

RELIGION BRIEFS

Anchor Baptist Church

The congregation meets at the Astoria Christian Church, 1151 Harrison Ave. On Sundays, the service starts at 1 p.m.; Bible study is at 7 p.m. Thursdays. For information, email anchorbaptistastoria@gmail.com

Astoria Christian Church

For service information and updates, go to astoriachristian.org or bit.ly/AstoriaChristian, call 503-325-2591 or email AstoriaChristian@gmail.com

Astoria First Baptist Church

First Baptist Church, 349 Seventh St., holds a worship service at 10:45 a.m. Sunday. The service is also broadcast at fb.me/astoriafirstbaptist. There is also a Hispanic worship service, Iglesia Cristiana Vida en Cristo, that begins at 10 a.m. in the church basement.

Sunday school starts at 9:30 a.m. There is no child care, but children are encouraged to join the service. For information, call the church office at 503-325-1761.

Astoria First Presbyterian Church

Astoria First Presbyterian Church, 1103 Grand Ave., holds a worship service at 10 a.m. Sunday.

The Clatsop Emergency Food Bank, in the basement at 1103 Grand, is open from 3 to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, except on holidays.

The church office hours are from 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Thursday. For information, call 503-325-1702, email office@fpcastoria.org or go to business.facebook.com/fpcastoria

Astoria First United Methodist Church

Open for worship on Sundays at 11:30 a.m., 1076 Franklin Ave. Masks are required. For livestream service information, email the church office at office@unitedmethodistastoria.org or call 503-325-5454.

Bethany Free Lutheran Church

On Sundays at Bethany Free Lutheran Church, 451 34th St., Sunday school is at 9:30 a.m., and the service is at 11 a.m. "Glad Tidings" is at 8:40 a.m. on KAST 1370 AM.

On Mondays, confirmation is at 6 p.m.; Brown Bags is at 1:30 p.m. Tuesdays; and the Bethany Sewing Mission is at 10 a.m. Thursdays.

The Women's Missionary Federation meets at 11 a.m. on the second Thursday of the month.

For information, go to bethanyfree.com or call 503-325-2925.

Calvary Episcopal Church

SEASIDE — Calvary Episcopal Church, 503 N. Holladay Drive, offers the Holy Eucharist on Sunday at 9:30 a.m. For information, call 503-738-5773.

Common Ground Interspiritual Fellowship

Common Ground Interspiritual Fellowship holds a service from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Sunday, via Zoom, which is open to all belief systems, including the spiritual but not religious. For information, go to cgifellowship.org. For the Zoom link, email info@cgifellowship.org

First Church of Christ, Scientist

Sunday morning services and Sunday school at the Christian Science Church, 632 11th St., are held at 10 a.m.; enter on 11th Street.

Wednesday evening testimony meetings are at 7 p.m. Those wishing to attend by phone can get details by calling 971-320-0294.

The Reading Room hours are 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, except holidays; enter on Franklin Avenue.

Grace Episcopal Church

Grace Episcopal Church, 1545 Franklin Ave., holds Sunday services at 8 and 10 a.m.; the later service is livestreamed on Facebook and YouTube.

There are weekday morning prayer services at 8 a.m., and an evening prayer service on Wednesdays at 7 p.m., with contemplative music by Jennifer Goodenberger, which is livestreamed, as well.

The Grace Food Pantry is open from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

Church office hours are from 10 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday. For information, call 503-325-4691, email graceastoria4691@gmail.com, or go to graceastoria.org

Olney Community Church

The non-denominational Olney Community Church, 89351 Oregon Highway 202, meets at 9:30 a.m. Sunday for breakfast. Sunday school

is at 10 a.m., and the worship service is at 11 a.m. All are welcome.

A Wednesday prayer meeting is at 2 p.m. For information, call the church at 503-325-3394, or Ed Hortsch, pastor, at 503-791-4475.

Pacific Unitarian Universalist

The Pacific Unitarian Universalist Fellowship now meets in person at noon Sunday at the First Presbyterian Church, 1103 Grand Ave. The sanctuary entrance is on 11th Street between Grand and Harrison avenues. The service is also held via Zoom; for information, go to pacuuf.org

Peace First Lutheran

Peace First Lutheran Church holds Sunday services at 8:30 and 11 a.m. at 725 33rd St. The 8:30 a.m. service is also streamed live at bit.ly/3rckrMd

Wednesday Bible study is at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m., with noontime prayers following the first session, at 565 12th St. For Bible study Zoom links, email the church office.

Church office hours are Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. For information, call 503-325-6252, email office@peacefirstlutheran.com or go to peacefirstlutheran.com

Pioneer Presbyterian Church

WARRENTON — For service information, call the church at 503-861-2421 or go to pioneerchurchp-cusa.org

St. Brendon the Navigator Orthodox Church

St. Brendan the Navigator Orthodox Church, 820 Alameda Ave., holds Vespers at 5 p.m. Saturday. Light snacks follow in the Community Hall.

On Sunday, Rev. Sergey Kakorin, priest-in-charge, leads the congregation through Matins beginning at 8:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy begins at 10 a.m., followed by a potluck in the Community Hall.

Masks are optional. For questions, or to learn more about the Orthodox faith, contact Kakorin at 360-904-7794 or skergeykakorin@gmail.com or go to orthodoxastoria.org

St. Mary, Star of the Sea Parish

For information about services at both the Astoria church or the Hammond Mission, or about the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry, call 503-325-3671, email office@stmaryastoria.com or go to stmaryastoria.com

COMMUNITY BRIEFS

Frank celebration set for May 19

The public is invited to attend a celebration of life May 19 for Gerry Frank, who died on March 13. The event begins at 10 a.m. at the Salem Convention Center, 200 Commercial St. S.E. in Salem.



Gerry Frank

The doors will open at 9 a.m. for the celebration, which includes photos, music and speakers. Cake provided by Gerry Frank's Konditorei will be served. Those who wish to attend are asked to RSVP at gwfccelebration@gmail.com

Frank sold his book, "Gerry Frank's Oregon," at the Astoria Sunday Market, and was named admiral of Astoria Regatta in 1964.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Gerry Frank Center for Children's Care at Providence St. Vincent Medical Foundation, 9205 S.W. Barnes Road, Suite 2111, Portland, OR., 97225; the Oregon State Police Foundation, P.O. Box 2074, Salem, OR., 97308; and the Oregon Historical Society, 1200 S.W. Park Ave., Portland, OR., 97205.

FFA banquet, silent auction set

Astoria FFA and FFA Alumni and Supporters are partnering to host a fundraising banquet, silent auction and raffles at 5:30 p.m. on Friday at the Clatsop County Fairgrounds.

The event, which is free and open to the public, celebrates the previous year of FFA and features the 2022-2023 installation of officers and students recognizing community partners, peers and alumni. Donation and auction proceeds will support Astoria FFA and FFA Alumni and Supporters.

For information, email Tess Hamby at thamby@astoriak12.org or call Astoria High School at 503-325-3911.

The Astoria FFA Chapter

attended the state Agricultural Technology and Mechanical Systems Career Development Event, which helps students develop technical knowledge and an ability to work with others to solve complex agricultural problems. Astoria placed ninth.

Astoria High School holds art sale

On Saturday, there is a visual and performing art event at Astoria High School.

An art sale, which takes place from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the high school Commons, features pieces from nearly every student in the high school's art program, and includes drawings, paintings, watercolors and mixed media pieces.

Also, pottery students have made a large variety of bowls, which are fully functional, and can be tested with soup or cereal at the event. All of the sale proceeds will benefit the Columbia River Chapter of Bikers Against Child Abuse.

When the sale closes, the high school's theater program will begin their spring performance of "Cinderella" at 6:30 p.m. There are discounted tickets available for anyone who purchases artwork.

Tongue Point seeks members for workforce council

Tongue Point Job Corps Center is seeking new members for its Center Workforce Council, which will meet virtually at 2 p.m. Wednesday.

The workforce council, which meets twice a year, is made of members of the public, including public officials and industry professionals, who provide feedback to Tongue Point Job Corps Center about its training programs.

The council also recommends changes to improve the program's curriculum and employment opportunities. Those interested in participating should email Melissa Padgett no later than Monday at Padgett.Melissa@jobcorps.org

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