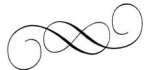


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# Antique & Artisan Faire



9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 15, 2014

The Antique and Artisan Faire is coming soon and you are invited!

Please consider helping in one or more of the following ways:

\*Attending

\*Assisting

\*Creating

\*Supporting

\*Selling

\*Setting up

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, contact a member of the committee: Cynthia Church, Diane Hanken, Peggie Irvine-Page, Cindy Robertson, or Beverly Smith.

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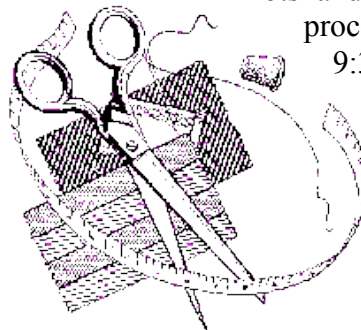
## PERSONNEL COMMITTEE NEWS

Your RCPPC Personnel Committee has been hard at work this year. In addition to keeping our dedicated staff at a full complement, the Committee has spent the past several months revisiting the Personnel Policies and Procedures, updating them and bringing them into compliance with the City of Portland's mandatory sick leave laws. The Committee is currently searching for a new organist and will soon engage the staff in annual reviews.

If you would like to speak to any of the members of the Committee about a personnel joy or concern, they are: Bob Black, Laura Gillooly, Bobby Roberts, and Woody Richen, chairperson.

## MARTHA SERVICE QUILT-A-THON

On Wednesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, Martha Service needs your nimble fingers to help get some quilts finished and out to those in need. We've got a pile of tops, backs and batting all ready to be tied. Save this date to tie a few knots and have a good time in the process. Come anytime after 9:30 a.m., and enter room 8 at the lower entry door, under the ramp to the office. Save the date to "tie one on"! Hope to see you then.



—Kathy Conklin  
for Martha Service

# The Broadcaster

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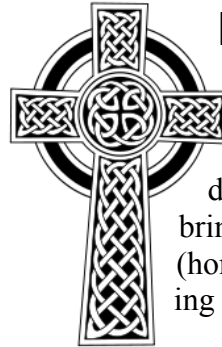
## STOCK TRANSFERS CAN BENEFIT BOTH THE CHURCH AND THE GIVER

Members and Friends,

I wanted to highlight a way congregants can give to our church other than through cash gifts. The Stewardship and Finance Committee has set up a way for members to contribute shares of stock and securities to our church through electronic stock transfer. This method of giving may result in tax savings for the donor. When you make a charitable contribution to Rose City Park Presbyterian of stock or securities that you have held for over one year, you may avoid the long-term capital gains tax and possibly be able to deduct the full fair market value of the stock. For example, if you bought 100 shares at \$30 for a total cost to you of \$3,000 and five years later you contributed the same stock, now valued at \$5,000, you would likely pay no capital gains tax to the IRS on the increased value. This potential tax savings is only possible if you gift the securities themselves, rather than selling or exchanging them and donating the proceeds.

If you would like to contribute shares of stock, you would need to contact me or Office Manager Romalia Stickney-Shibley (503-282-0965 or [romalia@rosecityparkpres.org](mailto:romalia@rosecityparkpres.org)), in advance of the transfer, and we will provide the necessary information and instructions to allow you to transfer stock electronically.

Thank you,  
—Ray Amling, Chair  
Stewardship and Finance Committee



## REFORMATION SUNDAY

Once again, RCPPC will celebrate its Presbyterian heritage on October 26<sup>th</sup> with a special Reformation Sunday-themed worship service. Please bring your favorite shortbread cookies (homemade or store bought) to share during coffee hour that week.

## THE DEACONS' CORNER

The Deacons remain active in their many roles supporting our church community. We are especially gratified by the generous response to our Student Aid Fund Drive. Thank you.

We are anxious to improve our engagement with our young adults. We do quite well following and supporting our youth during their high school years, but thereafter, most completely fall off our radar as they progress to their late teens and twenties. This situation is not healthy for our congregation, our denomination, or the broader Christian Church.

These young adults need to know that we value them and that they remain part of the RCPPC community. To that end, The Deacons' Corner will provide brief statements on the whereabouts and activities of several of our former youth in each issue of *The Broadcaster*. The individuals mentioned will be in no particular order or priority, and I invite anyone to approach me with the information for inclusion. Otherwise, I will be contacting parents for information about their young adults.

—Dave Bell, for the Board of Deacons