



HEADWATERS
Church

NEWSLETTER

MAY 1, 2026

GENERAL EVENTS



GRIEF SHARE

 MONDAYS | MAY 4 – JULY 27  6:30PM – 8PM

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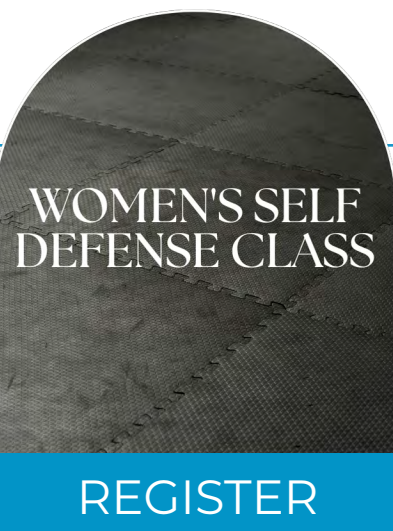
Grief Share is a special weekly seminar designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Our group is led by caring people who have experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead. We know it hurts, and we want to help. Questions? Email coverholt@headwaterschurch.org or call the church office at 260-489-4942.



GRADUATE SUNDAY

 DEADLINE: MAY 11

If you are a 2026 high school or college graduate, we would love to celebrate you! Please send your photo, school, and future plans to kboyce@headwaterschurch.org by Monday, May 11. We will recognize you in service on May 17.



WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENSE CLASS

 WEDNESDAYS MAY 20 - JUNE 24  6 - 8PM

 1ST FLOOR, KRAV MAGA ROOM (NEAR MEN'S RESTROOM)

Join Dave Watts, Glenn Claycomb, Damian Dunn, and Rachel Cole (certified Krav Maga instructors) for a 6-week Basics Course in awareness and self-defense. Each class stands alone, so come when you can—great for learning new skills or staying sharp! More details on Church Center!

GENERAL EVENTS



REGISTER

BLOOMINGDALE TEACHER APPRECIATION



DEADLINE TO DROP OFF MAY 3

Help us show appreciation for the teachers at Bloomingdale Elementary by stocking their mobile snack cart! When you register, you'll see a list of requested items to sign up for, including popcorn, cookies, chips, trail mix, bars, and candy.

Please drop off all items at the church office or Welcome Center no later than Sunday, May 3.

There are approximately 50 staff members to support.



YOUTH ECUADOR & GUATEMALA MISSIONS TRIP MEETING



MAY 16



3-5PM



SR HIGH YOUTH RM

We are excited to continue offering cross-cultural mission trips that help students grow in serving others and understanding God's love for all people.

Due to limited space in our Ecuador trip, we're adding a second option in Guatemala. Ecuador will be for students and leaders, while Guatemala will be more family-oriented and open to parents and younger siblings. Both trips share the same mission.

We will cover details at a required parent meeting on **May 16th from 3-5 PM** in the Sr. High Youth Room. **Attendance is required to be eligible to register for the Ecuador trip but does not guarantee a spot.**

GENERAL EVENTS



NEW MERCIES
MINISTRIES

REGISTER

NEW MERCIES VOLUNTEER TRAINING



MAY 16



8:30AM -12:30PM



BLDG 2

New Mercies equips local churches and volunteers to provide temporary child hosting, parental coaching, and supportive relationships – all rooted in the hope of the Gospel. Together, they help families move from isolation to community, from instability to thriving. This volunteer training is a great opportunity to get equipped, meet others, and learn how you can serve. Register [HERE](#)!

NEW MERCIES LUNCH & LEARN



JUNE 22 & JULY 29



12-1PM



BLDG 2

Headwaters Church family—New Mercies invites you to a Lunch & Learn! Enjoy a free lunch, hear updates from Bonnie Doolittle on the Supportive Housing Ministry, and tour Building 3 as it's being renovated into a shelter for women and families.

Come be encouraged, ask questions, and learn how to support vulnerable families. Space is limited—so sign up [HERE](#)!

YOUTH MOVING UP & MOVING ON



MAY 27



6:30-8PM



CHAPEL

Join us for a special evening as we welcome our new sixth graders into the youth group (“moving up”) and celebrate our graduating seniors as they step into a new chapter of life (“moving on”). This event is for everyone—students and parents alike! We'll enjoy a time of worship, give a free gift to those moving up and moving on, and wrap up the night with ice cream!



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MOVING UP & MOVING ON

SUMMER EVENTS



GO WEEK

 MAY 31 - JUNE 5

Don't miss GO Week this summer!

Students will be trained in evangelism and discipleship, hear from local leaders, and serve throughout our community—all while growing in their faith and having fun. GO Week is open to current 8th–12th graders. Cost is \$75 per student and includes meals for the week and a t-shirt. Students will stay at the church for the week (no vehicles or off-campus activities). This is a focused, missions-style experience, including a cell phone-free environment to help maximize connection, learning, and growth.

Questions? Email jdammeier@headwaterschurch.org



ARTSCAMP

 JUNE 15 - 19  9AM-2PM

ARTScamp is a five-day adventure at which students in grades 6th – 12th will explore the possibilities of creative expression and worship through the arts. We will probe our potential in music, theatre, movement, poetry, the visual arts, and more. The week will culminate in a performance showcase, open to the public.

BAPTISMS

This past Sunday, we joyfully celebrated baptisms! Baptism is a powerful symbol of a heart transformed by Christ. Each testimony reflected the truth that God has brought us from death in sin to life in Christ, fully forgiven by His grace (Ephesians 2:1-10).

*from death
to life*



KIDS 'N PRAISE *Performance*

The Kids 'N Praise choir performed their musical Star Quest this past Sunday evening—it was a wonderful night, with the kids learning over 25 Bible verses along the way. Rehearsals for our next musical begin in August, and we'd love for your kindergarten–5th graders to join us!



SUMMER: *Save The Dates*

GRIEF SHARE

 MAY 4- JULY 27

MOVE UP SUNDAY

 MAY 31

SENIOR HIGH GO WEEK

 MAY 31 - JUNE 5

ARTS CAMP

 JUNE 15-19

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

 JUNE 14

CHILD DEDICATION

 JUNE 21

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

 JULY 13-17

JUNIOR HIGH SUMMER RETREAT

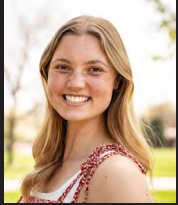
 JULY 30- AUG 2

WOMEN'S DAY AWAY

 AUG 1

ADDITIONAL INFO

MEMBERSHIP CANDIDATES



Kate Jefson



Bethany Pike



Jacob & Jamie
Tippman

NEW MEMBERS



Josh & Brandi Nealis



Constance Powless

SUNDAY Setlist

HOLY FOREVER
CHRIS TOMLIN

BUILD MY LIFE
PASSION

**COME THOU FOUNT OF EVERY
BLESSING**
CHRIS RICE

ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST
KINGS KALEIDOSCOPE

MAY 3

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

CANNED CORN
CANNED MIXED VEGETABLES
CANNED PEARS
BOXED MEALS
CRACKERS
SHAMPOO

Drop off at the Welcome
Center or Church Office.

SPECIAL GIVING OPPORTUNITY

PLAYGROUND UPGRADE



THE HEADWATERS CHURCH
PODCAST

NEW EPISODE:
**122 On Christ and the
Old Testament**

GIVING

General Giving Totals

Last Week	\$49,827
Weekly Budget	\$56,500
YTD Giving	\$920,781
YTD Budget	\$960,500
Attendance	1505

Amplify Giving

Last Week	\$233
Weekly Goal	\$9,615
YTD Giving	\$55,862
YTD Goal	\$163,455
Total Amplify Giving	\$3,630,296

Playground Giving

This week:
\$1002.59
YTD: \$131,097