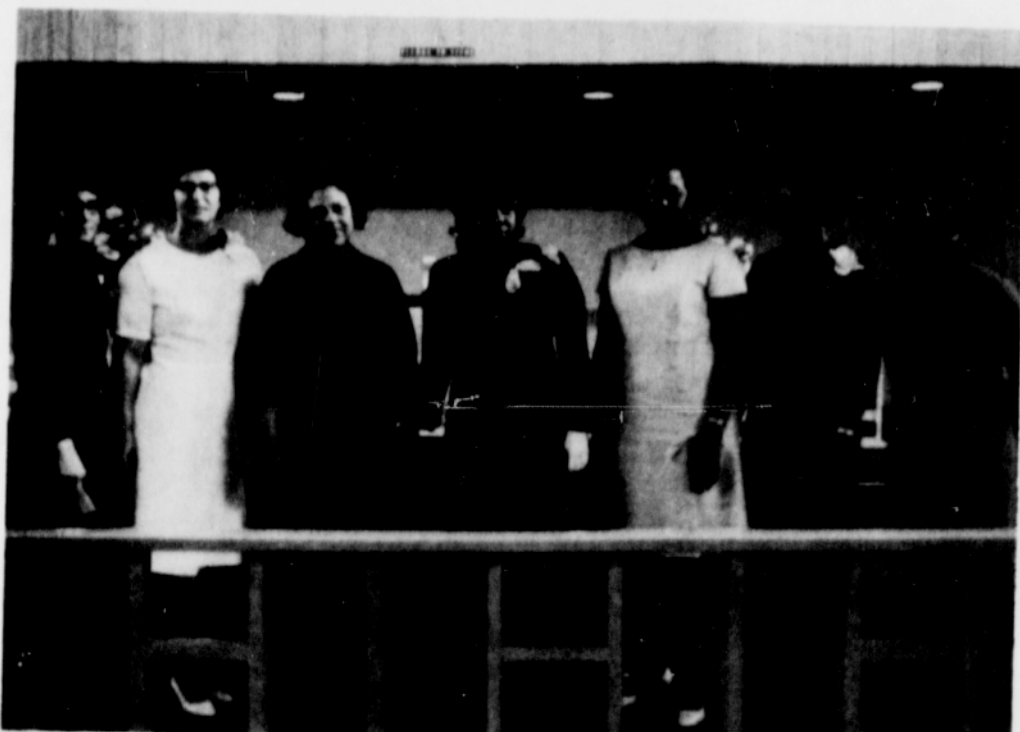


Religion

CHURCH HOST TEA



The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Anthony will be the setting for the Zodiac Kick-off Tea, which is sponsored by the Zodiac Tea committee of Bethel A. M. E. Church.

The public is invited to the tea, which will be held Sunday, June 6, 1971, from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

This tea is to be a forerunner of the Zodiac Tea to be held on October 24, 1971 at the Thundervine Motor Inn at Hayden Island. Mrs. Minnie Scott is Chairman of this affair, along with Perlene White Co-chairman.

(Photo by Al Williams)

News Around The Churches

Time for Church to lead nation

Presently, one of the chief objectives of the International Affairs Committee of our Council is to help the churches lead in the renewed cry for peace now coming from the nation's heart.

We are also hopefully rallying support for a referendum to be put on the ballot in May 1972, during the Primary Election, in order that the Portland voters may express their desire or otherwise to end U.S. participation in the war forthwith. To this matter on the ballot, Your letters addressed to our Committee, c/o the GPCOC, NOW may help us considerably in convincing the Commissioners that this is already the way the winds of public opinion are blowing within the Church.

We also wish to bring to your attention the great need for financial support and office help felt by a new national movement centered in Portland namely YOUNG VOTERS FOR PEACE. The idea is commendable in that it is likely to prove effective, that it is working within the system, and it is positive, with no destructive element whatsoever. It emanates

from the campus of Lewis and Clark College. YVFP are attempting to get a solid block of not less than 1 million new voters to pledge themselves to vote only in favor of candidates who stand for ending the war and for programs that will lead speedily to peace and justice. They are mailing letters by the thousands to students on may campuses throughout the nation. This costs weeks of hard work and many thousands of dollars. CAN - and WILL - YOU HELP THEM? Their address is SW 11th & Alder, Portland 97205. Please phone Bob Parsons, chairman, at 226-4934.

We commend the opportunity being offered by an ad hoc committee - THE ROSE FESTIVAL PEACE COMMITTEE - to make the Rose Festival a "Celebration of Life" and a call to peace, this June. After all, over 650 young Oregonians have been killed in the war to date and our economy is faltering as well. Not to mention the millions killed and maimed in Indochina. Let us use the Rose Festival for Peace. At least buy and wear their special peace button (25¢).

Church involvement

There is a growing movement among national denominations to bring their investment policies in line with a Christian commitment to peace, justice, and good stewardship of the environment. Churches, you know, are second only to the federal government in monies received and distributed yearly -- 22 billion dollars. A further item of interest is that seven major denominations have investments of nearly \$150 million in thirteen major corporations included on the Department of Defense's list of top fifty defense contractors.

Traditionally there has been an organizational split between those who control church wealth and those who make church policy on a national level. However, the gap is narrowing and there are encouraging signs that we may look toward the near future when "the Church will not only earn on its investments but also, while doing so, lend support to a full measure of justice in the land." This trend is foreshadowed in actions taken recently against Gulf Oil Co. policy in Angola by the United Church of Christ and the United Presbyterian Church in the USA.

stockholder resolutions on General Motors in South Africa, Kennecott Copper and American Metal Climax in Puerto Rico by the Episcopal Church, and others.

Nothing feeds the cynicism of the young more than the sort of schizophrenia represented by money management unrelated or contradictory to the announced mission goals of justice, peace, or environmental protection. Speed the day when the investment portfolios reflect true responsibility under God. And, by the way, what's unjust about paying the parson something like a living wage.

FISH asks youth to aid

During the Summer FISH's food supply dwindles rapidly and must be replenished continually. In the past FISH has relied upon high school and college students to canvass the city for food in order to feed Portland's hungry. Lack of donations during the Summer makes this continual canvassing a necessity.

If you wish to volunteer in this capacity or in another (office help, volunteer driving, emergency babysitting, yard work for elderly, or anything else that comes up) make yourself available by contacting FISH at 834 SE Ash.

FUNLESS TOYS

Toys are supposed to entertain and bring happiness to children but each year too many youngsters are seriously injured by their playthings. Parents should examine their children's toys for sharp edges or other hazards. A toy that hurts is not much fun.

Hosea freed in church protest case in NYC

NEW YORK — A jury in a New York City Criminal Court acquitted Hosea Williams, National Program Coordinator of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, of charges stemming from a protest at St. Patrick's Cathedral here on Palm Sunday, April 4.

Williams had been arrested at the Cathedral after he led a protest demonstration there "to challenge the religious forces of America to meet their Christian responsibilities to the poor."

During the three-day trial, Williams stated, "I committed no crime, and I will pay no fine. If I am convicted, I will accept whatever sentence is imposed upon me."

When he heard the verdict of acquittal on both charges -- disorderly conduct and interfering with a religious service -- Williams said: "This is not only a legal victory for me, but also a moral victory for the Church, which hopefully will now take advantage of the challenge to adhere to the Christian principles of service to the poor and human justice."

Williams stressed that he was not challenging the Roman Catholic Church alone, but that he selected St. Patrick's Cathedral as a powerful symbol of American religion.

"We wish to expose the large investments of Church funds in corporations which practice racial discrimination at home, make profits on war, and cooperate with racist and dictatorial regimes such as South Africa," he said.

Williams testified that he chose to demonstrate on April 4, because he is a Christian and follower of the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., who spoke out against racism, poverty, and war on April 4, 1967, and was assassinated exactly one year later in Memphis.

Williams praised the judge in the trial, Judge Irving Lang, and the jury of two blacks (one man and one woman) and four whites.

He also praised the work of his defense attorneys, Stephen Crandall, of Community Law Office in New York, and David A. Clarke, who is a lawyer and Acting Director of the SCLC bureau in Washington, D.C.

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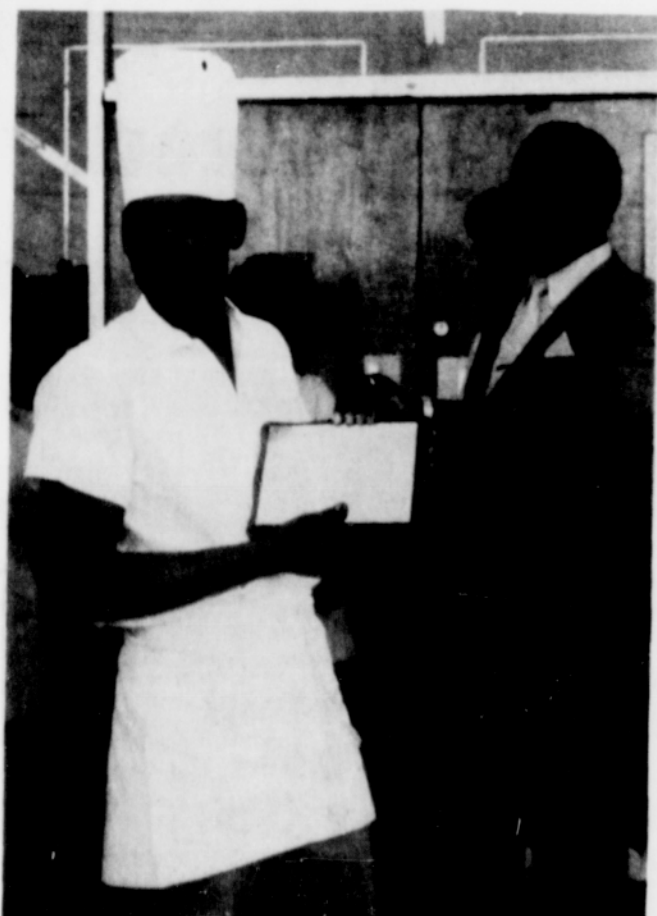
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Social Action Director for the Albina Ministerial Alliance, Reverend Samuel Johnson, drops into the Manager Restaurant and recalls the opening day when he posed for pictures with the owner, Jeff Powell.

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