

# ALL AGES CAN CONNECT, GROW, & LOVE

## Children

Register your child for HPPC activities at:  
[bit.ly/ChildrenMinistryRegistration](http://bit.ly/ChildrenMinistryRegistration) (case sensitive)

Nursery: Children under the age of 3 are welcome during Worship.

Sunday School: Mid-September to mid-June, after the Junior Sermon, children 3 years through 1<sup>st</sup> grade go to Room 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grades go to the Skylight Room.

Journey Kids' Club: October through May, grades 1-5 meet at the church on Wednesdays from 5-7 PM.

Kids' Zone: On Family Worship Sundays throughout the year and every Sunday during the summer, children 3yrs-1<sup>st</sup> grade are invited to the Skylight Room for fun activities.

## Youth (6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)

Caravan (6th-8th): Middle schoolers meet Mondays 6-7:30 pm.

Leader: Mitchel Pierce

Oasis (9th-12th): High schoolers meet Sundays 6-8 pm. Leader: Mitchel Pierce

Sunday Syrup: All 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to the Youth Room after the service each Sunday until 11:30 for pancakes and cartoons.

Leader: Mitchel Pierce

## Adults

Men's Bible Study: Meets Sep-Jun, Tues at 7:30 AM. Leader: Joe Bruce

Top of the Hill: Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Tue, Sep-May to hear presentations on various topics of interest. Contact Person: Heather Notske

Wednesday Morning Bible Study: Meets mid-September through May in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 AM. Leader: Jennie Barber

Women's Wednesday Bible Study: Meets weekly at 2 PM on Zoom.

Leader: Betty Rogers

HPPC Book Club: Meets Oct-Jun on the third Thursday. Leader: Marilyn Carosella

Women's Friday Bible Study: Meets weekly. Leader: Gladys Rivers

## Contact Us

We'd love to hear from you! Contact us at 509-448-2909, [hppc@hamblenpres.org](mailto:hppc@hamblenpres.org), or [www.hamblenpres.org](http://www.hamblenpres.org). **Email us to receive our e-news, *What's Happening at Hamblen* and follow us on Facebook for more info.** [www.facebook.com/HamblenChurch/](http://www.facebook.com/HamblenChurch/)

## This Week's Calendar

All events meet in person unless otherwise noted.

### SUNDAY, May 11

#### Mother's Day

#### Senior Recognition Sunday

9:30 AM In-Person/Online Worship Service

10:30 AM Coffee Fellowship

~~5:00 PM~~ **NO** Youth Band Practice

~~6:00 PM~~ **NO** Oasis Youth Group

### MONDAY, May 12

~~5:00 PM~~ **NO** Youth Band Practice

6:00 PM Bible Study Fellowship

~~6:00 PM~~ **NO** Caravan Youth Group

7:00 PM Creation Care Team (via Zoom)

### TUESDAY, May 13

7:30 AM Men's Breakfast & Bible Study (In Person & Zoom)

11:30 AM Top of the Hill

6:00 PM Scout Troop #313

6:00 PM F&A Meeting

7:00 PM Session

### WEDNESDAY, May 14

9:30 AM Wednesday Morning Bible Study

12:30 PM Formed in Faith Group

2:00 PM Women's Bible Study (via Zoom)

5:00 PM Journey Kids Club

7:00 PM Worship Band Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, May 15

9:30 AM Portable Projects

1:00 PM Personnel

1:30 PM Book Club

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

### FRIDAY, May 16

#### Church Office Closed

1:00 PM Women's Bible Study (via Zoom)

### SATURDAY, May 17

7:30 AM BSF Leader Meeting

1:00 PM Nifty Thrifty Women's Tea

### SUNDAY, May 18

9:30 AM In-Person/Online Worship Service

10:30 AM Coffee Fellowship

~~5:00 PM~~ **NO** Youth Band Practice

6:00 PM Oasis Year-End BBQ

## Worship in person & online

### Sundays at 9:30 AM

(online at [www.hamblenpres.org/live-stream](http://www.hamblenpres.org/live-stream))

growing active  
of followers  
of Jesus  
and Christ  
building his  
community



May 11, 2025  
9:30 AM

### New to Hamblen? Welcome!

The pastors would love the opportunity to get to know you over coffee! Later this spring we will hold a newcomer welcoming session where you can meet more people from our congregation and learn more about Hamblen Church. If you are interested in more information about getting involved in activities, becoming a member or want to indicate your interest in our upcoming newcomer welcoming session, please contact the church office at 509-385-0619 or email [HPPC@hamblenpres.org](mailto:HPPC@hamblenpres.org).

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## Order of Worship

Prelude	<i>He Has Made Me Glad</i>
Welcome	
Call to Worship	
*	<i>Praise Ye The Lord The Almighty</i>
*	<i>The Same Love</i>
Confession & Assurance	
Sharing the Peace of Christ	
*	<i>#821 My Life Flows On (verses 1, 3, and 4)</i>
Children's Sermon	
Afterward, children ages 3 through 5 <sup>th</sup> grade please meet your teacher at the back of the sanctuary.	
Anthem	<i>I Know I Been Changed</i>
Sermon	Focus Luke 4: 42-44
*	<i>They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love</i>
Prayers and Lord's Prayer	
Minute for Mission: Family Camp	
Offering	
Offertory	<i>Conquering the Grave</i>
*	<i>#826 Lift High the Cross (verses 1, 3, and 4)</i>
Benediction	
Postlude	

## Participants in the Service

**Worship Leaders:** Dr. Steve Watts, Heather Notske, Mitchel Pierce, Scott Dicken

**Head Usher:** Jack Harper **Ushers:** Judy Indorf & Liam Wright

**Greeters:** Bev Elmore, Judy Page

**Acolytes:** Evan Fague, Lillia Undeberg

**Baby Keepers:** Claire Fague, Claire Scruggs

**Choir Director:** Kyla Fague **Choir Accompanist:** Ann Seaburg

**Bell Choir Director:** Rev. Katie Haney

**Pianist/Organist:** John Conte

**Praise Band:** JoAnn Grennell, John Conte, Johnny Althoff, Joshua Taylor, Karen Brathovde, Sue Lienhard, Tom Lienhard

**Production:** David Marshall, Simon Scruggs

### Acolyte Training

Training for new acolytes is on Sunday, May 18 following worship.

## Announcements

### True North VBS: June 23-26

Join us as we learn what it looks like to trust Jesus in a wild world, exploring the ALASKAN WILDERNESS! At Vacation Bible school we'll play games, sing fun songs, practice wild science experiments, and learn more about who God is and how much He loves each of us!

It takes many helping hands for a successful VBS! This means it's all hands-on deck for Hamblen. See below to volunteer at VBS:

- June 23-26 (Mon-Thu), 9:00 AM-12:00 PM
- Family Celebration: June 26, 7:00-8:00 PM
- Register Here: <https://www.hamblenpres.org/vbs-registration>
- Volunteer Sign-up: <https://bit.ly/VBSvolunteers-2025>

Questions: [mitchelp@hamblenpres.org](mailto:mitchelp@hamblenpres.org) or 509-385-0623

### HPPC's Earth Care Team Helps Protect Our Environment

A team of twelve people have met twice to discuss how an Earth Care team could make a difference in the congregation, the neighborhood and the world, when it comes to the environment. We have discussed the possibility of collecting and recycling glass, batteries and plastic that the city doesn't recycle. We are educating ourselves on the efforts already going on in Spokane and how we can contribute to those efforts. We've also talked about ways we can raise awareness of this issue in the worship service, through liturgy and a possible liturgical season focused on the environment. If you are interested in taking a more active role in protecting the environment, call Steve Sparks at (509) 954-7705 or Katie Haney at (509) 840-3456 and we can send you the Zoom link for our next meeting.

**Next meeting: Monday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom.**

### Top of the Hill

Tuesday, May 13 from 11:30-1:00 PM we welcome a team from Thrive International, a local organization dedicated to empowering multicultural communities. Thrive provides temporary housing, education, and other programs for refugees in Spokane. We'll hear from staff members Melinda Manning, Pamela Thuswaldner, and Chelsea Segalla, and learn how their previous humanitarian and educational work prepared them for their roles at Thrive. We will also learn how we can partner with Thrive's efforts toward building flourishing communities in our city. RSVP by calling the church office or signing up on the clipboard in the lobby. Suggested donation of \$10 covers lunch.

### Nifty Thrifty Tea and Style Show, Next Saturday, 5/17

Ladies of all ages are invited for the *Nifty Thrifty Tea and Style Show!* Free event for all on Saturday, May 17 at 1:00 PM at HPPC. Sign up at the info table or by calling the church by Wednesday, 5/14.

### It's Kisses in May Time at Hamblen!

Members wearing their name tags get a kiss! The chocolate kind! Stop by the welcome table for your chocolate kiss all month. long!

## Announcements

### Senior Recognition

Congratulations to our graduating seniors! We know that it's been a long ride, with a lot of work to get to this point! Parents—mothers especially today—the years of love and care you have put in to form your student has been a joy to witness at HPPC. Everyone is invited to continue praying for these amazing students as they prepare to start a new chapter in their lives:

*Ella Althoff\**

*Samantha Ferney*

*Candace Grindley*

*Julia Notske\**

*Soryanna Taylor*

*Lauren Wallace\**

*Jacob Yinger\**

*Brayden Dunn*

*Ryley Fike\**

*Anna Mroch*

*Wyatt Scher*

*Hayden Wagenblast\**

*Kyle Wilkinson*

\*Denotes Senior Scholarship recipients

### Wednesday Morning Bible Study:

**Fakers, Faith, Freedom, Fruit: Core Messages from the book of Galatians**  
Theological, spiritual, and communal challenges threatened the health and vitality of the community the apostle Paul founded in Galatia. Paul offers four core teachings to guide the believers in Galatia back to the heart of the Gospel. Together we'll discover the ways Paul's passionate and direct words keep us rooted in the Good News of Jesus. Class meets every Wednesday at 9:30 AM in the Skylight Room April 23 - May 28.

### Shirts & Shorts Drive -THANK YOU!

Thanks to our congregation, we delivered 52 sets of shirts & shorts to Liberty Park Development Center. You have made many children happy with their new outfits!

## HELPFUL INFORMATION

Connect your hearing aid to our **HEARING LOOP** or ask for a hearing assistance device at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary. Ear plugs are also available.

A **SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER** is present the first Sunday of each month.

**KIDS' ACTIVITY BAGS** are available just outside the sanctuary.

A **FAMILY ROOM** for children needing a quiet space is located in the south hallway (follow the signs across from the sanctuary). A live video stream of worship may be viewed there as well.

A **CHANGING TABLE** is available there & in the family/unisex restroom in the south hallway.

In order to share God's Word beyond the walls of our sanctuary, we **RECORD** worship services to post online. Please be aware that your image and/or voice recordings may be used in our efforts to grow active followers of Jesus Christ and build his community. Thank you for being a part of our mission!