

RELIGION

Scripture of the Week

And God saw every thing that he had made, and behold, it was very good. Genesis 1: 31

The Church that Love Is Building..



44 N.E. Morris (one block east of Williams Ave. The old St. Vincent de Paul building) Portland, OR 97212, Phone: 669-8737 or 249-8284. "The church that love is building in the heart of N.E. Portland."

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.
Pastor Wallace will be speaking.
* The Gifts of the Spirit are in operation

* The priesthood of the believer is demonstrated

* The "Voices of New Azusa's Inspirational Choir"

Wednesday Evening 7:00 P.M. to 8:30 P.M., teaching and training for all ages. **Our Vision...** Reaching the unchurched, Equipping all members, Assimilating new members into the fold, Celebrating Christ by life and by lips, and Healing for all of life's hurts.

Our Mission... Knowing Christ more and more universally, to make Him known more and more universally.

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(Picture caption: Wendell H. Wallace, Sr., Founder & Senior Pastor.

What is love? Ask a dozen people and you will get a dozen answers. Love is more than words; in fact, mere words can never express the depth of real love. Only actions can reveal love. (John 13:34,35; John 3:18)

At New Azusa we are endeavoring to show the love of God through actions. Every Sunday scores of loving people gather to celebrate the love of Jesus. Why don't you make plans to be with us this Sunday and see the love of God in action.

New Azusa Christian Center

REFLECTIONS

...And God Created... HmMMMM

In the book of Genesis, it reads, "In the beginning God created the heaven and earth, and the earth was without form and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And God said, "Let there be light", and there was light.

There is a young man named Arsenio Hall who hosts a talk show, and he does a comedy routine each time, on some occasions he does a popular line that says, "things that make you say, hmMMMM". Things that make you think and wonder.

Lets try a few...
...and God said let there be light... hmMMMM.
...and God called the dry land

earth... hmMMMM.
...He made the stars... hmMMMM
...and God called the firmament heaven... hmMMMM
...and God made night and day... hmMMMM
...and the gathering of the waters he called seas... hmMMMM
...and God created every living creature that moveth... hmMMMM
...so God created man in his own image... hmMMMM
...and with the rib... He made a woman... hmMMMM
...and God said, all these things were good... hmMMMM
...and then he made me... hmMMMM, hmMMMM, hmMMMM.

Shall you complain who feeds the world?
Who clothes the world?
Who houses the world?
Shall you complain who is the world?
Of what the world may do?
As from this hour you use your power,
The world must follow you.

Believe It Or Not!

BY MATTIE ANN CALLIER-SPEARS

The Holy scripture has been around for thousands of years. Some scholars say that we could even go as far as to say "millions" of years. Evidenced by the discovery of fossils, tide lines, soil erosion and other scientifically proven elements, man has made one frail attempt after another trying to solve the mystery quietly. "How did we all get started on this planet and from what?"

One curious factor always emerges as a reference--the Holy bible. However, isn't it strange that these people would use the very thing that they are trying to disprove as a point of reference; to substantiate their grounds as an argument against the Bible? Foolish isn't it? It's more like confused, instead.

Many organizations, each year, spend thousands of dollars trying to disprove the Holy Scripture. They are fighting a losing battle. Since these

persons are so intelligent; since these people are so persistent, why don't they just read the Bible, in its entirety, and just let the Scripture speak for itself?

But--I guess that sounds too easy.

How many times have you attempted to assemble something, like a child's bicycle or a small appliance and no matter how much you read the directions, you couldn't put it together; so--you threw it away? Then you justify your inept act with these words, "Those people lied! They didn't even know what they were doing when they drew up these instructions." Man is so quick to disprove the words and writings of another: especially when he can't figure it out for himself.

Believe-it-or-not, the Holy bible is the inspired word of God himself. [Timothy 3:16] No matter what prob-

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Ecumenical Ministries Of Worship Celebration!

The Annual Meeting of Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon will be held on February 7 at First United Methodist Church, and in a departure from past Annual Meetings, it will be set in the context of a worship celebration.

The General Secretary of the National Council of Churches, the Rev. Dr. Joan Brown Campbell, will travel to Portland to give the celebratory address at the worship service.

The music at the service will be from the World Assembly of Churches of the world Council of Churches held in Canberra, Australia. There will also be a Tongan choir singing music of Tonga.

In addition, the Vollum Ecumenical Humanitarian Award will be given to Rabbi Joshua Stamper of Neveh Shalom Synagogue for his

years of service to the religious and wider community on behalf of the poor, the sick and the addicted.

Several Ecumenical Service Awards will also be presented: to Ray Watson of KXL Newsradio 750; to Helen Peterson; Hall Templeton; and the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

There will also be installation of the new president of Ecumenical Ministries, the Rev. William Creevey of First Presbyterian Church. The Rt. Rev. Robert Ladehoff, Bishop of the Episcopal Church, will be installed as President-Elect.

The celebration will begin promptly at 4:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 1838 SW Jefferson, in Portland. Immediately following, there will be a reception with light refreshments. The public is encouraged to attend



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Worship Services 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
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9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Morning Worship
7:30pm Tuesday Bible Study and Prayer

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Saturday, Feb. 6

7 p.m.

Mallory Avenue Christian Church
126 N.E. Alberta

Join us for a memorable and joyous evening!

All PCC Black History Month events are free and open to the public. Call 244-6111, ext. 5222, for a brochure.

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Sunday Service

10:45

Sunday School

9:30

Bible Study

6:00

Evening Service

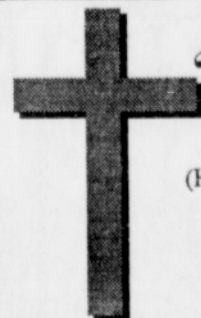
7:00pm



Pastor, Rev. James C.E. Faulkner

Theme: Whatever you're going to do for the Lord, do it now

1 Peter 4:11



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Pastor: Rev. Robert Probasco Sr.

Sunday A.M. Worship - 9:00 a.m.

Thurs. P.M. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

Come as you are for Sunday and Thursday meetings.

Join us for warm fellowship.

Become a member of our family.

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