

# Welcome

Welcome to *The Ridge*! This program includes highlights of what's happening around The Ridge. If you need assistance or have questions, please stop by the Info Kiosk in the lobby.

You can find more events and info at [theridge.church](http://theridge.church).

## December 1, 2019

Down to Earth-Part 1

### MESSAGE

Tim Haring

### MUSIC

Welcome the Healer  
Fullness  
Reckless Love

## Giving

Your generosity changes lives and makes outreach into the community, state, and world possible. You can give today during the service, online at [theridge.church/give](http://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. Thank you!

# Around The Ridge

## Jingle Jam

DEC 06

[chestnutridgechurch.com/jinglejam](http://chestnutridgechurch.com/jinglejam)

*Jingle Jam* is a high-spirited, interactive Christmas event, geared towards kids and families! Everyone is invited to have a jolly time celebrating the holidays at The Ridge on Friday, December 6th! We'll have concessions available beginning at 6pm, and the show starts at 6:30pm. Enjoy music, dancing, comedy, and videos! It's a FREE show—all are welcome!

## High School Hangout

DEC 05

[chestnutridgechurch.com/hangout](http://chestnutridgechurch.com/hangout)

High school students are invited to join us on Thursday evenings to hang out and have fun! There are activities for everyone to enjoy—play basketball in the gym, participate in activities upstairs, or catch the movie we'll have rolling! Join us on Thursdays at 6:30pm beginning December 5th. Invite a friend to tag along!

## Ridge College Sunday Lunch

DEC 08

[chestnutridgechurch.com/sundaylunch](http://chestnutridgechurch.com/sundaylunch)

If you're a college-age single adult, and you'd like to connect with others, you're welcome to *Sunday Lunch* on December 8th at 12:30pm! Ridge College meets up after the 11am service for a fun event with free food and good friends!

## Ridge Singles Christmas Party

DEC 13

[chestnutridgechurch.com/deckthehalls](http://chestnutridgechurch.com/deckthehalls)

Let's *Deck the Halls* at The Ridge! Invite your friends and join us for the annual Christmas event for singles! *Deck the Halls* will take place on Friday, December 13th at 6:30pm in The Ridge lobby. All adult singles are welcome to join us as we celebrate the holidays in style, so dress in your holiday best! We'll have delicious food, fun photo opps, live music, and giveaways! Find info and sign up at the link listed above.

## Ridge Students Christmas Party

DEC 15

[chestnutridgechurch.com/studentparty](http://chestnutridgechurch.com/studentparty)

Students in middle school and high school are invited to the *Ridge Students Christmas Party* on Sunday, December 15th at 4:30pm! Enjoy food, fun and games with your friends! Dress in your best Christmas gear—ugly sweaters and Santa hats are welcome! Bring a friend with you and don't miss out on this holiday fun! Let us know you'll be there at the link listed above.

# Christmas AT THE Ridge

Mark your calendars for the most wonderful time of the year! You are invited to *Christmas at The Ridge*! Bring your friends and family for a special candlelight service filled with holiday songs and the gospel message.

Thursday, December 19th at 6pm  
Sunday, December 22nd at 9am & 11am  
Tuesday, December 24th at 3pm & 6pm



## Christmas Cookies

If you enjoy baking cookies and sweets, and you'd like to donate dozens of your delicious treats for guests to enjoy during Christmas services, we'd love to hear from you! It's a fun activity you can do with others—invite your family, friends, or small group to serve together with you! Let us know what you're baking when you sign up at [chestnutridgechurch.com/christmascookies](http://chestnutridgechurch.com/christmascookies).



## Christmas Kids Programming

Everyone is invited to *Christmas at The Ridge*, and we aim to provide an enjoyable experience for all! There will be **limited children's programming** during all services. The Ridge Kids area will have rooms open for infants through pre-K only. Older children are encouraged to enjoy the Christmas services with their family!

# Upcoming



High School Hangout  
Begins Dec 5 | 6:30pm



Jingle Jam  
Dec 6 | 6:30pm



Sunday Lunch  
Dec 8 | 12:30pm



Singles Christmas Party  
Dec 13 | 6:30pm



Students Christmas Party  
Dec 15 | 4:30pm



Christmas at The Ridge  
Dec 19 | 6pm  
Dec 22 | 9am & 11am  
Dec 24 | 3pm & 6pm

[theridge.church/events](http://theridge.church/events)

# ABOUT YOU

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

- I am a first-time guest
- I prayed to receive Christ today

**I'm interested in taking a next step:**

- Starting a relationship with God
- Baptism
- Connecting
- Serving
- Bible and prayer
- Care groups
- Outreach
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Learn more about Chestnut Ridge Church at [theridge.church](http://theridge.church).

About my experience today/prayer requests:

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*This information is shared with pastors, staff & the prayer team unless box below is checked.*

PASTORS ONLY



Though Jesus was the Son of God and Creator of the universe, He chose to enter this world under amazingly modest circumstances—as a baby, born to an ordinary couple, and placed in a trough. The angels even announced His birth to the humble shepherds, not to civic or religious leaders. Although the details are simple, the birth of Jesus is remarkable.

This new series, *Down to Earth*, will explore how this extraordinary event has had an impact in all of our lives.