

Church News

Immanuel UMC

Calendar:
 Wednesday, May 7: United Methodist Men meet at 7 p.m.
 Thursday, May 8: Bible study at 10 a.m.
 Friday, May 9: Mother's Day spaghetti dinner 6 p.m.
 Saturday, May 10: United Methodist Women's Outing-Meet at church at 10:30 a.m.
 Reception in Roseburg for Gary Oba District superintendent, picnic at noon.
 Sunday, May 11: Worship at 9:15 a.m.
 Tuesday, May 13: Choir practice 5:30 p.m.
 May 14: Finance Committee at 6 p.m., followed by Administrative Board at 7 p.m.

Community Bible

The Lord's day was celebrated on May 4 with Communion and with a Mexican potluck after service.

It was emphasized that that even though Jesus hasn't been seen, the teachings of His Holy Spirit are still believed in.

The women's tea will be held Saturday, May 17 at 2 p.m.

Spring cleaning, starting with the kitchen, will begin on Saturday, May 24 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Workers for the Jericho Project are still needed.

Donations for the continuing building and remodeling projects are welcome.

AG worried about SUV advertising

Attorney General Hardy Myers warned 16 manufacturers of sport utility vehicles that their SUV advertising was "blurring the line" between SUVs and automobiles and could be in violation of Oregon's consumer protection laws.

The warning came in a letter signed by attorneys general on behalf of 40 states and U.S. territories.

"Recent SUV advertising goes too far when it depicts consumers handling these vehicles as if they had the same performance capabilities as automobiles, when in fact they are more truck-like," Myers said. "The ads fail to adequately warn consumers, prior to purchase, of the SUVs' unique handling problems and high centers of gravity."
 "The ads may encourage unsafe driving habits on our highways."

The letter calls attention to advertising which suggests or implies that any SUV can safely execute emergency avoidance maneuvers at high speeds, advertisement featuring "abundant cargo capacity," which fail to warn consumers that weight and distribution are more critical to safe loading than volume.

Also, "limit" advertisements that depict SUVs engaged in rugged, high-speed maneuvers and provide a small disclosure indicating the use of "professional drivers" on a "closed course."

Many of these same issues were addressed in December 2002 when all 50 states settled their deceptive advertising investigation of Ford Motor Corp.

The investigation stemmed from a rash of Ford Explorer roll-overs following highway tread separations. The 2 1/2 investigation ended with Ford Motor Co. agreeing to pay \$51.5 million and change their advertising practices.

Under the settlement, \$30 million is going to a SUV Safety Awareness campaign scheduled to begin this fall.

Tygrachet R. Lorentz

Tygrachet R. Lorentz, 13, of Cave Junction, died on Wednesday, April 23, 2003, as the result of an automobile accident in Cave Junction.

Visitation was held Thursday, May 1 at Clausen's Illinois Valley Funeral Home. A wake was held the same day at the family's home. Private interment will be held at a later date.

Contributions may be made to the Tygrachet Lorentz Memorial Fund at any branch of Southern Oregon Federal Credit Union, or mailed to SOFCU, 103 S. Redwood Hwy., Cave Junction, OR 97523.

Tygrachet was born Sept. 22, 1989, in Allentown, Pa. She lived most of her life in Illinois Valley, where she attended Evergreen Elementary School; and Lorna Byrne Middle School, where she was in the eighth-grade. She won 13 titles in modeling.

She enjoyed singing, dancing and all sports.

Survivors include her parents, Bud and Wendy Lorentz of Cave Junction; and three brothers, Thomas Reed of Grants Pass, and Chad and Jesse Lorentz, both of Cave Junction.

J. Sipowicz-Miller

Former Illinois Valley and Grants Pass resident Jacqueline E. Sipowicz-Miller, 71, of Oregon City, died on Tuesday, April 15, 2003, of cancer.

No service will be held. Omega Funeral and Cremation Service in Portland is in charge of arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to Willamette Falls Hospice, 1404 Division St., Suite 7, Oregon City OR 97045.

Mrs. Sipowicz-Miller was born Feb. 2, 1932 in Uniontown, Pa. In 1979, she moved to Grants Pass, where she lived until about a year ago, when she moved to Oregon City to live with her son.

In 1994, in Grants Pass, she married Richard J. Miller, who survives. She was a homemaker.

Besides her husband, survivors are two sons, Wayne Sipowicz of Portland, and Joe Sipowicz of Oregon City; a sister, Norma Rinaldi of Eugene; a brother, Gerald Feelo of Texas; six grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

George W. Garringer

George W. Garringer, 86, of O'Brien, died on Friday, April 11, 2003 at Three Rivers Community Hospital in Grants Pass.

A family service has been held. Southern Oregon Cremation Services was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Garringer was born Feb. 19, 1917 in Cherokee, Okla. He was a self-employed carpenter before going to work at Vandenberg Air Force Base until 1977. He moved to O'Brien in 1977.

He enjoyed Illinois Valley and the outdoors, hunting, fishing, and mining.

He is survived by his wife, Shirley Garringer of O'Brien; a son, Ron Garringer of Central Point; a daughter, Kathy Rice of O'Brien; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Albert Capaldo

Albert Capaldo, 55, of Cave Junction died on Monday April 28, 2003 at Three Rivers Community Hospital.

Arrangements are pending at Lundberg's L.B. Hall Funeral Home.

James Keith Whitman

James "Jim" Keith Whitman of Cave Junction died on Sunday, April 27, 2003 at his home.

Southern Oregon Cremation Service is in charge of arrangements. No memorial service will be held. His ashes will be taken to a mountain top location, with those of his late wife, Barbara Whitman.

Memorial contributions can be made to Belt Lodge #18 Scholarship Fund, POB 3091 Kerby, OR 97531 or Lovejoy Hospice, 939 S.E. Eighth St., Grants Pass 97526.

Obituaries

Mr. Whitman was born in Marshalltown, Iowa on Jan. 20, 1926. He joined the U.S. Navy when he was 17. He was a member of the Underwater Demolition Team, a forerunner of the Navy Seals, until he was injured in 1946. He also was employed as a truck driver and heavy equipment operator.

In 1951, he went to Thule, Greenland and helped build Thule Air Force Base, where he joined the "Top of the World," Masonic Lodge. After he returned to the United States he worked for American Bridger on numerous bridges and large commercial building in many central and western states as a crane operator until 1972.

While working in California in 1963, Whiteman affiliated with El Cerrito Lodge #18 which later became El Cerrito-Albany Lodge #686. He later became co-owner and over-the-road driver for Golden Bear Express, based out of Pinole, Calif., which his late wife Barbara formed and managed until 1976.

Whitman then became a driver for PIE (Pacific International Express) until he suffered a back injury in 1985.

From 1986-1990 he dredged for gold in the Klamath River and Happy Camp, Calif.

Whitman moved to Cave Junction in 1989 where he affiliated with Belt Lodge 18 in Kerby. He served as Worshipful Master 1998 and received the Hiram Award in February. He was a lifetime Masonic member, belonged to Eastern Star and Scottish Rite. He was a member of the Waldo Mining District.

He enjoyed Masonry, gold, gold mining, talking of his travels, reading and his dogs.

Lovejoy Hospice and a close group of Masonic Brothers gave care and support during his last days and his battle with cancer.

He is survived by a brother, Garrett "Gary" Whitman of Blackwell, Okla.; daughters Delores Strahl and

Sally Runstrom, both of Michigan; and numerous grand, great-grand and great-great-grandchildren. He also leaves behind his companion Charlene (Charlie) Hickerson of Cave Junction.

His wife, Barbara Jean Whitman, died in 1992.

Carrie Ann Fowler

Carrie Ann Fowler, 20, of Cave Junction, died on Saturday, May 3 at Three Rivers Community Hospital, Grants Pass. Arrangements are pending at Illinois Valley Funeral Home.

Howard P. McElroy

Howard Park McElroy, 70, of Roseburg, born Feb. 16, 1933 in Mankato, Minn., died on Tuesday, April 29, 2003, at the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Roseburg. A memorial service will be held at the VFW meeting on Monday, May 12.

Mr. McElroy had a business degree from Fresno State College. He was involved in various business ventures throughout his life, but was a barber since graduating from Mohler Barber College in 1954.

He had barber shops in various Cave Junction locations until building a barber-shop in the garage at home in 1992. He considered barbering his hobby and thoroughly enjoyed all his customers/friends.

He was a member of the local chapter of the VFW.

He was a Purple Heart veteran of the Korean War, serving from June 1950 to September 1953.

He moved to Cave Junction in 1990, where he met and married his wife, Barbara, who survives.

He also is survived by a daughter, April Robert of Capitola, Calif.; and two grandsons.

Mary V. Bayer

Mary Virginia Bayer, 68, of Salem, died on Tuesday, April 29, 2003.

A memorial service was

held on Saturday, May 3, at Hidden Lakes Retirement Residence. Her remains will be interred at a later date at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Cave Junction beside her daughter Kandy.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Diabetes Association, Oregon Affiliate, 380 S.E. Spokane St. #110, Portland, OR 97202. Arrangements are being handled by Virgil T. Golden Funeral Service.

Mrs. Bayer was born in Flint, Mich. on April 22, 1935. She lived in Cave Junction from 1970-1985. Survivors include her daughter, Melissa McClelland, and her husband, Alex, both of Salem; son, Martin Green of Cave Junction; two grandsons; and dear friend Glenda Kennedy of Portland.

She was preceded in death by her daughter Candace Green Powell, husbands Thomas K. "Van" Van Nortwick and William Bayer and sisters Tess and Diane.

It was Mary's wish to donate her remains to Oregon Health and Sciences University in hopes to further the research and study of diabetes.

William Brewster Watkins

William Brewster Watkins, 88, of Cave Junction, died on Saturday April 26, 2003 in a Grants Pass health-care facility.

No services will be held. Grants Pass Funeral Alternatives is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Watkins was born on April 30, 1914 in Ocean Park, Calif. He later married Ethel Lackie, who preceded him in death in 1980. He worked as a metallurgist at Hughes Tool Co. in Culver City, Calif. He moved to Oregon in 1980 from Newbury Park, Calif.

Survivors include one son, William George Watkins of Cave Junction; four grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Besides his wife, he was preceded in death by a sister, Peggy Pozzo.

Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SELMA
 18285 Redwood Hwy.
 Pastor Monty Pope
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.
 Wednesday:
 Music Practice 7 p.m.
 Prayer & Bible Study . 7:30 p.m.

BRIDGEVIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH
 Pastor Charles Bridges
 P.O. Box 645
 5181 Holland Loop
 Non-Denominational
 Childrens Church . . 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship...
 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship...
 6 p.m.
 Tuesday Bible Study . . . 7 p.m.
 Women's Prayer/Thurs...
 9:30 a.m.

Men's Prayer Meeting
 1st & 3rd Saturday 8 a.m.
 Youth Group Sunday . . . 6 p.m.
KBCC-LP at 107.9 FM
 Corner Dick George/
 Holland Loop

ST. PATRICK OF THE FOREST CATHOLIC CHURCH
 407 W. River Street, C.J.
 592-3658
 Father Harry Holwell
 Parochial Vicar
 Masses Sunday
 Daylight Saving9:00 a.m.
 Standard Time10 a.m.
 Daily Mass Tues.-Fri.- 9:00 a.m.
 First Saturday . . . 10:00 a.m.
 Holy Days - 9:00 a.m./7:00 p.m.
 Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Saturday . . . 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
 East River Street & Lewis Court
 Sunday Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Pastor Peg Harvey-Marose
 592-2147
 Church Phone: 592-2290

COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
 113 S. Caves Avenue, C.J.
 Evangelical &
 Non-Denominational
 Sunday School .9:15-10:15 a.m.
 Morning Worship . . .10:30 a.m.
 Junior Church, Infant
 and Toddler
 Nursery Provided
 Dr. Don Blackburn
 Pastor
 Community Christian Academy

FRIENDS CHURCH OF THE VALLEY
 The Friends Center
 Hymn Mtg. Sunday - 9:30 a.m.
 Worship, Praise Songs -11 a.m.
 319 S. Redwood Hwy.
 Cave Junction
 Phone 592-5175
 Mid-week "Life Groups"
 Phone for Time & Location
 Everyone Is Welcome

FOUNTAIN OF LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 451 S. Junction Avenue
 Phone 592-3956
 Pastor Mark McLean
 Sunday School10:00 a.m.
 Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
 Adult Bible Study

ST. MATTHIAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 25904 N. Redwood Highway
 Sunday Services:
 1st, 2nd & 3rd Sunday - 10 a.m.
 4th Sunday 5:30 p.m.
 Vicar: Jan Meikle
 592-2006

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTCHURCH
 265 S. Old Stage Road
 Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
 Sat.
 Church Service 11:00 a.m.
 Sat.
 Prayer & Praise -
 7:00 p.m. Tues.
 Pastor Harold Premdas
 Church 592-3218
 Everyone Welcome
 Madrone Adventist School
 592-3330
 Sr. Teacher: Mrs. Amy
 Whitchurch
 592-6604

IMMANUEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 220 Watkins Ph. 592-3876
 Pastor David Goodrich
 Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m.
 Child-care for small children
 Bible Study
 Thursday 10:00 a.m.
 WEB Page:
 http://immanuel.UMC.net

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
 207 Junction Avenue, C.J.
 Sacrament Meet. 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:20 a.m.
 Priesthood, Relief Soc. -
 11:10 a.m.
 Bishop Jay Bennett
 1st Counselor Charles Rigby
 2nd Counselor Denny Swift

VALLEY EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
 Meeting at
 498 Laurel Road
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service . . . 11:00 a.m.
 Thursday..... 7 p.m.
 Bible Study, Youth Group
 Pastor Austin Patty
 592-6160 or 592-5184

ILLINOIS VALLEY PRAISE CENTER
 28569 Redwood Hwy..Cave Jct.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
 Home Bible Study/Youth Group
 Non-Denominational
 Bible Teaching Church
 Pastor Doug Wilson 592-4872

TAKILMA BIBLE CHURCH
 10300 Takilma Road
 Pastor Dan Robinson
 Bible Study/Prayer Time -
 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
 Thursday Bible Study - . 7 p.m.

LIVING WORD FELLOWSHIP "Walking as Jesus Walked"
 Full Gospel
 Non-Denominational
 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 7 p.m.
 Thursday Bible Study Prayer -
 7 p.m.
 139 S. Caves Ave. Suite G
 (Next to Junction Avenue)
 Pastor Wayne Vineyard
 592-2815 - Home
 Healing Rooms Open -
 Tuesday 7-8 p.m. or
 by appointment

ILLINOIS VALLEY HOME MINISTRY FELLOWSHIP
 A Messianic Congregation
 P.O. Box 1949, CJ 97523
 Sabbath Services
 Hebrew classes, worship in
 dance classes and celebrations
 of the Lord's Feasts
 592-4649 for Information

BAHA'I FAITH
 Phone 592-5234

Worship at the church of your choice.

FIRST LOVE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP
 The Church that Love is Building In the Heart of Cave Junction
 139 Caves Ave. Suite A
 (following the pattern of the New Testament)
 Pastor Bob Kurko
 Sunday Morning Adult Study
 9:30 - 10:15 a.m.
 Sunday Praise & Worship
 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Revival
 6 p.m.
 Wednesday - 7 p.m.
 "A Full Restoration Church"
 Office 592-4775

ILLINOIS VALLEY PENTECOSTALS
 Meeting 2 p.m. Sundays
 American Legion Hall
 2110 Caves Highway
 "Road through the RV Park"
 Contact 592-4716 for Bible Study in your home or the pastor's home, P.O. Box 2180, Cave Junction 97523
 Pastor Wendell Owens
 592-6787

CAVES CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP
 222 N. Redwood Hwy., CJ
 Sunday 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesday 7:00 p.m.
 Pastor Jeremy Nehf 592-6532

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Pray for world peace and our servicemen and women in Iraq and throughout the world.

