



TUALATIN Presbyterian Church 8415 S.W. Seneca St.

# SPIRIT



OCT. ISSUE

## PEOPLE AUCTION READY TO GO!!

THE FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE HAS PUT TOGETHER THE EVENT OF THE SEASON. THE PEOPLE AUCTION WILL SELL ITEMS AND SERVICES TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER WITH THE PROCEEDS GOING TO OUR BUILDING FUND. OVER 120 ITEMS ARE ON THE BLOCK WAITING TO BE SOLD. THERE ARE SOME VERY EXCITING ITEMS TOO. DRIFT BOAT FISHING WITH A GREAT GUIDE, MOUNTAIN CABINS, DOG SITTING, BABY SITTING, FREE PLUMBING .... WHAT A VARIETY.

PAUL SHIBLEY, A PROFESSIONAL AUCTIONEER, OF THE SHIBLEY HEREFORD FARM IN ESTACADA WILL BE CALLING THE EVENING FOR US, PAUL IS A MEMBER OF THE SPRINGWATER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, A BRAND NEW FATHER AND ONE HECK OF A NICE GUY TO DO THIS FOR US.

OF COURSE BY THE TIME YOU GET THIS NEWS-LETTER THE FINAL GAVEL WILL HAVE RUNG OUT THE CLOSE OF THIS EXTRAVAGANZA. SO THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED AND TO ALL WHO DONATED TIME AND TALENT AND MONEY. THE BUILDING FUND GOT QUITE A BOOST AND WE HAD A BALL.

## CANNED FOOD DRIVE RESCHEDULED

WE HAD A REAL SNAFFU LAST WEEK! DUE TO FLU, LACK OF READING THE NEWLETTER AND THE SOOCERIZATION OF SATURDAY... THE FOOD DRIVE WAS CALLED OFF. THE FOOD BANK IS LOW AND THERE ARE PEOPLE THAT NEED OUR HELP SO WE ARE GOING, EVEN IF HELL FREEZES OVER, ON NOVEMBER 9.

BE IN THE OFFICE AT 9:00 A.M. TO GET YOUR TEAM AND ROUTE ASSINGMENT. WE WILL HIT THE BRICKS AT 9:30 A.M.

WE NEED YOU!! EVEN IF YOU AREN'T GOING TO WALK, WE NEED YOU. YOU CAN DRIVE A CAR AND CARRY THE FOOD FOR US.

SEEEYOUTHERE! IT WOULD BE A WONDERFUL THING TO CALL BECKY GLOVER AND SAY I'LL BE THERE!! LET'S DO THAT ...692-3274

## NEED A DIRECTORY?

REV. NELSON HAS NEW DIRECTORIES OF THE CHURCH. JUST ASK!

## MARY BOESCHEN TO LEAVE TUALATIN! !

MARY CAME HERE AS THE PRESBYTERY OF THE CASCADES EDUCATOR IN RESIDENCE. SHE WILL LEAVE HERE WITH A MUCH SHORTER TITLE ... THAT TITLE IS "FRIEND" SHE HAS DONE ONE GREAT JOB WITH ODR EDUCATION PROGRAM. WE WERE NOT IN BAD SHAPE BEFORE SHE CAME. IN FACT WE HAD A VERY GOOD PROGRAM .... BUT SHE REALLY MADE A DIFFERENCE. HER ENTHUSIASM AND COMMITMENT TO THE NURTURING OF FAITH IN THE CHURCH WAS CONTAGIOUS. SHE LED THE BIBLE STUDY ON WEDNESDAY, A GESTURE THAT GAVE THOM A WELCOME REST; SHE TAUGHT SUNDAY MORNING ADULT ED. SHE MET WITH ALL OUR SHEPHERDS AND TEACHERS. SHE HELPED DESIGN A BETTER MANAGING SYSTEM FOR THE WHOLE EDUCATION PROGRAM.

BUT PERHAPS THE BEST PART OF HAVING MARY AROUND WAS THAT SHE SHOWED US THAT SHE CARED ABOUT US. WHAT A WONDERFUL THING TO HAVE SOMEONE CARE. I AM GOING TO MISS HER IN THE OFFICE. I AM GOING TO MISS HAVING HER AROUND TO BOUNCE IDEAS AND TO BE TAUGHT BY ONE OF THE BEST DARN EDUCATORS I'VE MET.

MARY, THANKS ... FROM ALL OF US!! WE HOPE THAT WE HAVE GIVEN YOU EVEN A LITTLE; AS YOU HAVE GIVEN us SO MUCH. co IN PP;j AND DON'T BE A STRANGER AROUND HERE.

## STEWARDSHIP TO CRANK INTO HIGH GEAR

IT IS TIME TO FIGURE OUT WHERE WE STAND IN TERMS OF 1986 BUDGET. IT IS STEWARDSHIP DRIVE TIME.

REV. NELSON WILL BE PREACHING THE NEXT FEW WEEKS AROUND THE TOPIC OF STEWARDSHIP OF ALL THAT GOD HAS GIVEN US.

WE WOULD LIKE EVERYONE TO SIGN-UP FOR ONE OF OUR SMALL GROUP MEETINGS. THESE GROUPS ARE IN HOMES AND YOU WILL LEARN WHERE WE ARE NOW AND WHERE THINGS STAND REGARDING BUILDING PROGRAMS. THERE WILL BE TWO PRESENTERS AT EACH SMALL GROUP MEETING.

YES, IT IS ANOTHER NIGHT OR AFTERNOON AWAY FROM HOME. ...BUT ITS PRIORITY TIME GANG:

## **STEWARDSHIP CONT.**

IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT YOU SIGN-UP.  
THE MEETINGS ARE A CASUAL GET-TOGETHER TO  
LET YOU KNOW WHAT'S UP AND TO GIVE YOU THE  
NECESSARY INFO TO GO HOME AND PRAYFULLY  
MAKE A COMMITMENT TO CHRIST'S CHURCH. YOU  
WILL ALSO GET THE ADDED BONUS OF MEETING  
PEOPLE YOU MAY NOT HAVE HAD TIME TO MEET.  
AS I SAID LAST SUNDAY, "IF YOU THINK THAT  
I SOUND LIKE A PARENT SHAKING MY FINGER AND  
SAYING" THIS IS FOR YOUR OWN GOOD AND YOU  
WILL DO IT", THEN YOU GOT THE MESSAGE.

TO THE SAINTS:

IT IS TIME TO RECOMMIT TO THE CHURCH! THAT IS  
SOMETHING THAT I THINK WE SHOULD DO EVERY  
YEAR ... LIKE CHRIST GIVES ONE YEAR  
CONTRACTS. I WANT YOU TO **KNOW** THAT I GET  
GREAT STRENGTH FROM YOUR COMMITMENT TO CHRIST  
AND YOUR DOGGED DETERMINATION TO BUILD A  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN TUALATIN. WE ARE VERY  
LUCKY TO BE WITH ONE ANOTHER IN THIS CHURCH!!  
BUT AGAIN IT IS TIME TO REMIND OURSELVES OF  
WHAT IT TAKES TO BE A CHURCH. IT TAKES "all  
or **nothing**". JUST THOUGHT I'D LET YOU KNOW  
THAT I AM "RE-UPPING" FOR ANOTHER YEAR. **Thom**

HERE. ARE THE HOST HOMES:  
MONDAY OCTOBER 28 7:30 DEL JUDY'S HOME IN TUALATIN

TUESDAY 7:30 KATHY AND DON BONDS' HOME IN CHARBONNEAU/WILSONVILLE

WEDNESDAY 7:30 BOB AND LYNNE BOLTONS' HOME IN TUALATIN

THURSDAY NO MEETING HALLOWEEN

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 1 7:30 DALE AND WAYNE PRINDIVILLES' HOME IN TUALATIN

SATURDAY 7:30 BILL AND PEGGY HODGES' HOME IN TUALATIN

SUNDAY AFTERNOON DON AND MARILYN SCHMIDTS' HOME IN TUALATIN

**WE** WANT YOU TO KNOW THE STORY, TO KNOW WHAT IS GOING ON WITH YOUR MONEY AND TIME AND  
TALENT WHEN YOU GIVE TO YOUR CHURCH. SO SIGN-UP AND GET TO A MEETING. IF YOU DO NOT  
SIGN-UP, ONE OF THE TEAMS WILL GIVE YOU A CALL AND SET SOMETHING UP AT YOUR HOME THE  
FIRST WEEK OF NOVEMBER.

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NEW MEMBER MEET THE PASTOR, SESSION AND THE. CHURCH ORIENTATION WILL BE NOVEMBER 10. THAT  
IS A SUNDAY. WE WILL MEET IN A CASUAL ATMOSPHERE AND TALK ABOUT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN  
TUALATIN AND ABOUT THE DECISION TO BE A MEMBER OF THIS EXCITING FAMILY OF FAITH. IF YOU  
HAVE JOINED, ARE THINKING OF JOINING OR REALLY DON'T KNOW WHERE YOU STAND, COME AND JOIN US.  
REV. NELSON WILL LEAD THE DISCUSSION. 5:30 P.M. AT THE PRINDIVILLES'.

PRESBYTERY OF THE CASCADES MEETS NEXT WEEKEND IN VANCOUVER. THOM AND PEGGY HODGE WILL  
BE ATTENDING AS OUR REPRESENTATIVES BUT ANYONE CAN GO AND TAKE PART IN THINGS FROM ORGAN  
CONCERTS TO WHAT WILL BE A HEATED DEBATE ON THE ABORTION QUESTION. FIRST CHURCH VANCOUVER.

MIKE HAMMER IS IN THE HOSPITAL WITH A COLLAPSED LUNG. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH MIKE AND  
MICHELLE AND WITH MEGAN.

DON'T FORGET THE FOOD DRIVE .... NOV. 9 AT THE OFFICE AT 9:00 CALL BECKY AND SAY YES!  
COFFEE AND COCOA AND MUNCHIES AWAIT YOUR ARRIVAL! !

LOOSE A COAT SUNDAY? WE HAVE IT IN THE OFFICE!

THE THANK YOU MARY LUNCHEON WILL BE WEDNESDAY NOV. 6 AT MARGE DEAN'S HOUSE IN CHARBONNEAU.  
BIBLE STUDY PEOPLE SHOW UP AT 10:00. LUNCH SERVED AT 11:30. **ANYONE** IS WELCOME TO COME.  
SHEPHERDS, TEACHERS STUDENTS YOU ARE WELCOME. LET THOM KNOW IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND.

MEXICO RELIEF MAY BE SENT TO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA) , MISSION TREASURY SERVICE,  
475 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, ROOM 905, N.Y.N.Y. 10115  
PUT A NOTE ON YOUR CHECK ... MEXICAN DISASTER/EARTHQUAKE.

MEN!!! BASIC BIBLE FOR BONEHEADS CONTINUES AT 8:15 A.M. SUNDAY NOV., 1, 15, 29. JOIN US FOR FOOD,  
COFFEE AND A SURVEY OF THE HISTORY AND LITERATURE OF THE BIBLE.

NEXT NEWSLETTER WILL BE PRINTED NOVEMBER 10. DEADLINE FOR MATERIAL IS **NOV. 9.**