

RELIGION

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Christian economics topic

Economic issues from a Christian perspective will be the focus of the Staley Distinguished Christian Scholar Lecture series at Warner Pacific College from April 30 to May 2, 1985. Dr. Robert Weaver, Associate Professor of Business at Bethel College, St. Paul, Minnesota, will address these issues in three public lectures:

"The Bible and Economic Justice" - Tuesday, April 30, 10 a.m., in McGuire Auditorium.

"Neighborhood Economic Development as a Christian Response to Poverty" - Wednesday, May 1, 7:30 p.m. in Egtvedt Lounge.

"Poverty and Loss of Personhood" - Thursday, May 2, 10 a.m. in McGuire Auditorium.

After each lecture, forum sessions are scheduled to allow members of the

At their annual Green Tea, the parishioners of St.

Phillip Episcopal Church paraded their head attire at

a hat show to the delight of the congregation.

Shown are (I-r) Genevie Martin, Julie Flecher, De-

The first Black woman in history to

be elected to the Oregon Legislative

Assembly, the Honorable Margaret

L. Carter, State Representative Dis-

trict 18, will be the guest speaker

for the Albina Ministerial Alliance

and the program's 6th Annual An-

niversary Banquet. The event takes

place Saturday, May 4, 1985, 6:00

p.m. at the Cosmopolitan Airtel,

6221 N.E. 82nd Avenue, Portland.

9, is a long-time supporter of child-

care and will address the subject of

"Preserving Tomorrow's Greatest

Arts Degree, Portland State Univer-

sity; Master's Degree in Education,

Oregon State University and post

graduate studies, Washington State

University. Her career includes:

teacher, Albina Youth Opportunity

School, 1971-73; Counselor, Portland

Community College, 1973-present,

Mrs. Carter holds a Bachelor of

Resource"...our children.

Representative Carter, mother of

AMA hosts sixth anniversary banquet

and Business Woman, 1975-present.

She continues to be actively involved

in the following community activi-

ties: Oregon Alliance for Black School

Educators, Alpha Kappa Alpha So-

rority, Joyful Sound (music director),

to the Legislative Assembly with over

80% of the vote in her district in No-

vember, 1984. In her first run for an

elected office, she received the largest

vote majority of any candidate in the

Joint Trade and Economic Devel-

opment, Education, and Human

Resources are the committees on

which she currently serves. The Alli-

ance and its programs commends

Rep. Carter in her achievements and

The Albina Ministerial Alliance

(AMA) is an ecumenical ministers or-

ganization involving 40-plus ministers

serving congregations in North and

look forward to hearing her speak.

Representative Carter was elected

Piedmont Church of Christ.

audience to ask questions of and interact with Dr. Weaver.

Dr. Weaver received his Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota in Educational Policy and Administration and his M.B.A. from California State University in Fresno. He is Director of the Small Business Institute of Bethel College, has worked with neighborhood economic development groups in rural and urban Mississippi, and serves as a consultant to small businesses and churches on mission clarification.

Information about the lecture series is available from the office of Dr. Joyce Q. Erickson, Dean of Faculty, Warner Pacific College, (503) 775-4366, ext. 601. The college is located at S.E. 68th and Division, Portland.

Sanctuary Coalition gala

On Saturday, May 11, 1985, the Portland Sanctuary Coalition will hold a gala fiesta to celebrate its first anniversary of providing shelter for political refugees from Central America. La Fiesta will be held at Holy Redeemer Cantwell Hall, 127 N. Portland Blvd., Portland, Entertainment will begin at 7:30 p.m. with a concert of Andean folk music by Antarra. El Combo Caribe, a salsa band, will provide music for dancing from 9:00 until midnight.

Admission is \$5, \$3 for seniors. Food and beverages will be sold. Central American craft items will be available for purchase. Tickets can be purchased through the churches of the Portland Sanctuary Coalition: St. Andrew Catholic, Centenary Wilbur United Methodist, St. Mark Presbyterian, and Multnomah Friends Meeting. Tickets can also be purchased by contacting Pay Carey at 284-6408

Proceeds from the event will go to support the continuing work of the Portland Sanctuary Coalition, refugee needs in Central America, and the national legal defense fund of the sanctuary movement.

Laura A. Evans services Tuesday

Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Tuesday in Caldwell's Colonial Mortuary for Laura A. Evans, a selfemployed caterer and domestic worker, who died recently in a local hospital. She was 76.

Mrs. Evans was born in Wichita, Kansas, to Betta Grove and Jake Horton, moving to Portland in 1943. Her husband, A. D. Evans, preceded her in death.

She was a member of A.M.E. Zion Church for 25 years and served on the board of stewards and the missionary society

She is survived by two sons, Phillip Bryant of Portland, and Melvin Smith of San Diego, 10 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren. A daughter, Betty Haskins, preceded her in death.



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Maranatha Church honors Wendell Wallace

Maranatha Church is honoring one of its earlier pastor by naming its newly completed banquet and gym area the "Wendell Wallace Multi-purpose rom." At the same time the church's new conference room will be dedicated in memory of the late Paul Knaupp whose presence in the church for many years was distinguished by a spirit of love and reconciliation. The church invites the community to the dedication of these versatile facilities at the Sunday morning service on May 5th, when the Rev. Wendell Wallace himself will be present and ministering. He will be speaking also during the evening services of Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, May 5, 6

The new multi-purpose room was formerly the church's sanctuary, but is now remodeled to accommodate either a reception or a ball game, a banquet or a youth festival. In the future it will be equipped with basketball goals, and the new carpet is already inlaid with basketball court markings. It is a feature of the new building that illustrates the church's purpose in "Building to Serve."

The Rev. Wendell Wallace was pastor of Maranatha from 1961 to 1972. During his ministry, the church moved from Beech and Borthwick to its present location at N.E. 12th and Skidmore Street. It has experienced two major expansions of its building.

Wallace's ministry was marked by dynamic preaching, prophecy and healings. During the Civil Rights Movement he attacked both white and Black racism, and welcomed people of all races and economic backgrounds to the church. He ministered to youth in the hippie and drug cultures. During the days of marching for civil and human rights he also led a march up Williams Avenue proclaiming that "Jesus is lord!" There were times when the crowds were so great that the services had to be moved to the Civic Auditorium or to the Jefferson High School auditorium. He left a spiritual legacy that the present congregation proposes to remember by naming the enlarged, unique room in his honor.

The church foresees a wide range of uses for the Wendell Wallace Multi-purpose Room, for youth events, fellowship, community service, and worship. The dual dedication on Sunday, and the special meetings to follow through Tuesday evening, are open to the public. All are

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been actively involved in community

service programs since 1964 and was

incorporated for non-profit in 1971.

Its leadership is spearheaded by pre-

dominately Black ministers. A pri-

mary purpose of the organization is to

identify and support programs through

which the ministry can provide social

and economic enrichment to those

who live and work in the community,

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Wickliff; back row (I-r), Sadie Grimmett, Beria Brooks, Betty Smith and Gertrude Rae. (Photo: Richard J. Brown)