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Love in Action



Rev. W. G. Hardy (left) and Heather Mc Donald prepare to raffle away new bicycles to area school children during a Highland United Church of Christ community event at Alberta Park in northeast Portland.



Janaè Brown (left) shows off the striking new bike she won, but decided to demonstrate love in action by giving it to her little brother, Hiag Brown Jr.

Saturday, sponsored by Highland United of entertainment, food and fun. Church of God of northeast Portland, was a

Love in Action VII was an annual church

A free community event at Alberta Park on event to bring the community together for a weekend

Senior Pastor W.G. Hardy directed the special activities, including a series of raffles and games, providing several kids with new bikes and other goodies.

Pope Deems Cloning Unethical | Seattle Priests Banned for Abuse

(AP)—Pope John Paul II warned in a statement that humanity's speedy progress in science and technology risks overlooking moral values, citing with particular concern experiments in human cloning.

The pontiff - in a message written Aug. 6 but released Sunday for the start of a Church-organized meeting on the theme of progress - insisted that advanced research must not become an end in itself.

"The results achieved in various fields of science and technology are considered and defended by Pope John Paul II



many as a priori acceptable," he said. "In this way, one ends up expecting that what is technically possible is in itself also ethically good.'

The pontiff continued: "There is no one who does not see the dramatic and distressing consequences of such pragmatism, which perceives truth and justice as something modeled around the work of man himself. It is sufficient, as one example among others, to consider man's attempt to appropriate the sources of life through experiments in human cloning."

(AP) — The Roman Catholic the church said in a news release Archdiocese of Seattle has released the names of three priests who have been permanently barred from min- archdiocese's watch but can no istry after allegations that they sexu- longer call themselves "father," ally abused children were found to wear priestly garb or present thembe credible.

They are James McGreal, David The penalty, recommended by priest with a single credible allega-

Saturday. The men remain under the

selves as priests.

Brunett and approved by the Vatican, is one step short of being defrocked.

The cases are the first here to be reviewed by the Vatican since U.S. bishops approved a policy in 2002 that bars from active ministry any Linehan and Desmond McMahon, Seattle Archbishop Alexander tion of sexual abuse of a minor.

Deadline for Abuse Claims Wanted

(AP) — The Archdiocese of of potential lawsuits to help settle asked a federal judge to set a Dec. under federal bankruptcy law. 31 deadline for priest sex abuse victims to come forward.

have a firm estimate of the number file claims.

Portland, the first American dio- creditor claims. The diocese filed of those victims, said the deadline cese to file for bankruptcy, has July 6 for Chapter 11 protection is unrealistic.

At least 60 alleged victims have The archdiocese said it needs to diocese; another 20 are expected to - and that shame imposes a cloak of

David Slader, an attorney for 17

"The problem is that the men and women who have been abused by pending claims against the arch-their priests live in a world of shame silence over them," he said.

Double J Tire Owner Dies

Joe Hendon

A graveside service was held Aug. 2 in Lincoln Memorial Park for Joe Hendon, who died July 30 at age 62.

Mr. Hendon was born June 4, 1942, in West Point, Miss. He moved to Portland in about 1955. He was well known in the community as the owner of Double J Tire King Jr. Blvd.

In 1976, he married Mary Lu Burbank. Survivors include his wife; sons, Joseph and Thomas; daughters, Merriane Plotnik and Tamara Hendon; stepsons, Rocky Plucar, Pete Walker, Gene Walker, Norman Walker and Rollie Walker; stepdaughters

Luanne Hendon and April Knott: brothers John D., Jimmie and William; sister Francis Chapman; 36 grandchildren and 12 great-grand-Center at 6841 N.E. Martin Luther children. His daughter Tabitha died earlier in July.

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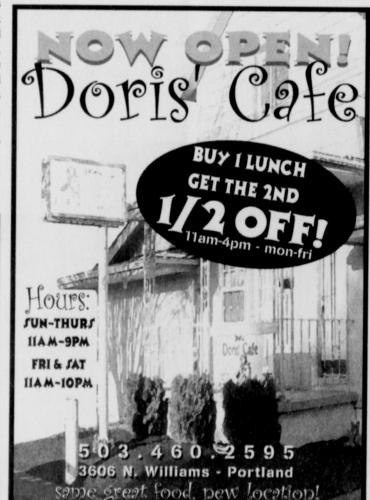
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