



Welcome to North Point Church!

Sunday Service, 9:30am

July 27, 2025

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We might be tempted to believe that the Psalm of Ascents, assembled by the Jewish people for their holy pilgrimages to Jerusalem were all joyous 'parade songs'. But Psalm 129 shows us a deeper purpose for these discipleship psalms: to come to terms with injustice in our world and our most difficult trials. The Psalmist calls us to reflect upon what it means to be born in exile and the painful realities of being born into a vulnerable and weak place. And as we shall discover on Sunday, this process of naming these realities contains a hopeful verse that points us to the cross. And there we discover that this well placed Psalm of Ascent is not intended to leave us hopeless, but

rather point us to God's redemptive rescue that was fulfilled on the cross of Jesus. The following questions may be helpful in your morning devotional time or a spiritual discussion with a spiritual friend.

1. How do you relate to being 'born into exile' as a Christian?
2. Pastor Rob had us name a situation, event, or relationship that we are in danger of being 'stuck in'. Share what that situation, event, or relationship struggle has been and how you may have become stuck in it.
3. As we are 'led to the cross', how does the ancient way of this imprecatory psalm challenge us to become unstuck by living the "Jesus way".

worship order of service

Sing Wherever I Go

Welcome

Thoughts on Worship

Your Love Never Fails

Praise You In This Storm

A Time for Confession

Hell or High Water

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Welcome of Guests

Ministry Partnership Moment: VBS & Olive Crest School Supply Drive

Intro and Prayer for Offering

Be Still My Soul

Psalm 129

Psalms of Ascent

Pastor Rob Wilson

Lead Me to the Cross

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. They are here to offer you a listening ear and spiritual guidance. Don't hesitate to approach her for support and encouragement.

Announcements and Upcoming Events at North Point

All-Church VBS Celebration – TODAY, July 27, 2025, ALL ARE WELCOME! Join us after service today to celebrate: delicious food & snacks, water games, and the epic Kickball Rematch you won't want to miss! Let's come together to worship, laugh, and celebrate all that God is doing through Road Trip VBS.

VBS Mission Project: School Supply Drive for Olive Crest As part of our VBS Road Trip adventure, we're collecting school supplies for our ministry partner, Olive Crest! The drive runs through August 7. Help support the kids' mission project by dropping off donations in the blue bin in the foyer. Let's bless students in need as we journey together! Visit our website for the list of most needed supplies: bit.ly/olivecrestsupplydrive

Grow in Faith — and Help Others Do the Same Join a new team at North Point focused on deepening faith and guiding spiritual growth in our community. Whether you're full of ideas, passionate about discipleship, or simply eager to grow, there's a place for you. Contact Jann Stimac at jann.stimac@gmail.com — we'd love to connect!

Men's Breakfast, Saturday, August 2, 8am The Men's Breakfast group meets next on Saturday, August 2 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 with questions.

All Church Campfire, August 3, after service Stick around after church on Sunday, August 3 for an All-Church Campfire! We'll enjoy s'mores, summer sunshine, and maybe even a singalong. It's a simple time of fun and fellowship—we'd love to see you there!

New Study Coming in October, 2025: "End of Days" – A Journey from Genesis to Revelation Join us for a transformative, year-long Bible study presented by First Fruits of Zion, exploring the "End of Days" through a Messianic Jewish lens. To register or learn more about October's class, call Sharron Clark 360-621-6932

Prayer Partners Needed God calls everyone to pray for their brothers and sisters in Christ as a gift they give to both themselves and the person they are praying for. If anyone feels God's nudge to pray out loud for others in the safety of a small group, consider joining our Prayer Ministry team in this important role. Please reach out to Robin Kochanski via email at essiegirl@wavecable.com or call 360-790-0392 with any questions.

Sunday Morning Coffee Crew Our Sunday morning coffee crew needs you! We are looking for volunteers to help on Sunday morning with coffee set up and take down. This once a month (or more) commitment is a great way to keep our staff and volunteers fueled up and our guests happy after service. You may be asked to serve an occasional snack! Please contact Pam Caudle at flannelpam@aol.com or 360.509.7902.

Make Sure You Are Included in Our Church Directory We will be printing a 2025-2026 directory in September. If you are not listed but would like to be included, please email Info@np-church.org with your information. If you need to update your information, visit bit.ly/npcdirectory. Enter your email address and choose "First Time Signing In? Create Login." If you submitted your email address as part of your listing, you should be able to create a login. You can only sign In If you are included In the directory.

NPC Youth Group Meets on Mondays, 5:30pm to 7pm Join friends, enjoy games and have a meal, together with our youth group. We meet at The Next Door Youth Center. Students 6th to 12th grade are all welcome. Please contact Anna at anna@np-church.org to let her know you are coming or to ask questions! *Please note we will not meet on Monday, July 28th.*

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/

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