# Reduced weight limits go into effect CLASS NOTES

Transportation (ODOT) will impose a lower load rating on the Hood River-White Salmon Interstate bridge effective March 3, the Port of Hood River announced in a press release.

As one response to the restrictions, piles of rock and other building material are now being placed on Lot 1, the property owned by the Port of Hood River adjacent to exit 63. The port is allowing rock haulers to temporarily stage, at no cost, the piles at that location now, as a way of avoiding higher costs of hauling the same amount of material once the new weight restrictions go into effect, according to Port Communications Director Genevieve Scholl-Erdman. She said some haulers had figured contracts for trucking the material across the bridge based on one set of weight allowances, and the increased numbers of trips would cause those costs to go up. So in some cases, the material is

The Oregon Department of being stored in advance at Lot 1 or at the port-owned Lower Hanel Mill property in Odell. So far, the port has four such contracts, according to Scholl-Erdman.

The new load rating is the result of a directive by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) requiring all states to evaluate the structural capacity of all bridges to carry Specialized Hauling Vehicles (single-unit trucks with closely spaced, multiple axles) and other load factors. Extensive structural analysis was carried out by ODOT's engineers in 2020 on the bridge as part of this nationwide effort. The bridge is a steel truss structure that is nearly 100 years old. ODOT's structural evaluation identified deficiencies in some bridge components that required the lower load rating.

The current maximum vehicle weight for the bridge is 80,000 pounds, or 40 tons. The updated load rating will affect most classes of trucks.



Rock piles are forming at Lot 1 in Hood River, one way the port is helping haulers offset potential increased costs of using the Hood River-White Salmon Bridge. Kirby Neumann-Rea photo

It will be posted at 24 tons for Type 3 vehicles, 32 tons for Type 3S2 and Type 3-3, 22 tons for the SU4, 24 tons for the SU5, and 25 tons for the SU6 and SU7 vehicles.

The port's bridge engineering firm, HDR, will immediately begin a detailed analysis of ODOT's structural evaluation to identify strengthening measures needed to restore the current weight limit, and the potential cost of such measures.

The engineering effort to determine if repairs are possible will take several

months," said Port Director Michael McElwee. "The port commission will then need to determine whether it is financially feasible to carry out those repairs." HDR may also recommend live load testing portions of the bridge which may reduce the extent and cost of structural upgrades.

Port staff have been in contact with local commodity haulers and shippers and will work to ensure that businesses impacted by this new weight limit are kept informed as the port's response actions are carried out.

# Linfield U. issues Dean's List names

Linfield University in McMinnville named these Gorge students to its Fall term Dean's List:

Courtney Castaneda, Elementary Education, Hood River Paris Green, Psychology, Hood River Lilly Ley, Nursing, The Dalles

Hector Hernandez-Sataray, Nursing, Hood River Andrea Quintana Morales, Biology, Hood River Rosario Rucoba, Journalism and Media Studies; Political cience, The Dalles

Arlette Santillan-Valdez, not declared, The Dalles To qualify, Linfield students must earn a 3.65 GPA on a minimum of 12 graded credits during the semester.

## University of Idaho announces Dean's list

These Gorge students have been named to the Fall term Dean's List at University of Idaho:

Ruby Dosier, Letters Arts and Social Science, Hood River Maria Keilman, Letters Arts and Social Science, The Dalles Luisa Meyer, Letters Arts and Social Science, The Dalles Ophath Silaphath, Health and Human Science, The Dalles Makena Zorza, Letters Arts and Social Science, Hood River Students must maintain at least a 3.5 GPA on a minimum of 12 graded credits during the semester.

### **Cranmer graduates from Fort Lewis College**

Ethan Cranmer, of White Salmon, graduated from Fort Lewis College in Durango, Colo. Cranmer graduated with a degree in GIS Certificate. Nearly 200 Skyhawks graduated from Fort Lewis College in a virtual commencement on Dec.

# Worship

**1ST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ODELL** 3081 Odell Hwy Pastor Rick Plank 541-354-1863 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Service 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. Wednesday Service 6 p.m.



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#### **BETHEL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Inclusive - Welcoming -Peace & Justice 480 East Jewett Blvd. White Salmon (509) 493-1747 Family Worship & Sunday School 10 am Taize - 2nd Wednesdays 7 pm Rev. Laura Robinson www.bethelwhitesalmon.org

# **CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

3350 Columbia View Dr. The Dalles., 541-296-2711 Sunday Worship 10am, Sunday Anchored H.S Youth 6pm, Tuesday Refuge M.S. Youth 6pm, Wednesdays AWANA Clubs ages 4 years through 5th grade

6pm. www.calvarythedalles.org

#### **CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY** 701 Washington St., The Dalles.

541-298-2711 Sunday service and Sunday School at 10 a.m. Testimony meeting last Wednesday of every month 7 p.m. www. christiansciencethedalles.org

#### **CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**

The Dalles Ward, Bishop Jason Corey, 541-296-6082; Sacrament meeting 10 a.m.; Missionaries 509-306-0016. 1815 E. 15th St., The Dalles.

# **CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

Kim Linder, Pastor 2168 Belmont Drive Church Office: 9 a.m. - Noon Phone: 541-386-2604 Website: www.hrnaz.org Sunday Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School – 11 a.m. Monday-Thursday Home Small Groups

#### **CONCORDIA EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELS**

Evangelical Lutheran Synod 11th & Pine • Hood River 541-386-4004 or 541-298-8385 Pastor Robert Lawson Sunday School & Bible Class 8:00 a.m. Divine Service 9:00 a.m. Office Hours: Wednesday www.concordiahoodriver.org

# **CORNERSTONE CHURCH**

1313 Mount Hood Street, The Dalles., 541-604-8986 Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. Sundays at 10:45 a.m. Building Blocks (k-5th), Agents of Christ (6th-12th Youth Group), Anchored Women's Bible Study, Wednesdays 6-7 p.m.

# **COVENANT HOOD RIVER**

Pastor Fritz Stranz 455 Frankton Rd. Hood River, OR 97031 Sunday Service 10:00 a.m. Service streamed on our website 541.386.8805 covenanthr.org

## **DUFUR CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

315 NE Harrison St., Dufur. 541-467-2257 Service at 10 a.m. See website for updates and to livestream service. www.dufurcc.org

#### **EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Nate Warren, 2819 W. 10th St. The Dalles, 541-296-2631 Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Sun. Eve. 6 p.m.; Bible Study Wed. 6 p.m., Student Ministry - 6th-12th grades Wed. 6:30 p.m.

#### **FAITH BIBLE CHURCH**

1889 Belmont, 541-386-3557 fbchoodriver@gorge.net www.fbchoodriver.org Pastor Chris Mullins - Sunday Worship Service 10:30am - 12pm Expository preaching Childcare provided 11:00 am We offer small groups/studies Call for times and locations.

# FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Pastor Zachary Patterson, 2810 W. 10th Street, The Dalles, 541-296-3586 Sunday Worship Service 10 a.m., Bible Study Sunday 9 a.m. FaithLutheranTD.com

# **FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Pastor Mike Wilson, 909 Court St. The Dalles, 541-296-6189

# Service 10:30 a.m. **FIRST UNITED**

**METHODIST CHURCH** Pastor Gigi Siekkinen, 305 E. 11th St., The Dalles. 541-296-4675 Worshipping ONLINE at 11 am SundayJoin by Zoom See our website or Facebook link thedallesumc.org facebook.com/DallesFUMC Email: thedallesumc@gmail.com

# **GATEWAY CHURCH (ECO)**

John Geiter Pastor 1111 Dry Hollow Rd, The Dalles, 541-298-8531 Sunday Worship 9 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. www.gatewaypc.org Services live-streamed through website

# **GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH**

2 Services 9 am and 11 am with live streaming at 9am on our website No children's church or nursery at this time. PO Box 1098/ 1280 W Jewett Blvd White Salmon, WA 98672 www.Grace-ws.org 509-493-2597

#### **HOOD RIVER ALLIANCE CHURCH**

2650 Montello Ave - Hood River Worship service times are Saturday evening 6:30pm, Sunday mornings 9:00am & 10:45 am 541-386-2812 hralliance.org

#### **HOOD RIVER CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Evangelist GW Cliver 903-426-8064 9:45 Bible Classes 10:45 Services Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 541-386-2782

#### **HOOD RIVER VALLEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

(Disciples of Christ) Pastor: Rev. Alicia Speidel 975 Indian Creek Road Hood River, OR 97031 541 386-2608 Currently gathering for worship on Face Book 10:30am Sunday For more information, please check church website: www.hoodrivervalleychristian

church.com or email:

hrvcchurch@gmail.com

#### **HOUSE OF GRACE**

114 W. Jefferson, Bingen Sunday Service 10 a.m. "Come experience the presence of God" 509-493-1145

#### **HUSUM COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD**

Sundays Sunday School....9:30 a.m. Worship...10:45 a.m. Several Weekly Bible Studies Call for information and locations Church -- 493-2724 Pastor Tom Culp

#### **IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

305 9th St. 386-3046 Pastor Jeff Mueller www.ImmanuelHR.org Sunday Morning Schedule Adult Bible Class 8:45 a.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Children's Church 10:00 a.m. Nursery Care 9:45 a.m.-11:15 a.m. Small Groups All Week Check our web page above for all the details Sr. High Youth Group Saturdays @ 6:30 p.m. Middle School Youth Group Fridays @ 3:30 p.m. "It's all about RELATIONSHIPS!" Please join us!

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#### **LIFE IN CHRIST CENTER** (ASSEMBLIES OF GOD)

Pastor Allen Refsland, 3095 Cherry Heights Rd, The Dalles, 541-296-1136 Sunday School and Adult Life Groups 9 a.m., Sunday Worship Celebration 10:15 a.m. Wednesday night activities include: Kids clubs, Youth and Adult classes all starting at 6:30 p.m. See more info at www. christcenter.net

LYLE CELEBRATION CENTER 715 Washington St., Lyle 509-365-3971 Pastor Les Haarstad Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service -- 10:30 a.m. Youth & Small Groups -- 6 p.m. Wednesday -- 6:30 p.m. Bible Study Children's Ministries (K-5)

#### **MAUPIN COMMUNITY CHURCH** Pastor Tim Morelli,

490 Fifth St., 541-395-2653 Sunday School, 9:00 a.m. with Sunday Worship, at 10 a.m. Youth Group Wed. 6 p.m.; Women's Bible Study Thurs. 10 a.m.; Men's Breakfast Fri. 7 a.m.

#### **MID-COLUMBIA CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Pastor David Astin, 206 6th St., Dallesport, Wash., 509-767-4901 Sunday Worship, 11 a.m., 6 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Wednesday 7 p.m.

#### **MID-COLUMBIA UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP**

Online Worship Sunday at 10 a.m. Religious Exploration for Children and Youth Email mcuufl@gmail.com for a link to the online service Rev. Judy Zimmerman Info: (541) 241-6771 or mcuuf.org Justice. Inclusion. Compassion. A Welcoming Congregation

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4th & Van Nuys (by grade school) Services Carl Casey, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study, Mon. 9:30 a.m. Call 541-352-6913 or 541-490-6673 for further details.

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# **QUAKERS, RELIGIOUS**

**SOCIETY OF FRIENDS** Mt View Worship Group 601 Union St, The Dalles Meets via Zoom on the 1st and 3rd Sundays at 10:00 am Check out our website: Quakersinthegorge.com We are a non-programmed worship group under the care of Multnomah Monthly Meeting Contact person, Jeff: 541-490-6006

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## **ROWENA BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor George Clark, 5964 Hwy 30 West, The Dalles (Rowena), 541-296-5933 Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday Worship, 10:45 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Wed. 9:30 a.m. Good News Club Thurs. 4:30-5:30 p.m. - School Year - at Church.

#### **RUFUS BAPTIST CHURCH**

Interim Pastor Scott Holliday, 309 Wallace St., Rufus, 541-739-2328 Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Sunday Worship, 11 a.m., Sunday Evening 6 p.m.

#### **SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST** New Location: 3339 E. 13th St.

Adventist Elementary 541-298-1956 Services: Saturday, 11 A.M. Wednesday, 7 p.m. Pastor David Woodruff

# **SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**

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#### 340-953-1372 **SHEPHERD OF THE VALLEY**

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Lt. Raymond Morris, The Dalles, 541-296-6417 Sunday Coffee fellowship 10 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.

#### **TUCKER ROAD BAPTIST**

Pastor Dean E. Kelly, Jr. 1455 Tucker Road Hood River, OR 97031 541-386-1049 – Sundays – Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

#### - Wednesdays -Prayer Meeting 10 a.m. **UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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