and near the Mendocino National Forest. Cattle ranching is our primary industry. We have a well-known restaurant in town and have been able to start friendships there. Ana and I love this community and have served for ten years so far.



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## PRAYER REQUESTS:

Pray for our church body to be creative and wise in finding more ways to reach our community.

Please pray for wisdom in offering more skills workshops as a ministry to our community.

Please pray for our sons in school and for our oldest son at college.



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## PRAYER REQUESTS:

Please continue to pray for our men's Bible study as it grows. It has become an incredible time of discipleship.



You intercede for me,  
While I am unaware.  
You sing all around,  
But I never hear the sound.

Lord I'm amazed by You.  
Lord I'm amazed by You.  
Lord I'm amazed by You;  
How You love me.

You paint the morning sky  
With miracles in mind.  
My hope will always stand,  
For You hold me in Your hand.

Lord I'm amazed by You.  
Lord I'm amazed by You.  
Lord I'm amazed by You;  
How You love me.

How wide,  
How deep,  
How great,  
Is Your love for me.

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Holy words long preserved  
For our walk in this world;  
They resound with God's own heart,  
O, let the ancient words impart;  
Words of life, words of hope,  
Give us strength, help us cope;  
In this world where'er we roam,  
Ancient words will guide us home.

Ancient words, ever true,  
Changing me, changing you;  
We have come with open hearts,  
O, let the ancient words impart.

Holy words of our faith  
Handed down to this age,  
Came to us through sacrifice;  
O, heed the faithful words of Christ'  
Holy words long preserved  
For our walk in this world;  
They resound with God's own heart'  
O, let the ancient words impart.

Ancient words, ever true,  
Changing me, changing you;  
We have come with open hearts,  
O, let the ancient words impart.

Martyr's blood stains each page.  
They have died for this faith.  
Hear them cry through the years;  
Heed these words and hold them dear.

Ancient words, ever true,  
Changing me, changing you;  
We have come with open hearts,  
O, let the ancient words impart.



# Parables Used to Reveal and Conceal

Matthew 13:1-23

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

On that day Jesus had gone out of the house and was sitting by the sea. And large crowds gathered to Him, so He got into a boat and sat down, and the whole crowd was standing on the beach.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

And He told them many things in parables, saying, “Behold, the sower went out to sow; and as he sowed, some seeds fell beside the road, and the birds came and ate them up.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

Others fell on the rocky places, where they did not have much soil; and they sprang up immediately, because they had no depth of soil. But after the sun rose, they were scorched; and because they had no root, they withered away.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

Others fell among the thorns, and the thorns came up and choked them out.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

But others fell on the good soil and yielded a crop, some a hundred, some sixty, and some thirty times as much. The one who has ears, let him hear.”

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

And the disciples came up and said to Him, “Why do You speak to them in parables?” And Jesus answered them, “To you it has been granted to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been granted.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

For whoever has, to him more shall be given, and he will have an abundance; but whoever does not have, even what he has shall be taken away from him. Therefore I speak to them in parables; because while seeing they do not see, and while hearing they do not hear, nor do they understand.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

And in their case the prophecy of Isaiah is being fulfilled, which says,

‘You shall keep on listening, but shall not understand;

And you shall keep on looking, but shall not perceive;

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

For the heart of this people has become  
dull, With their ears they scarcely hear,  
And they have closed their eyes,  
Otherwise they might see with their  
eyes, Hear with their ears, Understand  
with their heart, and return,  
And I would heal them.'

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

But blessed are your eyes, because they see; and your ears, because they hear. For truly I say to you that many prophets and righteous people longed to see what you see, and did not see it, and to hear what you hear, and did not hear it.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

“Listen then to the parable of the sower. When anyone hears the word of the kingdom and does not understand it, the evil one comes and snatches away what has been sown in his heart. This is the one sown with seed beside the road.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

The one sown with seed on the rocky places, this is the one who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; yet he has no firm root in himself, but is only temporary, and when affliction or persecution occurs because of the word, immediately he falls away.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

And the one sown with seed among the thorns, this is the one who hears the word, and the anxiety of the world and the deceitfulness of wealth choke the word, and it becomes unfruitful.

Matthew 13:1-23 (NASB)

But the one sown with seed on the good soil, this is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and produces, some a hundred, some sixty, and some thirty times as much.”



Numbers 6:24-26 (NASB)

The LORD bless you, and keep you;  
The LORD cause His face to shine  
on you, and be gracious to you; The  
LORD lift up His face to you, and  
give you peace.