

# Embrace Your Welcome at N-Sid-Sen!

We are so excited to welcome all our campers for a full and robust 2022 camping season! As Managing Director, Mark Boyd, regularly says, "This is YOUR camp," and your camp and the beautiful potential of community found in this place is make richer by your presence.



**Awesome,  
Low-Tech Fun**

**God's Inspiring  
Creation**

**Meaningful Connections  
with Peers & Leaders**

**A Place of  
Welcome & Respect**

**Open Space to Laugh,  
Learn, Sing, Play,  
and Pray Together**

## Faith-Based Immersion Experiences

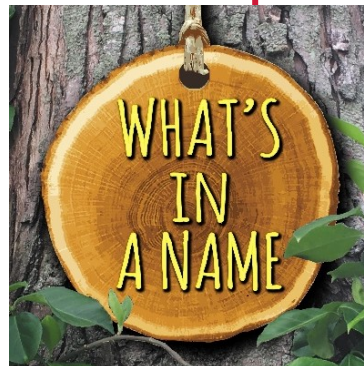
Life is fast, and it only appears to be getting faster. In the midst of everything with which we fill our lives, sometimes our faith, richer connections with others, and breathing deeply in God's natural world fall by the wayside. That's why it is so important to embrace opportunities like summer camp at N-Sid-Sen to immerse ourselves in the gifts that await if only we slow down, truly connect with others and intentionally seek something different... for a time.

## Our Leadership is Key

Our entire caring team, from managing director to experienced volunteer session directors and chaplains, trained cabin leaders, certified health care & waterfront staff, and the site hospitality team are dedicated to creating a safe and welcoming environment for our campers. They provide positive leadership and guidance, and are screened and trained in accordance with our Safe Conduct procedures. In addition, they receive job-specific training and support appropriate for their position.

## Theme: What's in a Name?

Our summer theme is "What's in a Name?" We know names have great power! Some hold special meaning, and some come with expectations. This summer, we'll look at how the people of the Bible confronted expectations, confounded others' assumptions, and forged new identities. As we explore, we will be reminded that God knows us beyond any name we might be called and invites us into relationship.



**Early Bird  
Deadline:**

**Friday,  
April 15**

## COVID-19

*Protocols for Summer 2022 may change as the situation evolves and will be shared as they are adapted. Specifics are posted on our website.*

- All staff and campers are required to be fully vaccinated. The only exceptions will be for those with a medical exemption.
- Masking will be required in specific situations.
- Testing protocols will be in place.

## Meals

Our meals are camper-friendly with lots of fruits and vegetables. Many of our entrees and breads are lovingly made from scratch. We serve three nutritious meals and one snack daily. In addition to our regular meal offerings, a breakfast bar is available in the morning, and a salad bar at lunch and dinner. Partnering with parents, and **with advance notice**, we strive to accommodate special dietary needs whenever possible. Contact our office at 208.689.3489 to discuss options.

## Questions?

## Want to learn more?

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## Lodging

We have three distinct styles of lodging. Our youth camps stay in our traditional cabins. Our family camps stay in all three styles:

**Cabins:** Twelve cabins with a centrally located shower house. Each has bunkbeds for 8-12, windows, electricity, and a curtained changing area.

**Ford Cabin:** Built in the 1926, this building includes beds for 4 (one twin, one double, one bunkbed), a great room, small kitchen, and restroom.

**Spirit Lodge:** With 12 sleeping rooms, this lodge accommodates up to 32 in single and double beds. Single-use restrooms are located in the hallways. The first floor of Spirit Lodge is fully accessible.

## Transportation

We realize that N-Sid-Sen is a 5-6 hour drive from the Greater Seattle-Tacoma area, but it's worth it! And there are some intriguing options.

- Carpool with friends and family.
- Encourage your congregation to organize carpools.
- Plan a getaway to Coeur d'Alene, Spokane or any of the many inviting towns and nearby recreational areas before, during or after your camper's session.
- Leave the driving to us!

**Van transportation** to and from N-Sid-Sen is available for our full-week youth camps. For Kids Camp, 1-way transport to N-Sid-Sen is available. The primary van departs and returns to First Congregational Church in Bellevue. Additional vans may be added based on need. Details about transportation will be included in the Parent & Camper Guide.



- **Van space is limited.**
- **Reservations will be taken on a first come, first served basis.**
- **Sign-up and pay online.**
- **Fee: \$75 one-way  
\$150 roundtrip**



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*Point  
of  
Inspiration*

## About Us

N-Sid-Sen is a camp and retreat center of the Pacific Northwest Conference of the United Church of Christ (UCC). The UCC is a mainline protestant denomination, which promotes the respect and acceptance of all God's people - no matter their country of origin, race, age, gender identity, sexual orientation, or religious background.

Our name comes from the Coeur d'Alene people. It means "**Point of Inspiration.**"

Established in 1935, N-Sid-Sen has served thousands of children, youth and adults through summer camp and year-round retreat experiences. Nestled along the shores of Lake Coeur d'Alene among nearly 300 acres of woodlands, creeks and meadows, our facilities provide unique opportunities for exploration, growth, and renewal to groups of 16 to 150 participants. Our guests and campers come from a wide variety of backgrounds, faith traditions and community groups.