



SENIOR PASTOR INFORMATION

NOVEMBER 2023



WELCOME

Edgewood Church is a Christ-centered and Bible-believing church in a neighborhood bordering Edmonds and Lynnwood, Washington. We are committed to worshiping God, teaching His Word, and making disciples for Jesus Christ. We believe the historical, evangelical doctrines of the Christian Faith. Our denominational affiliation is with Converge Worldwide (formerly known as the Baptist General Conference). We believe that Jesus Christ is the source of forgiveness, salvation, abundant living and eternal life.

Our goal with this document is to provide a brief overview of who we are to those considering serving as Senior Pastor at Edgewood.

To find out more about Edgewood, visit us at www.ebc-edmonds.com.

WHO WE ARE

PEOPLE

EDGEWOOD IS

A neighborhood church located in Edmonds, Washington (avg member drive time is 14 mins)

Affiliated with Converge Northwest (regionally), formerly Baptist General Conference, and Converge Worldwide (nationally)

Missions-driven in our make-up

Diverse

Debt Free

PAID STAFF

Senior Pastor

Pastor of Worship & Family

Pastor of Spanish Ministry

Ministry Assistant

CONGREGATION

Average Sunday worship attendance of 175 between both English & Spanish-speaking services

Children's ministry

A wide range of backgrounds, nationalities, ages and educational levels

Over 15 nationalities are represented



A congregation-elected group of members that meets at least once a month

Pastors also serve on the board

Ex-officio board members:

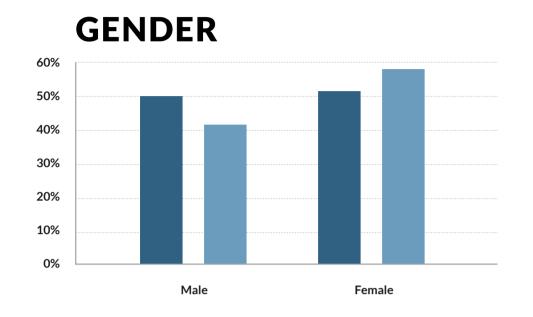
Church Chairman - moderates all business meetings of the church

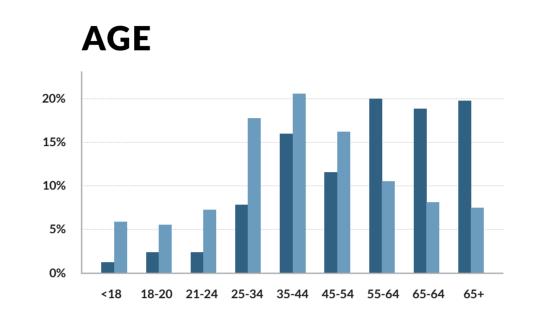
Church Vice-Chairman - serves as the leader of the stewardship and budget committee

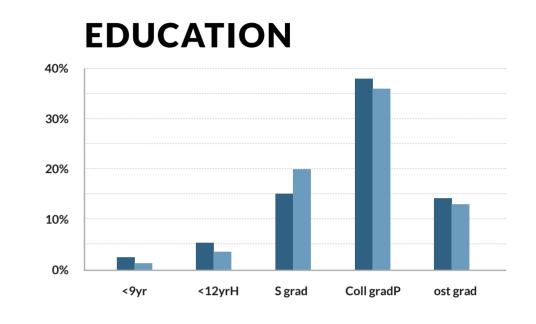


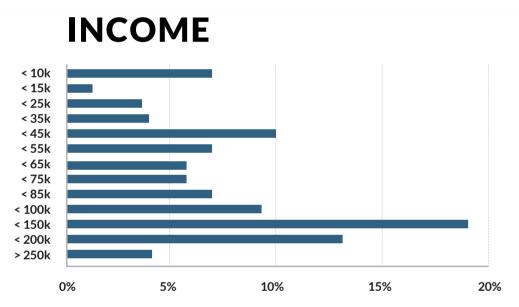
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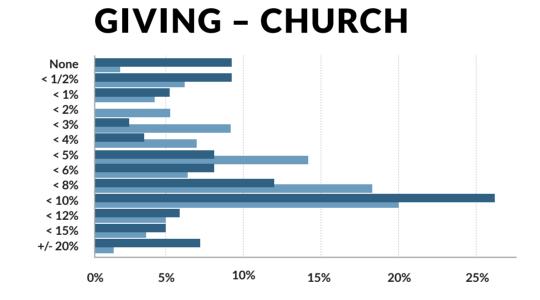


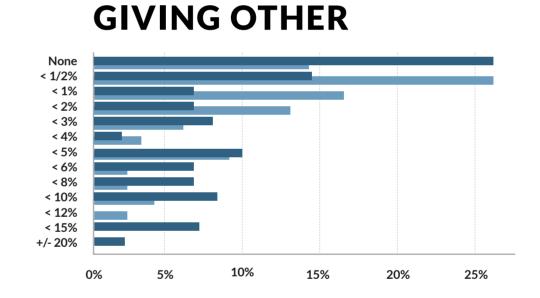


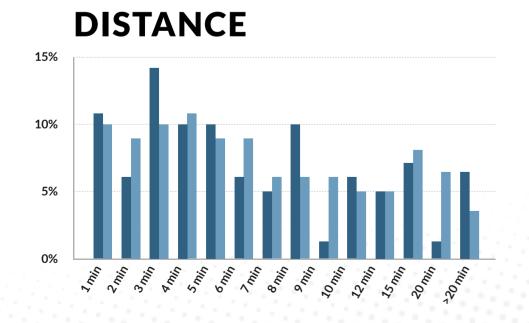


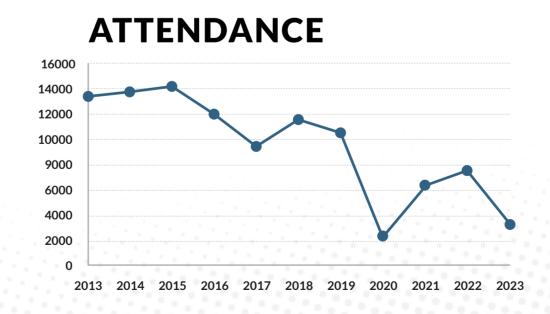


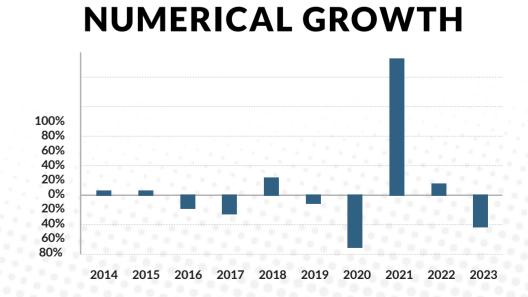












MINISTRIES

WORSHIP

Psalm 29:2 says, "Honor the Lord for the glory of his name. Worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness." Here at Edgewood, worshiping the LORD encompasses everything we do. When we join together as a body to lift up His holy name, our hearts are strengthened and His word goes forth in clarity and power. There are many opportunities to honor the Lord through worship, from contemporary bands to the spoken word. Our heart's desire is that we would engage with God as we corporately worship "in spirit and in truth." John 4:24

MISSIONS

Edgewood has a strong commitment to supporting missionaries working in unreached communities.

Our goal is to allot 20% of general fund giving to missions, and we will be doing a pledge drive this year to help us reach that goal.

We currently support 13 full-time missionaries/mission organizations.

SPANISH-SPEAKING

Our mission is to proclaim the gospel of Jesus Christ to Hispanic families in the area through the preaching, teaching, discipleship, service to the community and fellowship in Christ, so they can come to the knowledge of the one true God and their lives can be edified upon the foundation which is Christ Jesus.

We offer Sunday services at 1 pm in Spanish. A discipleship program takes place weekly on Wednesdays on fb live.

On Sundays at noon we offer two different Sunday School classes and childcare.

The children's Sunday School takes place at 1 pm during our worship service for kids from 2 years to 6 grade in Spanish.

Women's Bible study is offered on Tuesdays and weekly prayer meetings on Fridays at 7 pm.







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ADULT

To be in "community" with other believers is an essential part of the adult ministries at Edgewood. There are several opportunities for spiritual growth through Life Groups, Sunday School classes, Bible Studies, and Concerts of Prayer. It is our desire to provide ongoing growth opportunities that will hopefully engage the Edgewood community to become disciples who make disciples through the process of spiritual multiplication.

STUDENT

Our approach is to teach young people the word of God in a way that can help them establish an individual and intimate relationship with God. At the same time, we have events together with nine other churches in the surrounding area to worship together, pray, share the Word of God and have games as well.

CHILDREN

Proverbs 22:6 says "Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it." At Edgewood Church, the Children's ministry is a definite priority. Our desire is to raise up the next generation of believers by training and equipping our children to know Jesus Christ, and to enter into adulthood with a Kingdom mentality. Our passion is to present a children's ministry that is not only fun and engaging, but one that promotes a long-term spiritual growth in the lives of our children.







FACILITIES & RESOURCES

PROPERTY

Campus property on 3.75 acres
11,792 square foot building
450+ occupant sanctuary

Approximately 10 classrooms also used by local co-op school Arrow Prep Academy for daily operations

SANCTUARY

450+ occupant sanctuary

CLASSROOMS

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GYMNASIUM/ MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM

Used for weekly Edgewood activities

Used on Sunday mornings by MOSAIC, another local church for Sunday services

Used by Talk Time Ministry to Edmonds Community College students for weekly outreach groups for their foreign student population











LOCATION

ABOUT OUR AREA

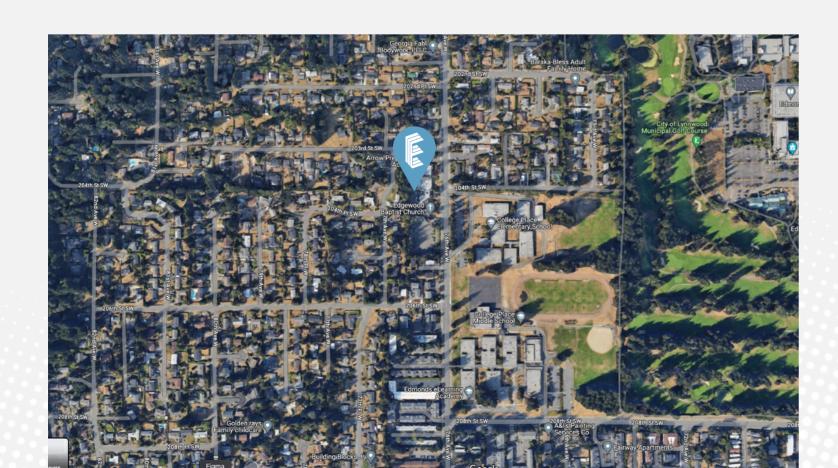
Edgewood was founded in 1960 in Edmonds, Washington, a city of 40,000 people, located in the Pacific Northwest, 15 miles north of Seattle along the waterfront of the Puget Sound.

About Edmonds

LARGEST EMPLOYERS

Amazon – 90,000 employees
Boeing – 60,244 employees
Microsoft – 58,400 employees
University of Washington – 51,849 employees
Providence Swedish – 22,771 employees

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COST OF LIVING*

Edmonds	
Median home price:	\$729,046.00
Median rent:	\$2,217.00
Lynnwood	
Median home price:	\$588,650.00
Median rent:	\$1,790.00
Brier	
Median home price:	\$765,258.00
Median rent:	\$2,327.00
Mountlake Terrace	
Median home price:	\$583,024.00
Median rent:	\$1,773.00
Everett	
Median home price:	\$564,543.00
Median rent:	\$1,716.00

*Edmonds's housing expenses are 62% higher than the national average and the utility prices are 6% higher than the national average.

Transportation expenses like bus fares and gas prices are 23% higher than the national average.

ABOUT OUR AREA

THE REGION

Located in Snohomish County, Edmonds is bounded by Puget Sound on the west and Lynnwood and Mountlake Terrace on the east. To the south is the city of Shoreline and north is an area of unincorporated Snohomish County.

While the city itself has an irregular border, it has a well-defined downtown area with a quaint small town look and feel. This includes a movie theater, a variety of restaurants and shops, and a stunning waterfront with parks and marinas. It is home to the headquarters and retail facility of Rick Steves' Europe Through the Back Door, a well-known PBS series by the same name. Edmonds is also the east terminus for the cross-sound ferry run between Edmonds and Kingston on the Kitsap peninsula.







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AREA LIVING

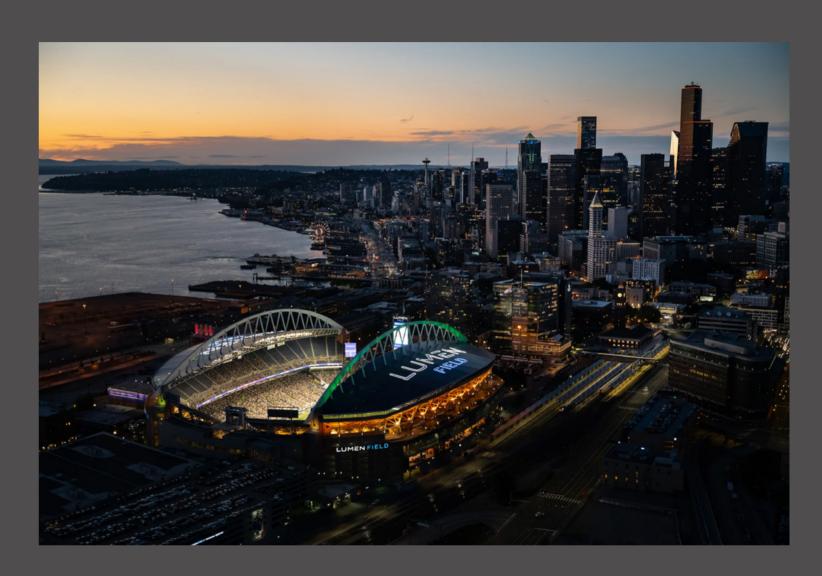
There is a wide range of housing options in Edmonds and the surrounding area from expensive waterfront homes and view properties to condos and apartments, as well as more affordable housing in close proximity to the church.

Nearby Seattle has major league sports including the Seattle Seahawks, the Seattle Mariners and the Seattle Sounders and recently added Seattle Kraken hockey team. College football in the area includes the University of Washington Huskies.

Well-known and respected medical facilities include the Fred Hutch Cancer Center, UW Hospital, Swedish Hospital, and others. Swedish Edmonds Hospital, within one mile of the church, is Edmonds' largest employer.

Snohomish County's largest employer, The Boeing Company, has its commercial airplane assembly facility just north of Edmonds at the Everett plant. Final assembly for the majority of Boeing's commercial airplanes occurs there, as well as development of military aircraft and components of the SLS and Artemis space program.







HOW YOU CAN BECOME OUR SR. PASTOR

INFORMATION

Edgewood Church is currently seeking a Senior Pastor for their congregation. Located in Edmonds, Washington, this faith community is home for two separate congregations. One of these is Spanish-speaking with their own pastor, and the other is in English.

Edmonds is located along the shore of Puget Sound, just 15 miles north of downtown Seattle. The church of 175 attenders is seeking a Senior Pastor with excellent preaching skills and an emphasis on the Biblical text; a man who is relationally warm, involved in the local community, has a clear vision and possesses good leadership skills.

Applicants should contact our search team consultant, Dr. William Ankerberg at **billa@converge.org** for next steps.

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