

welcome

We're so glad you're here! Welcome to Chestnut Ridge Church! These are the highlights of what's happening in and around The Ridge. Should you need assistance, please stop by the info kiosk, where you'll find helpful people ready to answer your questions.

You can find more events and info at theridge.church.

March 31/April 1, 2018

Easter at The Ridge - Found

MESSAGE

Tim Haring

MUSIC

Giants

On My Heart

What a Beautiful Name

offering

Your generosity changes lives and makes outreach into the community, state and world possible. Thank you! You can give during the offering time, online at theridge.church/give, or by texting a dollar amount to 304-470-4078. If you're visiting with us, there's no obligation to do so today.

around the ridge

Environments for Everyone

Welcome to Easter at Chestnut Ridge Church! *It's our mission to lead people into a growing relationship with God and others*, and we do that by creating settings where people are encouraged and equipped to pursue those relationships.

The engaging music, the relevant messages, and the creative environments here at The Ridge have all been designed with you in mind. It's about having a place where you can feel comfortable, and take your next step—whatever that might be.

Starting Point

Are you giving church another try? Do you find yourself wondering about faith, God, forgiveness, Jesus or the Bible? Your curiosity deserves a conversation in a place where opinions and beliefs are valued, and no question is off limits. *Starting Point* could be the next step on your journey. Learn more at theridge.church/startingpoint, or stop by the info kiosk in the lobby after the service.

A Place for Kids

Ridge Kids has a place for every child during both Sunday morning services. *Ridge Kids* provides fun, safe, loving and age-appropriate places for your children to interact and begin growing in their relationship with God and other kids.

Nursery—birth-24 months

Preschool—2-5 year olds

Elementary—K-3rd grade

Verge—4-5th grade

A Place for Students & Young Adults

As students mature, experience life change and move into adulthood, the value of experiencing community, having fun, being able to discuss faith, and finding a place to ask questions in a changing culture is important.

Deviante—6-8th grade

Wired—9-12th grade

CRC Campus—college-aged students

A Place for Community & Life's Moments

The Ridge has a place for adults through every season of life. Sustained life change happens best in the context of community.

Short Term Groups—women, men, couples & parents

Mosaic [singles]—unmarried adults

Celebrate Recovery—hurts, habits & hangups

Divorce Care—divorce or separation

Grief Share—loss of a loved one

Financial Peace—biblical truths & finances

A Place for Partnership

As we grow in our relationships with God and others, we begin to gather, connect, serve, give and invite others to be a part of what's happening at The Ridge. Together, we are the future of the church and the community around us!

Serving—theridge.church/volunteer

Giving—theridge.church/give

Partnering—theridge.church/membership

A Place for Thanks

A special thank you to *Eloquence Antiques & Artisans* of Morgantown for providing the beautiful furniture used in the Easter photo sets displayed in the lobby, and to Dan Pauley for generously creating the remarkable on-screen animation used during the Easter services.

upcoming

To learn more about anything listed below, or other events, visit theridge.church/events.

next

Next
Apr 8 | after all services

CRC
campus

College: Sunday Lunch
Apr 8 | 12:15pm

GRIEF SHARE

Grief Share
Tuesdays | 6:30pm

DIVORCE Care

Divorce Care
Wednesdays | 6:30pm

wired
DEVIATE

Compassion XP
Apr 13-14 | 7 pm

NIGHT OF
WORSHIP

Night of Worship
Apr 29 | 5 pm



Night of Worship is a special event filled with music and singing at The Ridge! Bring the family, gather your friends, or invite your neighbor to join you. This event will take the place of the 5pm service, and all are welcome. Kids' programming will not be available, however we welcome children to enjoy the music, too!

April 29th
5 PM

theridge.church/NOW

beginning a relationship WITH GOD

THE PROBLEM—God is perfect and holy, and we are not.

| *For everyone has sinned; we all fall short of God's glorious standard.* – ROMANS 3:23

| *It's your sins that have cut you off from God.* – ISAIAH 59:2

THE SOLUTION—is Jesus, because of who he is and what he came to do.

Jesus was God in the flesh.

| *In the beginning the Word already existed. The Word was with God,
and the Word was God.* – JOHN 1:1

| *If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord [God] and believe in your heart
that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.* – ROMANS 10:9

Jesus died in our place and for our sin.

| *For God made Christ, who never sinned, to be the offering for our sin, so
that we could be made right with God through Christ.* – 2 CORINTHIANS 5:21

OUR RESPONSE—Place your trust in him.

| *For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that
everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.* – JOHN 3:16

| *But to all who believed him and accepted him [Jesus], he gave the right to
become children of God.* – JOHN 1:12

A simple prayer:

"Dear God, I know I have sinned against you, and that I need a Savior. I believe you sent your Son, Jesus Christ, to die on the cross in my place and for my sin, and that he rose again from the dead, defeating sin and death. Today, I'd like to place my trust in him to be my Savior. I claim the promise you made that whoever believes in him will receive eternal life and will become your child. I thank you, in Jesus name and because of what he did for me."

—all references are from the New Living Translation (NLT)—