

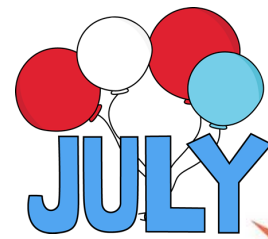


Hoodview CHURCH OF GOD

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July & August 2021 Church News



From the Pastor

The isolation and separation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic reminds us of the fact that we are created to live in connection with one another. We were never meant to live in isolation. Large group worship (Sunday mornings) is a much-needed part of our walk with the Lord, but so is small group interaction where we can be known and know others.

After not being able to last year, this fall we will launch new small groups once again and invite you to be part of this vital ministry. We need people who are willing to open their homes and lives to serve as hosts. We need people who can help lead groups. And of course, we hope everyone else will be willing to be part of a group. Please contact me if you are interested in being part of this vital life-giving ministry.

Pastor Steve Kufeldt

“Christmas in July”

It’s not too early to start thinking about **Operation Christmas Child** and filling shoeboxes for children. During July and August, you are encouraged to donate items, such as:



JULY ITEMS:

- Toy cars
- Foam balls
- Yo-Yos
- Jump ropes
- Small dolls

AUGUST ITEMS:

- Pencils
- Colored pencils
- Pencil sharpeners
- Crayons
- Markers
- Ball point pens
- Erasers
- Glue sticks

Donations can be dropped off in the box located at the Resource Table.

Willamette Valley Campmeeting - August 1-5, 2021



Be a part of Campmeeting this August!

The call of every believer is to be “Fully Alive!” Be part of a week of worship, fellowship, encouragement and recreation with others across our state. Sponsored by the Association of the Churches of God in Oregon and SW Washington, this annual week is a time to get away and be refreshed! It is held on the historic grounds of the Oregon Christian Convention in Turner, Oregon. Day guests and overnight guests are welcome!

This year’s campmeeting features:

- ⇒ **EVENING WORSHIP SERVICES** (Marshall Snider, Founder of “Because People Matter,” speaker)
- ⇒ **WORSHIP LEADER: Daniel Ryan** (Overseer of Music Ministries, Lynchwood Church of God, Portland)
- ⇒ **MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES**
 - ◆ Monday: Andrew Lloyd (Cottage Grove)
 - ◆ Tuesday: Dr. Brian Johnson (WPU)
 - ◆ Wednesday: Matt Ingalls (Salem)
- ⇒ **YOUTH PROGRAM**
- ⇒ **CHILDREN’S ACTIVITIES**
- ⇒ **RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES**
- ⇒ **OVERNIGHT LODGING OPTIONS**
- ⇒ **DAILY COMMUTER OPTION**
- ⇒ **ONSITE MEALS**
- ⇒ **AFFORDABLE COSTS** (on a donation basis)

Flyers with more information and registration forms are available at the Resource Table. Registration is also available on the district website:

orwacog.org/events/willamette-valley-campmeeting-6/

Mexico Mission Trip

Be in prayer for our short-term mission team as they travel to Mexico August 15-21 to work with Welcome Home Outreach and help build a home for a local pastor and his family.



Mission Rummage Sale

The Mission Rummage Sale in June brought in sales and donations of over \$2,200, plus we have some items set aside for a future sale (possibly this fall) and the other unsold items were donated to "Ray of Hope Thrift Store." Thank you to everyone who donated items and to those who shopped at our sale!

Mexico Mission Team

Keep our team in your prayers:

- ◆ Gary & Connie Johnson
 - ◆ Darla & Melanie Smatlak
 - ◆ Beth Reid
 - ◆ Tammi Robertiello
 - ◆ Edson Gilmore
- Plus 14 people from our sister congregation in Salem (Oak Park Church of God)

"Buy a Brick" Update

Thank you to everyone who purchased a "brick," which provides resources for our mission trip. As of mid-June, 160+ bricks were purchased with over \$4,000 total in donations.



Pampered Chef Fundraiser

Jamie Hudson, Pampered Chef Advanced Director, generously offered a fundraiser through her Pampered Chef business with a portion of all sales generated by the sale for the Mexico Mission trip. Almost \$100 was donated from the sales.



Church Office Update

Thank you to Sue Willard for covering the church office for several weeks in May. We now are back to volunteers help. If you would like to lend a hand answering the phone and providing help in the church office, contact Pastor Steve.

Church Facility & Grounds Update

Thanks to great volunteer help, several projects around the church facility have been completed:

- Trees damaged by the ice storm were removed and are being replaced with a more stable variety. Dozens of trailer loads of debris were removed or burned.
- The church office area has now been fully remodeled, with new paint and all flooring has been updated with new carpet squares.
- Several exterior doors have been painted.
- A dozen people helped at a church work day in May, making the grounds look much better!
- Yard work happens on a regular basis. If you can lend a hand, contact Gary Johnson.



Three Worship Participation Options:

- ⇒ Join us "in-person" on Sundays at 10:00AM.
- ⇒ Join us on YouTube "Live." Also available later on demand ("subscribe" to our YouTube channel).
- ⇒ DVD – Request a copy from the church office.

LifeGivers Program Equips Congregations for Renewal and Outreach



Church of God Ministries has joined hands with leaders and coaches across the nation to offer one-of-a-kind curriculum and encouragement for churches. LifeGivers is a series of online courses designed to help participants not only find rest, renewal, and inspiration in Jesus Christ, but also gain tools to help them give life to their congregation and community.

Courses are led by some of the nation's most insightful and revered coaches, and each one explores a new topic like discipleship, leadership styles, community outreach, and systems and processes. Participants can sign up for any or all courses, and complete them online anytime that fits their schedule.

For more information or to become a LifeGiver, visit CHOGLifeGivers.org.



Young Life is Coming to Woodburn

Young Life, a Christian ministry that reaches out to middle school, high school, and college students, is coming to our community. Its mission is to introduce young people to Jesus Christ and help them grow in their faith. Young Life, though, doesn't start with a program; it starts with adults who are concerned enough about kids to go to them, on their turf and in their culture, building bridges of authentic friendship. Young Life is now seeking ...

- Prayer partners who will pray for this ministry and our community's young people.
- Partners (volunteers) who can serve in a variety of roles.
- Financial partners who can help support this ministry.

To learn more about Young Life, you are invited to attend a "Jump Start" meeting the week of July 20-21. Contact Pastor Steve for more information.



Get to know your neighbors by participating in a "National Night Out" event in your neighborhood. This is a great step toward being a "good neighbor," one of the core values of our church (Note: Willamette Valley Campmeeting is scheduled for this same week).

Leadership Council meeting minutes and financial reports are posted on the bulletin board at the Resource Table (in the church office area just off the lobby). These items plus other materials are also available in a notebook in the church office. All are welcome to inspect these items.



The Story Continues

Our journey through "The Story," a study that highlights the big stories and themes of Scripture, from Genesis to Revelation, continues this summer. You are encouraged to follow along with the suggested Bible readings each week:

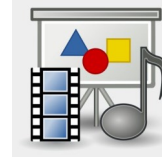
- ◇ July 4: Nehemiah—Rebuilding the Walls (Ezra 7; Nehemiah 1-2, 4, 6-8; Malachi 1-4)
- ◇ July 11: Jesus—The Birth of the King (Matthew 1-2; Luke 1-2; John 1)
- ◇ July 18: Jesus—Jesus' Ministry Begins (Matthew 3-4, 11; Mark 1-3; Luke 8; John 1-4)
- ◇ July 25: Jesus—No Ordinary Man (Matthew 5-7, 9, 14; Mark 4-6; Luke 10, 15; John 6)
- ◇ August 1: Jesus—Jesus, the Son of God (Matthew 17, 21; Mark 8-12, 14; Luke 9, 22; John 7-8, 11-12)
- ◇ August 8: Jesus—The Hour of Darkness (Matthew 26-27; Mark 14-15; Luke 22-23; John 13-14, 16-19)
- ◇ August 15: Jesus—The Resurrection (Matthew 27-28; Mark 16; Luke 24; John 19-21)
- ◇ August 22: Early Church—New Beginnings (Acts 1-10, 12)
- ◇ August 29: Early Church—Paul's Mission (Acts 13-14, 16-20; Romans 1, 3-6, 8, 12, 15; 1 Corinthians 1, 3, 5-6)
- ◇ September 5: Early Church—Paul's Final Days (Acts 20-23, 27-28; Ephesians 1-6; 2 Timothy 1-4)
- ◇ September 12: A New Beginning—The End of Time (Revelation 1-5, 19-22)

French Prairie Kiwanis
Chuckwagon
BREAKFAST
July 4th
7:00 AM – 10:00 AM
 at
Legion Park
 (Hwy 214 and Park Ave)
All You Can
EAT

ADMISSION
 Adult: \$6.00
 Children
 Age 4-10: \$4.00
 3 & under: FREE
 Donations Gladly Accepted

Event Supports:
 Woodburn AWARE Food Bank
 Oregon Battle of the Books
 Love Santa, Inc.
 and many more!

This annual event returns after a one-year hiatus due to the pandemic. Enjoy a community breakfast before joining us for worship on July 4th. Jon Betts, Gary Johnson and Pastor Steve are all members of this service club (as was Jim May for many years).



Know any friends or relatives who love "tech" stuff? We need volunteers for our AV Team (help with worship sound and video). Training is provided. See Pastor Dan for more information.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 <i>Bertha Kenagy</i>	2	3 <i>Birthdays are listed in BLUE. Anniversaries are in GREEN.</i>
4 Independence Day (7A-10A Chuckwagon Breakfast) 10:00A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live) Communion	5 <i>Office Closed</i> 	6 <i>Lee Church Edson & Nadine Gilmore (celebrating 58 years)</i>	7 10A Virtual Coffee Hour	8 <i>Debbie Betts Neomi Ybanez</i>	9 <i>Dale Kraxberger</i>	10
11 10:00A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live) 11A Board of Music & Worship Meeting	12 <i>Office Closed</i>	13	14 10A Virtual Coffee Hour	15	16 <i>Peter Martinez Ann Swindler</i>	17 10A Association Annual Meeting (Salem)
18 10A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live)	19 <i>Office Closed</i>	20 4P Prop. Mgmt. Mtg. <i>Jonathan & Amanda Carlson (celebrating 8 years)</i>	21 10A Virtual Coffee Hour <i>Brayden Martinez</i>	22 <i>Jerry & Mary Danielson (celebrating 61 years)</i>	23 	24 <i>Anne Bacon Melanie Smatlak Dan & Darla Smatlak (celebrating 28 years)</i>
25 10:00A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live) <i>John & Shirley Martin (celebrating 13 years)</i>	26 <i>Office Closed</i>	27	28 10A Virtual Coffee Hour	29 <i>Erica Smatlak Jim Yoder</i>	Get our Weekly E-News by filling out a simple form on our website's main page (www.hoodview.church).	
1 10A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live) Communion <i>Vie Dow / Ron Palmer</i>	2 <i>Office Closed</i>	3 	4 (NO Virtual Coffee Hour)	5 <i>Robert & Rachel Femrite (celebrating 21 years)</i>	6 <i>Edna Hobbs</i>	7
Willamette Valley Campmeeting (Oregon Christian Convention, Turner)						
8 10A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live)	9 <i>Office Closed</i> <i>Alan Jones</i>	10 <i>Orville Swinder</i>	11 10A Virtual Coffee Hour 3P Leadership Council Meeting (tentative)	12 <i>Carmen Sprauer</i>	13	14
15 10A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live) <i>Phyllis Cochran</i>	16 <i>Office Closed</i> <i>Shirley Martin</i>	17	18 10A Virtual Coffee Hour	19	20 <i>Gary & Connie Johnson (celebrating 33 years)</i>	21
Mexico Mission Trip (Welcome Home Outreach in Vicente Guerrero, Mexico)						
22 10A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live)	23 <i>Office Closed</i> <i>Melvin & Frieda Lanting (celebrating 54 years)</i>	24 <i>Bailey Femrite</i>	25 10A Virtual Coffee Hour <i>Keith Shrock Brenda Surgeon</i>	26 <i>Nancy Woodside</i>	27	28 
29 10A Worship Service (In-person and YouTube Live)	30 <i>Office Closed</i>	31	CHURCH BUS SCHEDULE: 9:40AM Country Meadows 9:45AM Cascade Park		Have an urgent prayer request? Activate our Prayer Line Ministry by contacting Ruth Palmer (503-544-1318).	



Virtual Coffee Hour

Zoom login Information for July & August:

Meeting ID: 842 5817 7371

Passcode: 118705



Church Library

Read a good book lately? The church library (located in the NE corner of our facility, behind the sanctuary) has a variety of selections, from Bible study resources to Christian living to fiction. Follow the simple self-checkout instructions.

Piano Lessons

Always wanted to learn to play the piano? Now is your chance! Our own Peggy Dougherty will offer class piano lessons this fall. Contact Peggy (503-984-4900 cell) for details.

