

Welcome

CHRISTMAS AT THE RIDGE

DECEMBER 19, 22 & 24, 2019

MESSAGE

Tim Haring

MUSIC

Joy to the World
Hark the Herald Angels Sing
O Holy Night
How Great is Your Love
Here Comes Heaven
Silent Night

Giving

Your generosity changes lives and makes outreach into the community, state, and world possible. You can give today during the service, online at theridgechurch.com/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

Welcome to The Ridge!

We're so glad you're here to experience our Christmas services! This program includes info about what's happening around The Ridge throughout the year. If you'd like more information, you can stop by the Next Steps area in the lobby or visit us online at theridgechurch.com.

Candlelight Service

One of the highlights of the Christmas service is the candle lighting. For safety purposes, flameless candles are provided for children under 13 years old. We ask you to use caution with hot wax, and please recycle all candles by placing them in the bins as you exit.

We're Live!

Grow your faith no matter where you are. Nothing compares to the experience of being at The Ridge on a Sunday morning. The powerful worship, inspiring messages, friendly faces, casual atmosphere, and great conversations—it all happens right here! But if you can't gather with us, we want to be available to you. Wherever you find yourself in life, we want to be your source of encouragement, inspiration, and support. We're only a few clicks away! Using your phone, tablet, or computer, you can watch the 9am & 11am services each Sunday at theridgechurch.com/live.

Environments for Everyone

The Ridge is an inviting church that loves leading people into a growing relationship with God and others. The music, the messages, and the environments here at The Ridge have all been designed with you in mind, creating a place where you can feel welcome and comfortable, have questions answered, and take a next step—whatever that might be.

A Place for Kids



Fun, safe, and age-appropriate environments for your children to interact and begin growing in their relationship with God and others.

- Nursery—birth to 24 months
- Preschool—2-5 year olds
- Elementary—K-5th grade

A Place for Students & Young Adults



Relaxed, welcoming atmospheres for students & young adults to experience community, have fun, discuss faith, and ask questions as they grow.

- Middle School—6-8th grade
- High School—9-12th grade
- Ridge College—college-age single adults

A Place for Community

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

- Community Groups—for you to connect and grow
- Short-term Groups—for women, men, couples & singles
- Ridge Singles—for unmarried adults
- Support Groups—for adults in any stage of life

A Place to Grow

As we grow in our relationships with God and others, we want to offer a place to gather, connect, serve, give, and invite others to be a part of what's happening at The Ridge.

- Next Steps—theridgechurch.com/nextsteps
- Connect—theridgechurch.com/connect
- Serve—theridgechurch.com/serve
- Give—theridgechurch.com/give

December 29th Services

Celebrate the end of 2019 at The Ridge! You're invited to join us for services at 9am and 11am on Sunday, December 29th. Enjoy an acoustic worship set and encouraging message to start your new year! Kids programming will be available only for infants through children in pre-K during both services.

Baptism Sunday

We love celebrating baptisms at The Ridge! Baptism is an important step for anyone that has placed their faith in Jesus. Services on Sunday, February 2nd, will include inspirational life stories and baptisms, as well as worship and an encouraging message. If you're interested in being baptized, or want to find out more about *Baptism Sunday*, stop by Next Steps in the lobby or visit theridgechurch.com/baptism.

Night of Worship

If you enjoyed today's music, join us for the next *Night of Worship*—a special evening of music, singing, and worship at The Ridge! Mark your calendar for Sunday, February 9th at 5pm. Bring the whole family and invite a friend!

End of Year Giving

Your year-end gift to The Ridge makes a difference in helping people grow in their relationship with God and others. All gifts must be received or postmarked by Tuesday, December 31, 2019. To ensure the deductibility of your church contributions, please do not file your 2019 income tax return until you have received a written acknowledgement of your contributions from the church in January 2020.

Upcoming



Christmas Services
 Dec 19 6:00pm
 Dec 22 9 & 11am
 Dec 24 3 & 6pm



Ridge Students Kick-off
Jan 5 | 4:30pm



Ridge Kids Fun Day
Jan 20 | 10am-12pm



Couples Groups
Jan 21 | 6:30pm



Singles Series
Jan 21 | 6:30pm



Baptism Sunday
Feb 2 | 9 & 11am



Night of Worship
Feb 9 | 5pm

theridgechurch.com/events

ABOUT YOU

Name _____

Address _____

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.

About my experience today/prayer requests:

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

PASTORS ONLY