

RELIGION BRIEFS

Pacific Unitarian Universalist

The Pacific Unitarian Universalist Fellowship holds a service at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Performing Arts Center, 588 16th St. This Sunday, the congregation celebrates its yearly Flower Communion Ceremony, and three members speak on the topic, "This I Believe." Everyone should bring at least one flower to share in the flower communion.

For information, call 503-338-6883 or go to www.pacuuf.org

Community HU sing

SEASIDE — A Seaside Community Eckankar HU Sing takes place at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway. Regardless of one's beliefs or religion, anyone can sing HU (pronounced hue), an ancient name for God; it is for the spiritual upliftment of those who come, and is not directed to any other purpose. For information, call Seann Valen at 503-717-5485, email access49@gmail.com or go to www.eckankar.org

Society of Friends

SEAVIEW, Wash. — The Lower Columbia Worship Group of the Society of Friends (Quaker) meets at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Peninsula Church Center Fireside Room (south building), 5000 N Place. This is a "silent" (unprogrammed) worship group. All are welcome to visit and participate. For information, call 503-895-7474.

Cannon Beach Community

CANNON BEACH — Cannon Beach Community Church, 132 E. Washington St., holds an Evensong service at 6 p.m. the first and third Sunday of the month. All are welcome.

Evensong features Wes Warhund (guitar, flute and clarinet) and meditative songs, Psalms, readings, candlelight and time for quiet reflection.

For information, call the church at 503-436-1222.

Crossroads Community

SVENSEN — Crossroads Community Church, a Friends Fellowship, at 40618 Old Highway 30, is holding a Free Family Film Friday at 6:45 p.m. Friday. Come enjoy a film and fellowship. This event is always held the second Friday of the month. All are welcome. For information, call Shawn Leonard, pastor, at 503-949-5033.

Grace Episcopal

Grace Episcopal Church, 1545 Franklin Ave., celebrates the Feast of Pentecost at both the 8 and 10 a.m. services Sunday. Those attending are reminded to wear red, from the story in the Book of Acts, when tongues of flame rested on each person.

The Labyrinth is available for walking from 3 to 6 p.m. Sunday.

For information, call the church at 503-325-4691 or go to www.graceastoria.org

Pioneer Presbyterian

WARRENTON — On the Day of Pentecost, which is Sunday, the service starts at 10 a.m. at Pioneer Presbyterian Church, 33324 Patriot Way. Rev. Dr. Dwight Caswell speaks on "A Spirit of Renewal," and violinist Kim Angelis provides special music. All are welcome.

Community Vacation Bible School

The Astoria Community Vacation Bible School, sponsored by six area churches in downtown Astoria, takes place from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. June 19 through June 22, and is open to ages 3 through sixth grade. Check-in/registration is at the Astoria First Presbyterian Church, 1103 Grand Ave.

This year's theme is "It's a Miracle," and the week is filled with Bible stories,

fun games, new songs, arts and crafts, and hanging out with friends. The cost is \$15 for one student or \$25 per family. For information and registration, go to www.firstpresbyterianastoria.org and click on "VBS," or call 503-325-1761. June 10 is the last day to register online.

Calvary Episcopal

SEASIDE — Calvary Episcopal Church, 503 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside, offers an Enquirer's and Confirmation Class at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, and on June 10, in anticipation of the bishop's visitation later in the month. This class is for those interested in learning about the Episcopal Church, as well as for those who might want to brush up on their knowledge of the church. All are welcome.

For information, call 503-738-5773.

St. Brendan The Navigator Eastern Orthodox

HAMMOND — St. Brendan The Navigator Eastern Orthodox Christian Mission holds Liturgy at 10 a.m. Sunday, preceded by Matins at 8:30 a.m. at the St. Francis de Sales Mission, at 867 Fifth Ave. The Rev. Kevin Lien is presiding. There is a social hour after Liturgy. All are welcome.

Vespers services, are being conducted at 5 p.m. Saturday in Astoria. For directions to Vespers, or for questions, call 503-298-3453 or 503-201-3973.

First Presbyterian

A free weekly class, "Mindfulness Meditation," taught by Sumedha Murdock, is being held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Thursdays, starting June 8, at the First Presbyterian Church of Astoria, 1103 Grand Ave. The class includes instruction for beginners and new information for advanced students.

For information, and to register, email mindfulnessmeditationclass@outlook.com

Hoffman Center holds receptions for sculptor Davidson



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An artists' reception for ceramic sculptor Sher Davidson is being held from 3 to 5 p.m. today and Saturday, and every Friday and Saturday through June, at the Hoffman Center for the Arts Gallery, 594 Laneda Ave. in Manzanita.

COMMUNITY NOTES

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Rally for Truth set for Saturday

Indivisible North Coast Oregon, along with Indivisible NOW in Washington, is holding a Rally for Truth from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday outside the Astoria Post Office at Eighth and Commercial streets. The rally's purpose is to encourage citizen involvement and demand truth and transparency in government.

The event coincides with the national March for Truth (www.marchfortruth.info), and is being held rain or shine. Those attending are encouraged to bring signs. Pocket Constitutions, voter registration forms and Indivisible North Coast Oregon information cards will be handed out at the event.

Byes of Warrenton inducted into Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi

PORTLAND — Mary Byes of Warrenton was recently inducted into the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, an all-discipline collegiate honor society, at Portland State University.

Membership is by invitation only and requires nomination and approval by a chapter. Only the top 10 percent of seniors and 7.5 percent of juniors are eligible for membership.

The society has chapters on more than 300 campuses in the U.S. and the Philippines. For information, go to www.phikapaphi.org

Amateur radio club holds event

HAMMOND — The Mouth of the Columbia Amateur Radio Club holds its annual radio operations event from noon to 7 p.m. June 10 at Fort Stevens State Park in Parking Lot C. Emergency preparation people will be on-site for the day, as will ham radio operators, with their radios set up. Handouts for ham radio and emergency preparation will be available. This event is open to the public.

GRADUATE

The following student has graduated from college:

**Lewis & Clark Graduate School of Education and Counseling
Portland**

Astoria: Chuck Adams, master's degree, secondary education.

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SELF-HELP GROUPS

Al-Anon (Astoria) — 7 p.m. Tuesday, Peace Lutheran Church, 565 12th St.; 12 p.m. Wednesday, First United Methodist Church, 1076 Franklin Ave. For information, call 503-325-1087; 7 p.m. Thursday, Crossroads Community Church, 40618 Old Highway 30, Svensen. For information, call 503-458-6467.

Al-Anon (Clatskanie) — 8 p.m. Monday, Faith Lutheran Church, 1010 N.E. Fifth St., Clatskanie. For information, call 503-728-3351.

Al-Anon (Nehalem) — 7 p.m. Monday, Riverbend Room, North County Recreation District, 36155 Ninth St. For information, call 503-368-8255.

Al-Anon (Seaside) — 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway, call 503-810-5196 for information.

Al-Anon (Tillamook) — 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, St. Albans Episcopal Church, 2102 Sixth St., call 503-842-5094 for information; noon Friday, 5012 Third St., call 503-730-5863 for information.

Al-Anon Family Groups information, Oregon Area Al-Anon website. oregonal-anon.org

Alateen (Tillamook) — 6:30 p.m. Thursday, 5012 Third St. For information, call 503-730-5863.

Alcoholics Anonymous — To find a meeting, call 503-861-5526 or go to www.aa-oregon.org

Celebrate Recovery — 6 p.m. Thursday, The Table Church, 852 Broadway, Seaside. Faith-based 12-step program designed to help anyone struggling with hurts, habits and hangups, including drugs and alcohol, anger, co-dependence, domestic abuse or sex, food or pornography addictions. Being religious not required. Free dinner and child care provided. For information, call D.B. Lewis at 503-741-5977.

Eating Disorders Anonymous — 1:10 to 2:10 p.m. Wednesdays, River Zen Yoga, 399 31st St. A 12-Step program. For information, call Susan Williams at 510-417-5553.

Kick Butts Group Meets (Nicotine Anonymous) — 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Seaside Public Library, 1131 Broadway.

Men's Sexual Purity Recovery Group — Tuesday nights. Part of the Pure Life Alliance (www.purelifealliance.org) in Portland. For information, call the confidential voice mail at 503-750-0817 and leave a message.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Clatsop County Public Works — 1101 Olney Ave. Adopt-A-Road volunteers needed to remove litter two times (minimum) per year for two years. Safety equipment and supplies provided. Volunteers must receive safety orientation. For information, call 503-325-8631.

Clatsop Cruise Hosts — Looking for volunteers to meet and greet cruise ship passengers and crew, provide information and answer questions about the Clatsop County area. Ships arrive in the spring and fall, about 20 ships each year. Work all the ships or part of them. For information, go to www.clatsopcruise-hosts.org

Columbia Memorial Hospital — Needs volunteers to provide assistance to patients, visitors and hospital staff. Training provided. For information, go to www.columbiamemorial.org. To schedule an interview, call 503-325-4321.

Columbia River Maritime Museum — 1792 Marine Drive. Volunteer opportunities for those with an interest in maritime history. For information, call the volunteer coordinator weekdays at 503-325-2323.

Columbia Senior Dinners — 1111 Exchange St., Astoria Senior Center. Volunteers needed weekdays to serve and for kitchen help. To volunteer, call 503-325-9693.

Community Emergency Response Team — CERT volunteers needed for community events and disaster response with local police, fire and emergency medical service agencies. Training includes fire safety, first aid, traffic and crowd control, communications, damage survey, disaster planning and civic events within city limits. For information, contact CERT coordinator Kenny Hansen at khansen@astoria.or.us or leave a voicemail at 503-325-4411.

Friends of Seaside Library — 1131 Broadway, Seaside. Volunteers needed to staff the fundraising store. For information, call 503-738-6742 or stop by the library.

Knappa Rural Fire Protection District — Needs volunteer firefighters. Training provided. For information, contact any of the active personnel or call Chief Paul Olheiser at 503-458-6610.

Long-Term Care Ombudsman — Certified ombudsman volunteers advocate for the rights, care and dignity of the elderly and disabled living in licensed long-term care facilities. Many residents have no one to watch out or speak up for when things go wrong. Volunteer Ombudsmen talk to the residents, investigate complaints, and work to resolve problems. Flexible schedule, four hours a week, mileage reimbursement available. Training is provided. For information, call 800-522-2602 or go to www.oregon.gov/lto

Lunch Buddy Mentoring Program — Adults needed to mentor elementary and middle school students once a week during lunch. For information, call Mary Jackson at 503-440-0368 or email lunchbuddies.mp@gmail.com

NorthWest Senior & Disability Services — Needs dishwashers and volunteers to serve and clean up weekdays at a meal site, and drivers for Meals on Wheels. Call Candy Foster at 503-738-9323.

Providence Seaside Hospital — Needs volunteer drivers for Community Connections, a free program that transports people to services and appointments related to health and well-being in the Portland-Metro area. Mileage reimbursement available. For information, call (503) 717-7171 or email Alana.Kujala@providence.org

Providence Seaside Hospital — Needs volunteers who enjoy meeting, interacting with and helping people. Opportunities are available in the gift shop, café, and as greeters and for spiritual integration. Call (503) 717-7171 or email Alana.Kujala@providence.org

River Song Foundation — Looking for people to assist with Trap/Neuter/Release/Feed (TNRF), especially in the Seaside and Knappa/Svensen areas. TNRF involves setting and/or monitoring traps, and daily feeding of cats and maintenance of any shelters, and is a proven, science-based method that along with spay/neuter programs is the only effective and humane way of ending cat homelessness and suffering. Call 503-861-2003 for information and to volunteer.

Seaside Downtown Development Association — Volunteers needed to help with local events happening throughout the year. For information, call Tita Montero at 503-717-1914 or email director@seasidedowntown.com

Seaside Museum and Historical Society — Volunteers needed to help as docents, maintaining and creating exhibits, and various events throughout the year. Small and large projects available. Any amount of time will be greatly appreciated. Call the museum at 503-738-7065 or email seasidemuseum@hotmail.com

Start Making a Reader Today — Needs volunteers to read to students one-on-one for one hour a week at local elementary schools. To volunteer, call 503-391-8423 or go to www.getsmartoregon.org

Svensen Congregate Meal Site — Wickiup Grange Hall, 92683 Svensen Market Road. To volunteer, or for information, call Debbie Dunaway at 503-791-7298 or 503-861-4202.

Titanic Lifeboat Academy — Volunteer to help care for animals

and assist with sustainable living projects; minimum commitment of four hours per week requested. Some training provided. For information, contact Caren Black at 503-325-6886.

Tri-City Spay and Neuter Thrift Store — 600 Broadway, Seaside. Needs volunteers interested in improving the welfare of animals. For information, call 503-738-7040.

Veterans Services Officer of Clatsop County — Seeking volunteer drivers to transport veterans from Astoria to the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Portland using the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) van. To volunteer, call 503-298-8757 or email clatsopvso@gmail.com

Warrenton Senior Lunch Program — Warrenton Community Center, 170 S.W. Third St. Volunteers needed to help with Meals on Wheels and in the dining room Mondays or Thursdays. For information, contact Barb Balensifer at 503-861-1341.

Wildlife Rehab Center of the North Coast — Needs volunteers to help rehabilitate orphaned and injured wildlife. For information, call 503-338-0331 or go to coastwildlife.org

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