

The Broadcaster

Rose City Park Presbyterian Church

September/October 2009



We don't introduce our children to worship to make them good, but rather that they will grow up to know who they are. We trust that worship which is attentive to the gospel's grand story will transform their lives, will feed their imaginations not their egos, and help them and us learn to order our lives by the gift of God's time.

— Debra Dean Murphy

Christian worship is in a very basic sense, the reenactment of a story. Every Sunday we tell over and over the story of how God's love created the world, of how God created a relationship with the people of Israel, how God extended that relationship to everyone in Jesus who mended all the separation that had happened between God and people, and how God built the church as a sign of what the reign of peace will be when it is fully realized.

As we retell the story, as we praise God and give thanks, acting out the parts of incorporating people into community through baptism and confirmation, as we eat together, as we learn and study each week to week, year to year, living in God's time, we allow the story to take hold of us, to draw us in, urging us to know more.

We "love to tell the story, more wonderful it seems, than all the golden fancies, of all our golden dreams. I love to tell the story, it did so much for me and that is just the reason, I tell it now for thee," as the old hymn goes.

And children need to hear it from us. They need to be in worship. Every time we are in worship together, we talk about things differently from the rest of the world. We imagine the possibilities that things can be different. When we can model with sureness that worship invites us into a world of God's extravagant goodness and grace, our children want to be a part of that.

But we have to do our part. We have all had the experience of contagious laughter. Someone tells a joke, or simply laughs in pure delight and the corners of our lips lift and the laughter rises out of our bellies and suddenly we are laughing together. The joy of worship can be contagious that way. Every Sunday we enter into the infectious joy that God loves us. And when we feel that joy and express it, we are sharing that knowing with our children and with those who haven't felt it yet.

For worship is not about preparing us for a life in the real world, nor is it for giving us a refuge from the real world for a little while. It is instead, as Jacques Maritain once said about poetry, "the 're-composition' of a world more real than the reality offered by our senses."

Sharing worship with children is an act of faithfulness on the part of all the adults of a worship community. It is also a call to the realization that we who seek to have our children formed and transformed by their life in our community may need to have our own vision and understanding of worship and growth in faith sharpened and tested and transformed.

For worship should feed **our** imaginations and help us to learn to order our lives by the gifts of God's time and love. Come and celebrate the Lord's day. Laugh. Imagine. Love. Live.

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The Rev. Donovan Burkert-Kerr



COMMUNION WARE COMMISSIONED

New communion ware to match our ceramic intinction chalices was commissioned by the Memorials Sub-Committee. Local potter, Charles Piatt, created a platter, larger chalice, pitcher and beaker to grace our communion table.

These items were first used on July 12th during our anniversary worship.

VEAZIE JOINS STAFF

Our new receptionist has arrived! Michelle Veazie began training in the office July 12th and has now transitioned fully into the new position. She graduated in December 2008 from the University of Oregon with a B.A. in Art History and is now living in Vancouver with her husband, Scott, and a menagerie of pets. You might have seen her on Sunday mornings, sitting with her parents (Bill & Becky Duncan) and grandparents (Bob & Irene Wininger). When Michelle is not working at RCPPC, she enjoys reading, traveling, and spending time with family and friends. If you're at the church during the week, stop into the office to say hello—she'd love to meet everyone!

ROSE CITY FAMILY NEWS

Weddings

Sorren Kerr and Alex Cahill were married on May 30th in the sanctuary. The Rev. Charles Kerr, the bride's grandfather, officiated. Parents of the bride are Donavan Burkert-Kerr and Nat Kerr.

New Babies in Our Church Family

Fiona Jean Grabb was born on June 22nd in Portland. Parents are Robb and Stacy Grabb. Fiona joins her brother, Falkner.

New Members

On Pentecost, May 31st, we received four new members into our midst. Please welcome them:

Zac Chasman is a student in the Pioneer Special Schools' Program of Portland Public Schools. He enjoys reading and also baking. Pentecost was a big day for him as he was baptized and confirmed. He took his studies very seriously and is very inquisitive. He has attended Christian Education meetings with Jeanne Francis and has been a helper in our Sunday program.

Micheal House has recently moved to the community surrounding RCPPC, and he came to the church originally due to its convenient location. After spending time worshipping with our congregation, he made the decision to become a part of our church family. In the past, Micheal especially enjoyed working with youth as an assistant teacher.

Javene Lobaugh has chosen to reaffirm her faith at RCPPC. In her youth, she participated in many church activities, including teaching Sunday school, singing in the choir, and preparing communion at her church in the mid-west. Javene enjoys our services here and is looking forward to participating in different ministries within the church.

Diane Vance is a recent addition to

our congregation, and is excited to explore our different ministries. She has spent many years in Oregon and has lived in Portland for the past four. Diane reaches out to young women through softball and considers it a gift that she can share with others. Diane came to Rose City through her connection as daughter-in-law of our former choir director, Peg Vance.

With Sympathy

William H. Ardiss died on May 29th in Portland. A service in his memory was held on June 7th in the sanctuary with Rev. Dornack officiating.

Loren "Dave" Bolster died on June 3rd in Portland. A celebration of his life was held on June 27th in the sanctuary with Rev. Dornack officiating.

We received word in June that **Iora Story** died in Louisiana. Iora was a long-time friend of the church.

Thank You

To all our RCPPC family: It was so wonderful of you to help us celebrate Loren's life. We received many cards of remembrance and love. How lucky we are to have belonged to a great congregation here at Rose City. May the next 100 years bring as much joy and love to all as it did for us in the first 100 years.

— The Bolster Family

In a letter Suzie Shane quoted her father as saying, "The reason pastors stay so long at Rose City Park is that they know it just can't get any better."

Well after ten years and the surprising recognition of our time together in June, I believe that Dr. Shane's words still ring true. Thank you for being such a committed congregation when it comes to doing the work of the Kingdom and sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.

Words can't begin to express what I feel in my heart about our time together.

— David Dornack

I really want to thank you all for making Dad's [Loren Bolster] memorial service so nice. Each of you that helped out made it such a good, loving and caring experience – and I might add it was done in such a professional way!

— Bless each of you, Bev McIlhose

To the congregation and the staff, Thank you all for making Sorren and Alex's special day even more perfect. A beautifully maintained building and loving and able staff and volunteers were the foundations upon which we were able to create a beautiful wedding for our children.

— Donavan and Nat Kerr,
Kathleen Cahill

Thanks to everyone who sent me cards and kept me in their prayers.

— Ken Knutson

I want to thank everyone for their cards and prayers during my recent open-heart surgery and recovery. I have been missing the 100th Anniversary activities.

— Stan Wheeler

Thank you for the beautiful prayer shawl. I will think of your ministry and the Rose City Park Presbyterian Church and Rev. Dornack when I wrap myself in it to watch TV.

— The Family of Warren Campbell

Directory Changes

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Paul Strohecker, 20496 S Noble Ln, West Linn, OR 97068

Diane Vance, 503-408-0801

CALENDAR

September

- Tues. 1st**
7 pm Personnel Comm.
- Wed. 2nd**
10 am Martha Service
7 pm Worship & Arts Comm.
7 pm Social Action Comm.
- Thurs. 3rd**
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Sat. 5th**
8 am-1 pm Hollywood Farmers' Market (HFM)
- Sun. 6th**
10 am Communion Worship
- Mon. 7th**
Labor Day, building closed
- Tues. 8th**
7 pm Sarah Circle
7 pm Build. & Grounds Comm.
- Wed. 9th**
1:30-3 pm Searchers ChristCare
7:30 pm Chancel Comm.
- Thurs. 10th**
4-6 pm Rose City Writers
6:30 pm Christian Ed. Comm.
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Fri. 11th**
10 am RCPPC serves Loaves & Fishes (L&F)
- Sat. 12th**
8 am-1 pm HFM
- Sun. 13th**
9:30 am Once-a-Month Choir
10 am Worship
11:30 am Sub Sandwiches & Salad Potluck
- Tues. 15th**
7 pm Session Meeting
- Wed. 16th**
1-2:30 pm Lectio Divina
- Thurs. 17th**
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Fri. 18th – Sat. 19th**
6:30 pm– 12 noon Bible Retreat

- Sat. 19th**
9 am-1 pm L&F Pancakes
8 am-1 pm HFM
- Sun. 20th**
9:30 am Chancel Choir
10 am Worship & Study
12:00 pm Deacons
- Mon. 21st**
9 am Women's Retreat Comm.
- Wed. 23rd**
1:30-3 pm Searchers ChristCare
7-9 pm Christian Education
(Teacher Training)
- Thurs. 24th**
4-6 pm Rose City Writers
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Sat. 26th**
8 am-1 pm HFM
- Sun. 27th**
10 am Worship & Study
- Mon. 28th**
10 am RCPPC serves L&F

October

- Thurs. 1st**
10 am-3 pm Blood Drive
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Sat. 3rd**
8 am-1 pm HFM
- Sun. 4th**
10 am *World Communion*
Sunday Worship & Study
Church School begins
11 am Book Exchange
11:15 am Soup Sunday
MS/HS Youth
- Tues. 6th**
7 pm Personnel Committee
- Wed. 7th**
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9 am Women's Retreat Comm.
- Tues. 20th**
7 pm Session Meeting
- Thurs. 22nd**
4-6 pm Rose City Writers
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Fri. 23rd – Sat. 24th**
Middle School Mania at Camp Canyonview
- Sat. 24th**
8 am-1 pm HFM
- Sun. 25th**
10 am Anniversary Worship:
Music through the Ages
No Education Hour
- Mon. 26th**
10 am RCPPC serves L&F
- Thurs. 29th**
7:30 pm Chancel Choir
- Sat. 31st**
8 am-1 pm HFM
- Sun. Nov. 1st**
All Saints' Day
9:30 am Chancel Choir
10 am *Day of the Dead* Worship

LOOKING AHEAD

November 1

All Saints' Day We will again celebrate our "Communion of Saints" with Day of the Dead festivities. Bring a photo of a loved-one who has joined the "Communion of Saints" to add to the altar.

November 25

Thanksgiving Eve Worship @ Rose City Park United Methodist

November 29

First Sunday of Advent and Advent Festival

YOUTH NEWS

NURSERY—5TH GRADE SUNDAY MORNINGS

Fall, school, new crayons, crisp air ... and church school. It is nearly here.

Children will be in worship through September, but there is lots to keep them interested.

September 13: “Sandwich to Sandwich.” This event is a celebration of fall and our congregation’s history. Bring a salad to share, stay after worship to eat sub sandwiches, “sandwich-in” a classic video of Rose City Park Presbyterian and finish with an ice cream sandwich. All ages are encouraged to attend.

September 18-19: Bible Retreat for 3rd and 4th graders.

September 20: Bible Sunday
3rd and 4th graders receive their Bibles during worship.

And **Adult Education: “A New Program for Christian Education”** with Donovan. Hear about our new program, “The Way of the Child.” See article on p. 5.

September 23: 7-9 pm Teacher Training Event. View a training DVD, and enact the first lesson together taking turns as participants and leaders.

October 4 Church School Begins

Nursery/Preschool: (Infant to age Pre-K.) Preschool children are encouraged to stay in worship through

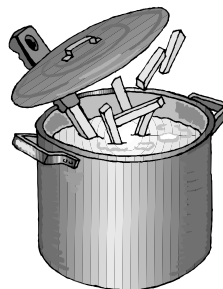
the children’s time and then be escorted to the lower level nursery. There will be a story and a take-home sheet every week.

Elementary: (Grades K through 5th) Children will leave worship after children’s time and move upstairs to the space prepared for the Way of the Child Program. Parents will pick up their children there at noon.

MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

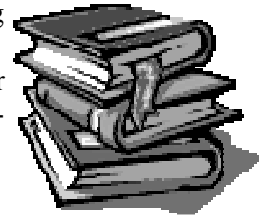
**Soup Supper ~ RCPPC Kitchen
October 4th, 11:15 am to 1:00 pm**

In keeping with our mixed group (see article on p. 5), our first Sunday is going to be a Soup Sunday. Just as we are hoping a combination of ages and ideas will make a great group, a small portion of many ingredients tends to make a wonderful soup. October 4th we’ll have our first gathering. We’ll meet in the kitchen as soon as the service is over to make soup and brainstorm ideas for the coming year. Bring your favorite herb or vegetable to add to the pot, and we’ll see what happens.



CHILDREN’S LIBRARY

In the late spring we recognized volunteers in our Christian Education program with the now traditional dedication of books for our children’s library. Our children’s library also contains books for older and teen readers. Some of the new titles for older readers are:



The Higher Power of Lucky – Susan Patron

Lucky Breaks – Susan Patron

LaCausa: The Migrant

Farmworker’s Story – Dana de Ruiz

The Book Thief – Markus Zusak
(Lectio Divina read this one)

Scat – Carol Hiaasen (A humorous read!)

Other titles are of familiar Bible stories, *Oregon ABC’s* (written for children by children), seasonal stories, stories of famous people like Cesar Chavez and picture books.

Check out the children’s library! It is a bright and cheery place to spend some time. Grown up readers are welcome, too.

2009 PICNIC AT BLUE LAKE PARK

We had a successful, fun-filled 100th Anniversary Picnic this year due, in part, to fabulous weather. We ate great food, including hot dogs and hamburgers cooked by Jerry Reinhardt and myself, and many other dishes supplied by members.

A huge number of participants in the sack race, three legged race, trivia contest and the water balloon toss added competitive fun! Diane Vance led an entertaining softball game while Aron Bernstein, Sarah Shay and David Dornack started a new (and low impact) RCPPC tradition of extreme croquet.

A special thanks to Greg Balmer for his assistance and experience and to everyone who helped set up and clean up. None of this could have happened without the support and help of all of you who came out to enjoy the food and fellowship that RCPPC is known for!

— Rick Harlow, Outreach & Communications Committee Chair

EDUCATION NEWS FOR ALL AGES

ADULT EDUCATION

Adult education opportunities abound in the fall.

Sessions planned for September and October include:

September 13 – *Sandwich to Sandwich* in the fellowship hall, no education hour.

September 20 – *A New Program for Christian Education* Join Program Coordinator Donovan Burkert-Kerr to hear about our new program, “The Way of the Child.” All parents, children and congregation members are encouraged to attend.

September 27 – David Dornack and Sarah Shay will lead us through a tour of the Little Pump Organ, play a little music, and maybe even lead in singing some old hymns.

October 4 – Chancel Improvement Committee will share their thoughts on the chancel, answer questions and share about the remodel process. Gather in the sanctuary.

October 11 – TBA

October 18 – TBA

October 25 – Music through the Decades Sunday. No education hour.

We like to begin adult education at 11:20 a.m. in the chapel and usually go until the noon chimes ring.



THANK YOU FROM THE YOUNGEST SAINTS

These generous people accepted the call to care for our children in the nursery during July and August: Jeanne Francis and Zac Chasman, Karol Elmore, Ellen Ragan and Ragan Allen, Jerry Reinhardt,

Amanda Golbek, Alex Greer, Brianne Kerr and Laura Gillooly.

Nicole Amling, our nursery volunteer coordinator, thanks you in advance for volunteering in the fall. Caring for these youngest is a gift each of you can give to the future of this congregation.

CHANCEL COMMITTEE HOLDS INFORMATIONAL SESSION

The Chancel Improvement Committee has worked over the past months to identify certain concerns about the function and flexibility of our chancel. We invite you to participate in Adult Education on Sunday, October 4th in the Sanctuary. The committee will demonstrate these issues and provide a time for you to ask questions and have the remodeling process explained.

THE WAY OF THE CHILD

We will use a new style of curriculum this academic year in church school. *The Way of the Child* program combines an imaginative curriculum for children’s spiritual nurture with an innovative approach to teacher preparation that nurtures teachers as well. There are resources that tie together church and family spiritual practices that will help parents learn alongside their children within their homes.

Children are born to learn and grow using curiosity, wonder and openness. Spiritual practices are classic tools for discovering oneself and God. *The Way of the Child* links these childhood traits with the classic disciplines.

The pastoral staff of Rose City Park believes that encouraging our children to learn and practice disciplines of reflection, prayer, meditative reading (lectio divina), journaling and quiet artistic response will help them build resources that will allow them to grow internal strengths that will empower them throughout their lives.

In our fast-paced society many adults find it difficult to engage in regular spiritual practices. Our children lead lives that are nearly as busy. We hope that this program will provide one space in every week where quiet and reflection can provide a balance in their busy lives. And that it will be a step toward bringing up members of a generation who engage in spiritual practice as naturally as they eat and sleep.

— Donovan Burkert-Kerr, Program Coordinator

NEW PLAN FOR MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

In our Middle and High School Youth Groups we have a little bit of every age but not a lot of any one group. So, we are going to change the system a bit and play to our strengths. The Middle and High School Youth will now meet every Sunday after worship from about 11:15 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. for a combined study and fellowship time. We will all eat lunch together and then some Sundays we will split up into middle school and high school aged groups for conversation and reflection and some Sundays we will stay together for an activity like volunteering at Forest Park or going bowling. We want to make this a multi-aged group and give our youth the opportunity to learn more about each other and some of the older members of our congregation. (For clarification I said older, not old.) To this end we will be inviting congregation members to join us for a Sunday or two; if you have an activity you would like to help with please contact me at the church (503-282-0965). If not, just be ready to say yes when I call.

— Tori Amling, Youth Activities Coordinator

GROUPS FOR ADULTS

OPPORTUNITY TO REMINISCE DURING OUR ANNIVERSARY YEAR

Want to record some memories from your life at Rose City Park but don't know where to begin? Well, the Rose City Writers will provide you with two opportunities to find an enjoyable way to get your stories down on paper. Join us on one or more Thursdays, September 10th and 24th, at 4 p.m. in the church library.

All folks are invited to check out the group – no writing experience necessary – just the love of hearing good stories. The group generally meets the second and fourth Thursday from September through early June. If you have questions, contact Rae Richen or Gail Black.

WOMEN'S RETREAT AT MENUCHA

Take a Deep Breath and
renew your body and spirit before the holidays.
A retreat for women at Menucha.

Peace. Quiet. Stop. Pause. Games. Companionship.
A glass of wine. Conversation. Read. Art. Yoga. Walk.
Wandering. Time for yourself. No requirements.
Worship. Laughter.

Friday, November 20 (5 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m.) -
Sunday, November 22 (noon)

Options: Friday through Sunday maximum cost \$120, less if more than 25 people register (only two spaces remain).

Saturday only: \$25 includes lunch only (plenty of room).

A letter will be sent in mid-October with all necessary information regarding carpools, schedule, final costs, and roommates. The committee is planning a wonderful event.

SARAH CIRCLE

Sarah Circle will begin our new Bible study on Tuesday September 8th at 7 p.m. in the parlor. Every year *Horizons: the Magazine of Presbyterian Women* commissions a Bible study. Our text this year is *Joshua: A Journey of Faith* by Mary Mikhael. The writer is a Presbyterian elder who was born in Syria and has lived and worked in the Middle East most of her life. Her guide is packed with beautiful artwork, archeological notes, maps and other resources that will inform our study of this difficult and often violent book of the Hebrew Testament.

If you are planning to participate, Donovan can preorder a copy of the study for you. The cost is \$6 and can be paid at our first meeting. Please let her know soon.

LECTIO DIVINA

The book group is going strong. We meet the third Wednesday from 1-2:30 p.m. in the parlor where the soft chairs and comfortable environment encourage us to tackle some serious content. Upcoming dates and books:

September 16 – *A Year of Wonders* by Geraldine Brooks

October 21 – *Rules for Old Men Waiting* by Peter Pouncey

CREATION CARE BOOK EXCHANGE

The Creation Care Book Exchange in July was a big hit and requests flooded in for another one. So, here is your chance: Sunday, October 4th we'll hold another book exchange in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your gently used books (no textbooks, please) and take home a few treasures. After this exchange, we'll probably donate the leftovers to the Multnomah County Library's *Title Wave Used Book Store*, so be sure to get all that you want. Thank you for participating.

TABLES FOR EIGHT

Tables for Eight is as a great way to experience the fellowship of our church family. Eight adults, **singles and couples**, select their own time and dates to enjoy a meal together such as a Sunday night soup supper, Saturday brunch, or a formal sit-down dinner. Tables gather three to four times where the host provides the main dish and beverages with others bringing the rest.

While table members enjoy good eating, the goal is to enjoy each other's company by making it simple and fun. Even if you can't host or cook, one shouldn't hesitate to participate.

The new cycle begins in **October and extends through January, 2010**. All interested folks, continuing and new, need to sign up for a new Table by contacting Gail Black at gblack@coho.net or 503-284-6221. The deadline is Sunday, September 20th.

SEARCHERS CHRISTCARE

Searcher's ChristCare will meet on Wednesday, September 23rd at 1:30 p.m. in the church library. Come prepared to talk about 'What I did on my summer vacation' and receive a copy of David Leininger's book "God of Justice: A look at the Ten Commandments for the 21st Century." Refreshments might even be provided. Contact David Dornack for more information (503-282-0965 or david@rosecityparkpres.org). New group members are welcome.

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

THE DEACONS' CORNER

BY KAREN BALMER FOR THE BOARD OF DEACONS

Produce Table

The Hollywood Farmers' Market is in full swing now, overflowing with produce, plants, food vendors and music. Visit the Market and support our neighbors and building partners with your purchases. Our thanks to everyone who has helped with Saturday gleaning, running the Produce Table on Sunday mornings and the donation delivery of remaining veggies to St. Francis at SE 12th and Stark. Stop by the Produce Table and sign up, or talk to Becky Duncan about volunteering for one of these jobs that help make possible our gifts to FISH, Snow-CAP and other agencies.

Ushering

Another important Deacon ministry is ushering. An usher is one of the first people who greets us each Sunday morning and helps visitors feel comfortable and welcome. Currently, two of our teams could use your help. Each team works three months each year, but you can try it for just a month at a time. October and November have openings just for you. Call the church office (503-282-0965) or Kathy Conklin (503-284-6544) to volunteer.

Transportation

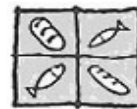
The Deacon's Transportation Committee helps assist any church member who needs transportation help to and/or from church for Sunday worship service. Currently, we help members from the immediate church neighborhood as well as the Cherry Park area and Holladay Park Plaza, providing either a taxi voucher or a willing member who has passenger space in their car. Please consider making a financial contribution to the Deacons Fund, specifically noted "Transportation", or let Donia Groff (503-284-3589) or Jeremy Shibley (503-233-2165) know of your interest in sometimes driving parishioners to and/or from church. Thank you for helping assure our members can get to church each Sunday. We want to continue this important ministry into the future.

PEACEMAKING & WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

Annually, on the first Sunday in October, Christians worldwide share the bread and the cup offered by Christ, the Prince of Peace. As we celebrate our unity, we Presbyterians also take this time to bring to fruition, in ways large and small, the message of peace through the Peacemaking Offering. In 2008 more than \$2.3 million were received through the offering. That same year at Rose City Park Presbyterian, our gifts of \$3,408 supported the peacemaking efforts of our denomination and the work of the Oregon Food Bank, Habitat for Humanity, Bread for the World, the Samaritan Counseling Center, and the Community of Welcoming Congregations. In past years, it has also funded camperships to peacemaking camps and conferences for youth and adults.

Unfortunately, the struggle for a world at peace and for social justice for all people feels endless. But our gifts to the Peacemaking Offering do make a difference. Look for more materials about the 2009 Peacemaking Offering in a

September mailing. As you read, please prayerfully consider how your gift can help foster peace both here in Portland and in the wider community. We will dedicate our offering on October 4th.



LOAVES & FISHES CENTERS
The Meals-On-Wheels People

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY WITH LOAVES & FISHES

Make a difference in the lives of seniors in the Hollywood neighborhood. Interested adults are invited to gather in the fellowship hall on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. for the Hollywood/Fook Lok Loaves & Fishes/Meals-on-wheels Steering Committee meeting. This group helps plan fundraising events and other activities for this busy dine-in/meals-on-wheels center. Contact Mary Langman for more information or to volunteer (503-281-8109 or mlangman@lfpdx.org).

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

October 1st the American Red Cross and the Hollywood Lions will sponsor a blood drive in the church fellowship hall. Appointments can be made to donate blood between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Please consider giving the gift of life with a donation of blood.

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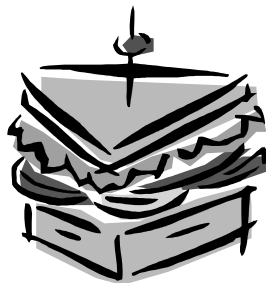
SUNDAY SCHEDULE

WORSHIP at 10:00 am
CHURCH SCHOOL SCHEDULE
9:30 am nursery
10:20 am Pre-K to nursery
10:20 am Grades K-5th class
11:20 am Youth and Adult classes

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**FEELING SANDWICHED IN? COME FOR
“SANDWICH TO SANDWICH”
SEPTEMBER 13TH, FOLLOWING WORSHIP**



Sunday, September 13th we'll gather after worship in the fellowship hall for a sandwich luncheon. We'll have sub sandwiches for the main course, BRING a salad to share, and then we'll finish with a wonderful ice cream treat (ice cream sandwiches, anyone?). Beverages will be provided. To continue our 100th Anniversary celebration, we are hoping to sandwich in a couple of our Church Support videos from the mid-1990's. So come and see family and friends, eat sandwiches and get an answer to the following question: Did Bob McGranahan get his 'wish' of a hot tub on the church roof?

NEXT BROADCASTER DEADLINE: SUNDAY, OCT. 18.

Brief articles may be submitted in person, by mail, or via e-mail to romalia@rosecityparkpres.org and must be in the church office by the end of the day Sunday, October 18.