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Church News

Book Club, September 9, 2023

Anne Frank Remembered by Miep Gies

Led by Shirley Engerbretson

The Free Library located in the front of the church is in need of books for kids and young adults as well as paperback novels. Please note, some hardback books are too large to fit on the shelves. Thank you for your donations!

Social Ministry

Thank you for the food donations in July and August. We took 3 boxes that were left to the Boise Rescue Mission along with a bag of hotel and misc. toiletries. We also took many egg cartons and some donated cat food to the Meridian Food Bank. Last of all we took a bag of pop tabs to Ronald McDonald House who recycle them and purchase food with the proceeds. Thanks for remembering the hungry each month!

Christian Life Study group will begin a new year of thought-provoking reading on Monday, September 11 at 1 PM. Amending the Christian Story by Ron Rude.

The Christian Life Study group normally meets the first and third Mondays, beginning at 1PM via Zoom. For the Zoom link contact Mary Rickerd.

Our Daily Bread Cookbook Pre-orders

*Cookbooks will arrive in September. You can pre-order your cookbooks after church each Sunday in the narthex. Cookbooks are \$15 each, payable by check or cash.

*Our Daily Bread is a collection of member recipes in celebration of our 60th anniversary as a church community. The cookbook is a great way to support the church and to learn about different cultures' cuisine.

*If you are interested in ordering a cookbook, please stop by the narthex after church on Sunday.

The Owls will meet on Tuesday, September 19th at 11:30am at Casa Mexico on Fairview and Five Mile.

Hosts are needed for Synod Council Members for October 6 & 7, 2023

The Northwest Intermountain Synod Council will be meeting at King of Glory on October 6 – 8. They are meeting prior to and after the Installation of Bishop Meggan Manlove on October 7. The Synod is looking for 5 hosts to welcome Synod Council members into their homes on the evenings of October 6 and 7. The Synod prefers rooms with good beds, linens, and towels with privacy; so no sofas or college futons. They would also appreciate having members stay 2 nights in the same place. Please contact Cathy Steiner if you are able to help at: cathy.steiner@nwimsynod.org

What is a Blue Room?

It is coming soon to King of Glory!

A Blue Room is a place for our neighborhood police officers to take a break during their days of patrolling. We would like to also offer them snacks and a place to enjoy a cup of coffee or a bottle of water. The former cry room/chapel has been repainted (thanks to Ron Nearman). It is now ready for decorating.

We need one comfortable chair (we already have a love seat) and some accessories such as a:

- blue lamp shade
- blue throw pillows
- any appropriate wall hangings with some shades of blue, if possible.

We also need a:

- small microwave oven
- Keurig coffee machine
- Small refrigerator

In the future and on-going we will need:

- Bottled water
- Snack packages (chips, nuts, granola bars)
- Coffee refill pods

Your help with any of these items is greatly appreciated. If you have questions see Doneta.

Social Justice is working to help show our community that KoG welcomes all. We have updated our website wording to reflect our values (see statement below.) New books and banners are coming soon and there are plans to add a "Land Acknowledgement of Indigenous People" to the worship services.



As a Reconciling in Christ congregation, King of Glory commits to celebrating the love of God with all people. Whatever your abilities, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, relationship status, color, culture, faith tradition or economic status, we commit ourselves to embracing the work of racial equity, social and economic justice, and environmental care.



Boise Pride Parade | Sunday, September 10, from 10 to 11 a.m.

Come and walk with Interfaith Equality Coalition to show this community that there are religious people who accept and love LGBTQ+ people. The larger our group, the bigger impression we will make. This is a joyous, colorful celebration for all ages. It's also a lot of fun.



Youth Sunday School will resume after Labor Day

Weekend of September 22 WELCA Triennial Gathering in Phoenix

September 29-October 1 WELCA's Monastery of St. Gertrude Retreat

Saturday, October 7 - 1:00 PM Bishop-elect Meggan Manlove will be installed as the Northwest Inter-Mountain Synod's new bishop. This service will take place at the Cathedral of the Rockies. You are all invited to come to this service.

Fall Sunday school begins September 10th

Fall classes for three-year-olds to 6th graders will begin the Sunday after Labor Day. We will all meet together with an all-age curriculum. More volunteers are needed to be team teachers, substitutes, music leaders, drama directors or however you would like to be involved. An immediate need is for substitutes at the end of September, and beginning of October. Activities for older youths are in the works. Even you in the "balcony" please consider the possibility of joining us.

Monastery of St. Gertrude's Retreat

To ALL women of King of Glory: Please don't forget to mark your calendars for the fabulous, relaxing (You deserve it!) retreat at the Monastery of St. Gertrude **September 29 - October 1**. This will be an opportunity to do nothing but what YOU want to do: maybe an unfinished project, read a great book, take a hike, visit the outstanding museum and gift shop, take a tour of the Monastery, eat-drink and be merry. It's all up to you! And the best part: All you pay for are your meals, which are fabulous by the way. Friday begins with lunch in Weiser at the Weiser Candy Factory and then we head north toward Cottonwood and have dinner at the Keuterville Pub and Grub, which is an experience in itself. We will be staying in the Farmhouse, which comfortably sleeps 14 people. We are not, however, limited to that number, if some want to sleep on blow-up mattresses. ALL are welcome, so please, mark your calendars and sign up on the board in the narthex by the deadline date of September 22nd. Car pooling will be available at the church parking lot in the late morning of September 29th.

Sandwich Sunday

September 10th

Help make sandwiches for the Rescue Mission one Sunday a month. Following the service in the Fellowship Hall.

In need of the following donations:

soft margarine

sliced meats

sliced cheese

Please email or text Val

(208)440-1029 to help coordinate in September and November

Contact:

valbridges03@gmail.com

Community Free Meal

September 30th

If you would like to donate ingredients for the meal, we will be posting a list of items on the bulletin board that you can purchase so you can support the free meal this way. All ingredients must be to the church by 2 PM the Friday before the free meal.

Please feel free to join us and meet some of the regular diners. They love to talk to the members of our congregation. If you wish to help cook, please show up around 10:00 AM. To help serve, please show up around 11:30 AM. Thanks to all who support this ministry with their help and/or donations. Contact: Carolyn Jean Smith cjsmith515@gmail.com

Food on the 4th

September 24th

Borrow a bag from the Food on the 4th table and bring canned and boxed goods to church each 4th Sunday of the month. These will go to local food pantries and shelters.

Contact: Shirley Dodson shirleydodson@gmail.com

Interfaith Sanctuary has put out an emergency request for help

Volunteers are needed on Sundays to help with outreach at and around Cooper Court. Corpus Christi is no longer open on Sundays which leaves a lot of our friends outside needing water, popsicles and welfare checks. (Many of the cooling centers are closed on Sundays.) They are hoping to get volunteers from congregations/faith groups. New volunteers will be paired with experienced people. Contact Denise Caruzzi at 208-340-7449.

Join Faiths Throughout the Valley to Feed the Hunger

Sept. 9 - 3700 South Maple Grove Road

At The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Shifts from 10 AM-12 PM & 2-4 PM

Potluck Lunch 12-2 PM

All faith denominations throughout the Treasure Valley are invited to join together and assemble 100,000+ freeze-dried meals to fill community food pantries through Feed the Hunger. Learn about the meals at:

www.feedthehunger.org/physical-hunger/food/

■ We have reserved morning shifts for our members. You can RSVP on the bulletin board by the Fellowship Hall.



A Century of Health, Justice and Hope
Est. 1921

A program of Lutheran Community Services Northwest, **Safe Families for Children** is a community movement that seeks to keep children safe and families together. We recruit, screen, and train volunteers to come alongside families who are going through a crisis to meet three basic goals: prevent child abuse and neglect, reduce the number of children entering the child welfare system, and support and stabilize families.

Meeting these goals is made possible by community members taking part in non-transactional relationships. While there are many reasons hurting families seek out help (domestic violence, unemployment, homelessness etc.), we find that the largest issue is isolation. We want to provide authentic communities for the families we serve, and recognize that this helps create sustainable supports for families in the long-run.

Volunteers who are background checked and trained can assist in a number of ways such as: donating resources, mentoring, babysitting, and even long-term hosting. We largely work through faith communities, as they built-in community structure and support.

Our hope is that the Treasure Valley community will embrace our values of radical hospitality, compassion, and disruptive generosity by joining us in this movement of loving our neighbors as ourselves. If you want more information on the program or would like to volunteer, contact Micah Green at mgreen@lcsnw.org or go to <https://safe-families.org/>. Thank you!

KoG is now partnering with Safe Families for Children.

Contact: Lisa Kraft and Patty Larson

Grief Support Groups Being Offered

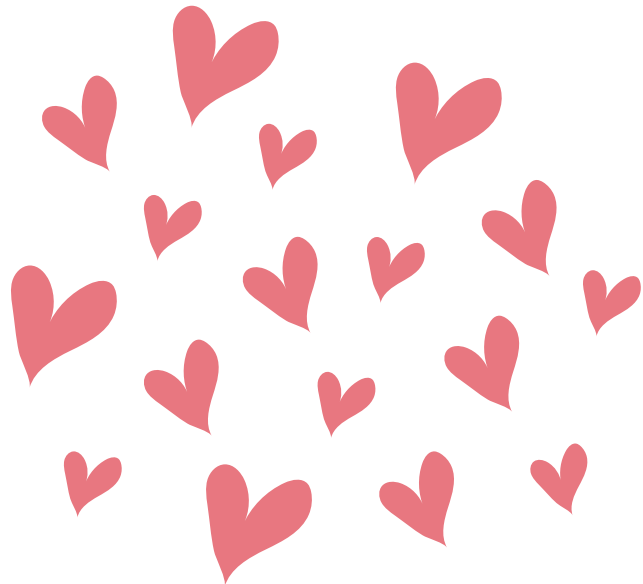
Pastor Barbara and her co-facilitator, Tami McLaughlin, will be offering Grief Support groups again this fall. Each group is grief-specific and will run for twelve weeks. The groups being offered are: Loss of Spouse or Life Partner, Loss of Child, Loss of Parent, Loss of Sibling or Close Friend. A Divorce Support groups may also be offered if there is enough interest. We need a minimum of five people for a group to form. All groups will be held via Zoom. Dates and times for the group to meet will be determined once enough have signed up for that group. Please email Barbara Condon at barbarajhc@gmail.com for more information or to sign up.

Birthdays

9/1 JAMIE HUNT
9/1 RON NEARMAN
9/5 STEVE HOLM
9/7 CHRISTINE GRUND
9/8 THOMAS HUNT
9/9 HERVE BEYAM
9/9 TRACI HUNT
9/10 CATHERINE OLSON
9/11 AUSTIN PETERSEN
9/11 NANCY SEID
9/12 SHAWNA THOMPSON
9/12 LIANNE TOMPKINS
9/16 ROBERT ANDERSON
9/19 HILLARY ACHANA
9/19 FABRICE NDAITOUROUM
9/25 SANDY LIESKE
9/28 GAIL LINDQUIST
9/28 DAVID SHORT
9/29 RUTH ETOKA

Anniversaries

9/5 DREW, JULIA & MARK
9/7 FALK, MARILYN & DEAN
9/7 WERRIES, DARRELL & HEIDI ZAHN
9/9 TINKER, NICK & MARY KAY
9/10 OLSON, GREG & CHARLOTTE
9/12 TAYLOR, LAURANN & DAVE
9/20 NEARMAN, PAT & RON
9/24 SHORT, ELAINE & DAVID



With Sadness We Say Goodbye to Our Friends in Christ

We say goodbye to **Ron Starenko** who is moving soon to Florida to be with family there. Also, a goodbye to **Claudia and Glen Laushman** who are moving to be near family out of state. Please greet them and wish them well. They will be greatly missed.

We celebrated the **life of Robert/Bob Maylum** on August 30th. He passed away on August 25th.

Volunteer Schedule

SEPT. 3

GREETERS: JIM MOSSHOLDER, ANISE LEE

USHERS: DAN PRICE, JIM STUMPF

ASSISTING MINISTER: LYMAN LARSON

LECTOR: MARTY PALMER

SEPT. 10

GREETERS: LYNDA & JIM CAMBRON, ROXANN JENSEN

USHERS: LISA KRAFT, BECKY NEWBERRY

ASSISTING MINISTER: DAWN LEWIS

LECTOR: IAN TOMPKINS

SEPT. 17

GREETERS: STAN & SUSAN FORNANDER, SHARON GROVE

USHERS: JIM STUMPF, TODD KRAFT

ASSISTING MINISTER: SHIRLEY ENGERBRETSON

LECTOR: SUSAN FORNANDER

SEPT. 24

GREETERS: CAROLYN JEAN & JAMES SMITH, GABRIELLE APPLEQUIST

USHERS: JACK NEWBERRY, HAROLD NESBETT

ASSISTING MINISTER: BECKY NEWBERRY

LECTOR: MARY KAY TINKER



To assist with our Sunday Service please see the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board outside the Fellowship Hall. Needs include worship planning, communion, and more.

SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

SEPT. 6 & 20, 9:30 AM

BOOK CLUB

SEPT. 2, 9:30 AM

CHRISTIAN LIFE STUDY

SEPT. 4 & 18, 1:00 PM

SANDWICH SUNDAY / NAMETAG SUNDAY

SEPT. 10

DAYS FOR GIRLS

SEPT. 12 & 26, 10:00 AM

CRAFT AND FELLOWSHIP

SEPT. 12 & 26, 1:00 PM

GATHER BIBLE STUDY

SUMMER BREAK

PROPERTY WORKDAY

SEPT. 16, 9:00 AM

WELCA BOARD MEETING

SEPT. 9, 9:30 AM

OWLS

SEPT. 19, 11:30 AM

FREE MEAL

SEPT. 30, 12 PM

FOOD ON THE 4TH SUNDAY

SEPT. 24

ADULT EDUCATION CLASS & YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

EVERY SUNDAY FOLLOWING
SERVICE (SUMMER BREAK)

WOMEN'S SCRIPTURE STUDY

EVERY FRIDAY, 9:30 AM

MEN'S BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP

EVERY THURSDAY, 8:00 AM
BLACK BEAR DINER

QUILTING

EVERY THURSDAY, 9:00 AM

THE LIFE AHEAD AA

EVERY DAY, 6:00 PM

YOGA

EVERY TUESDAY, 11:00 AM