



# Welcome to North Point Church!

## Sunday Service, 8:30am

### November 30, 2025

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Today our congregation joins the throngs of Jesus followers around the world on a journey called Advent. We often think of Advent as a season to prepare for Christmas but it is much more than that. The ancient Christian calendar established Advent as a season to prepare for Christ's second coming. The title of our Advent sermon series is "Advent with Isaiah". We will use texts from the Prophet Isaiah to walk us through the Advent season. Our first sermon will focus us on Isaiah's promise that God will invite us to follow God's chosen one on a transformative journey. Isaiah 2:1-5 will be our guiding text. The following questions may help you reflect deeper on today's message:

1. Pastor Rob speaks of this text as an invitation to live in a new way, God's way. What "ways" in your life do you hear God inviting you on? What false ways have you been living in?
2. The man who was in the hot tub had an encounter with Jesus that transformed his life. Are you yearning for an encounter with Jesus and how can you act on that?
3. Pastor Rob spoke of the famous "swords into plowshares" passage as being a call to both personal and national transformation. What are the "swords" and "spears" that God seeks to turn into 'Plowshares' and "Pruning Hooks"?

### worship order of service

#### ***'Tis the Gift to Be Simple (Simple Gifts)***

**Advent Welcome**

**Advent Hope Candle Lighting**

**Announcements**

***Come Thou Long Expected Jesus***

***Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence***

**A Time for Confession**

***Come Let Us Go Up***

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord's Prayer**

#### **Welcome of Guests**

**End of Year Giving Presentation**

**Intro and Prayer for Offering**

***Give Thanks***

***Doxology***

**Advent**

Pastor Rob Wilson

***O Come O Come Emmanuel***

**A Charge & Blessing**

**Passing of the Peace of Christ**

***Prayer Partners will be available at the front right-hand corner of the sanctuary after service. Today's Prayer Partner's are Barbara Wilson and Tom Curran. They are here to offer you a listening ear and spiritual guidance. Don't hesitate to approach them for support and encouragement.***

## Announcements and Upcoming Events at North Point

**Olive Crest and Kitsap Foster Care Association Gift Tags** If you picked up a tag for Olive Crest, please return gifts to North Point by Sunday, November 30. Today, you can also grab tags for Kitsap Foster Care Association—those gifts should be unwrapped, clearly labeled, and returned by November 30.

**Volunteers Needed for Community Meal!** On December 2, from 2–7 PM local non profits, together with businesses and volunteers will be distributing a community meal from North Point. They will be serving a free traditional Mexican meal “to go” for NK students, families, and caregivers in need. Assorted desserts and resources from Fishline, KIAC, and PCHS will be available. Can you help for with 2-hour shift on December 1<sup>st</sup> or 2nd? Sign up to volunteer: <https://my.liberaforms.org/solidarity-kitchen-1>

**Men’s Breakfast, Saturday, December 6** The Men’s Breakfast group meets on the first Saturday monthly at 8am. Please join us as we enjoy prayer and conversation mixed with the smell of coffee and bacon. Contact Tom Curran at [tom@np-church.org](mailto:tom@np-church.org) with questions.

**Hometown Band Holiday Concert, Friday, December 12th, 7:30pm** Join us Friday, December 12 at 7:30 PM for a festive evening of music at our church! Under the direction of Mike Jauregui, the band will perform seasonal favorites—from Hallelujah Chorus to Minor Alterations: Christmas Through the Looking Glass—plus a premier of Indomitable Spirits by Dr. Stafford Miller. This free, family-friendly concert includes audience participation and plenty of holiday cheer! Learn more at [www.hometownband.org](http://www.hometownband.org).

**Take a Walk Through Christmas – Benefit for Fishline, Saturday, December 13th** We will begin with The Twelve Days of Christmas, then a short intermission with crafts, cookies, and fellowship. At 7pm we will begin a Christmas Choir Festival featuring Crosspoint Christian School Choir, True North, and our North Point Choir. After the music, stay for cookies and cocoa! Admission: a non-perishable food item or \$5 per family (benefiting Fishline). Want to help? Email Kate ([m.bode@comcast.net](mailto:m.bode@comcast.net)), Jill ([jillg9062@gmail.com](mailto:jillg9062@gmail.com)) to bake cookies or help with coffee and cocoa, or Alane to volunteer for everything else! ([alane@np-church.org](mailto:alane@np-church.org)).

**Children’s Make & Take Workshop, Sunday, December 7, 9:45am** All are welcome! We encourage kids to bring a friend for this fun annual tradition. Kids can create holiday gifts for family and friends with supplies that our Sunday School program will provide. Please arrive by 9:45am to allow enough time to finish before the end of the 10:30am service. Please contact Angel at [angel@np-church.org](mailto:angel@np-church.org) with any questions.

**Holiday Fellowship Project, Sunday, December 7, 9:45am** During our fellowship time between our 8:30am and 10:30am service, let’s spread holiday cheer by decorating and signing thoughtful Christmas cards for our senior friends in local care homes. This simple act of kindness will brighten their holidays and remind them they’re loved and remembered. Come share in fellowship and make a difference this season!

**Griefshare: Surviving the Holidays, Wednesday, December 10th, 6pm, Classroom 4** Join us at North Point Church on December 10 for Surviving the Holidays, presented by our GriefShare leaders. The holidays can be tough when you’re grieving—this one-night seminar offers practical tips and hope for navigating the season. For details or to register, email Randy Farmer at [rrfarmer012@gmail.com](mailto:rrfarmer012@gmail.com)



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### Session Elders

Tom Evans	Jann Stimac
Jeremy Kramer	Penny Stokke
Michael Perkins	Allen Timms
Claire Shields	Lani Curran, <i>Clerk of Session</i>

### Deacons

Jeanie Desnoyer	Paul Pegany
Janet Huston	Sharon Pegany
Dixie King	Bob Reister
Connie Lord	Brenda Steinsvik
Robin Kochanski	Kathy Summers

### Gifts

Your gift can be made to North Point Church by using the giving envelopes in your seat backs. These gifts can be dropped off in the baskets during offering or made online at [northpointpoulsbo.org/give/](http://northpointpoulsbo.org/give/)

### North Point Staff

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### Get In Touch

The church office is located inside the church building to the right of the lobby. Staff and volunteers are available on-site Monday to Thursday, 9am to 1pm. The office number 360.779.0800. The church office voicemail is checked daily. Please leave a message or email [info@np-church.org](mailto:info@np-church.org)