

# שלום! Shalom! Oregon Hillel

The Foundation for Jewish Campus Life

**Welcome back to all new and returning students!**

• **Thursday, Sept. 26th, 6 pm**  
Jewish Community Reception in the EMU Alsea Room.  
Information about Jewish groups on campus and in the community. "Noshes" (snacks) provided.

• **Friday, Sept. 27th, 6 pm**  
"Kabbalat Shabbat" Services (Welcoming in the Day of Rest), student-led at the Hillel house.  
7 pm - Shabbat Dinner, Kosher, Vegetarian, FREE.

• **Saturday, Sept. 28th, 7 pm**  
"Simchat Torah" Service (Celebrate the receiving of the Torah). At Temple Beth Israel, meet at Hillel at 6:30 pm to carpool.

• **Sunday, Sept. 29th, 5 pm**  
Welcome BBQ and "Simchat Torah" Celebration.  
At the Hillel House.

• **Tuesday, Oct. 1st, 6 pm**  
"Can a Table Stand on Three Legs?"  
Hors d'oeuvres and dessert reception with Avraham Infeld. At the Hillel House.

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**Don't forget to pick up your term calendar of events!**

## Campus groups celebrate many different faiths

The University has a diverse selection of religious groups on and near campus that encourage students to join

**Jenni Schultz**  
News Editor

The kinds of faith University students practice is as diverse as the population of the world.

And it appears that almost every faith has a like-minded group available on campus.

From Hillel to the Asian Christian Fellowship, students have a variety of worship or religious study options available. Many of the groups are located on or near campus.

Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship is located in Suite 20 of the EMU.

They offer a community of "cell" groups that have several commitments: To grow in their love for God, each other and in their desire to share Jesus with others, according to the group's Web site.

A "cell" group is similar to small-group bible study with focuses on relationships, worship, bible study and evangelism.

Another group is Koinonia, located at 1414 Kincaid St. It is a small congregation which offers more of a study type approach to religion.

On Tuesday nights, the group hosts a supper and fellowship. On Wednesdays from noon to 1 p.m. they offer a brown-bag lunch discussion. A bible study is held on Thursday afternoons.

"People can come talk about current events, life and ask questions," the Rev. Ann Bowersox said. "We are a Presbyterian campus ministry with a more progressive attitude."

The Wesley Foundation is a congregation located at 1236 Kincaid St.

According to the foundation's mission statement, this interdenominational church has a progressive view of the world and encourages those of all walks of life to be members:

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**Rev. Ann Bowersox**  
Koinonia Center

"We recognize the discrimination inflicted upon gay, lesbian and bisexual persons within our Christian community. After a year of continuous study, we have decided to take a stand and work to end this discrimination, which we believe does not reflect God's love, grace and justice."

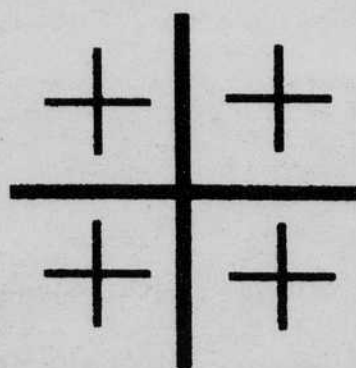
Campus Crusade for Christ is an interdenominational Christian group on campus. Its main emphasis is evangelical, with a goal of helping students grow in their faith.

Another organization is Hillel, the Foundation for Jewish Campus Life.

With about 1,000 Jewish students at the University, Hillel seeks  
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## CENTRAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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