

## Lord's Supper tableau to be presented



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Again this year, the members of All Saints' Episcopal, Valby and Hope Lutheran churches will offer their Lord's Supper Tableau on Monday of Holy Week, April 17.

This year it will be presented at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Heppner, in concert with that Roman Catholic Parish.

A soup and sandwich supper will be served at St. Patrick's Parish Hall beginning at 5:30 p.m., with the tableau beginning at 7 p.m.

The tableau is a dramatic recreation of the Passover Meal that Jesus shared with his disciples in Jerusalem on the night before his crucifixion on the cross at Golgotha on Good Friday. This meal has come to be

known as the Lord's Supper or the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

The scene in the Upper Room will be recreated according to Leonardo da Vinci's painting, "The Last Supper". Leonardo painted the scene at the moment when Jesus announced to his disciples that one of them would betray him. The tableau includes a "still life" by Jesus and the disciples at that moment.

Men from All Saints', Hope and Valby will portray the disciples as they gathered at the table for the Passover in the Upper Room in Jerusalem.

A narrator will tell us something of the life of each disciple before the crucifixion, and their activities following the resurrection of Jesus.

## Marsha Sweek speaks at Ione Topic Club

Marsha Sweek, director of the Morrow County Museum, was the guest speaker at the Ione Topic Club meeting at Beecher's Cafe.

Sweek told members about activities of the museum and of her recent trip to Atlanta, GA, and Washington, D.C., as a representative of small museums.

Sweek said that most attendees had no conception of a very small museum where there weren't employees delegated to different areas of work but the director did most of them. She said she was also delighted to be invited to a reception at the White House, where the President and First Lady were also in attendance.

Ione Mayor Betty Gray reported that the city council had voted to donate \$400 instead of the usual \$300 to the budget the coming

year.

Jean Nelson called attention to the new Farm Foundation, which is working on renovating the old MCGG elevator into a farm museum. They are accepting dues and donations now.

Becky Hunt and Anne Morter volunteered to be story readers to the preschoolers in April.

The club agreed to furnish some of the meals for the Columbia Plateau Stage Racers to be in Ione in June.

Recent guests of Topic Club were foreign exchange students, David Mansfield of Yugoslavia and Hans Stulz of Rostock, Germany, who told some interesting facts and comparisons of their homelands.

The April meeting will be the annual Topic Club Senior Tea. Hostesses are Betty Gray and Kerry Rietmann.

Special guests this year will be The Right Reverend Rustin Kimsey, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Eastern Oregon and The Right Reverend Paul Swanson, bishop of the Oregon Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America.

An open invitation is extended to the whole community. Holy Communion will be a part of the service for the congregation and will be offered for both Roman Catholics and Protestants.

For further information, contact Pastor Dick Metz at 676-9970 or Father Gerry Condon 676-9462.

## MCGG News

By Sandi Day

The weekly meeting of the Morrow County Gun Club started early on Sunday morning, getting the clubhouse ready for a new coat of paint and the inside cleaned out and ready for a new look. The outside lights were also set up for the first time. The MCGG will hold night shoots throughout the summer.

Harvey Childers led the way at the 16-yard line with a 22, followed by Jeff Cutsforth and Mike Gorman each with 21 and Curt Day with 20.

At the 20-yard handicap, Jeff Cutsforth took first with a 21 of 25. A four-way tie for second saw Gorman, Mark Schlichting, Harvey Childers and Deona Hodges each with a 20.

The ladies were hot at the line with Deona Hodges taking first, Sandi Day, second, and Chrissy Wall, third, in the 16-yard and handicap shoot.

The junior shooters are giving everybody a real run for the money with Zane Ford-Day shooting an impressive 14 of 25, Chance Day a close second with 11 and Taylor Hodges, eight.

The Annie Oakley winners were Mark Schlichting, Harvey Childers, Jeff Cutsforth and Ted Schwartz.

Sunday also brought the close of league shooting for the year. The overall winning team was Barry Munkers and Travis Greenup with 392. The team of Curt Day and Bob Krein was a very close second with 388. Mark Schlichting and Matt Clark were third with 387; Jeff Cutsforth and Brian Haguwood were fourth with 371; Harvey Childers and Sandi Day took fifth with a 366; Mick Sharp and Roger Mortimore were sixth with 362; and Bill Greenup and Deona Hodges took seventh with 358.

The MCGG has several events coming up in the next few months with a shoot to be held at TKO in Ruggs on May 7, a meat shoot in May and night shooting starting soon.

## W.C.C.C. Golf

WCCC Ladies' Play  
Tuesday, April 4  
Best Ball Scramble

Team place: first Luvilla Sonstegard, Alene Rucker, Cam Wishart, Shari Stahl; second Betty Brown, Dana Reid, Eva Kilkenny, Pat Edmundson; third Kim Houweling, Lois Hunt, Karen Bishop, Karen Wolff.

Long putt, hole #1: A-Eva Kilkenny; B-Suzanne Jepsen; C-Maude Hughes.

Long drive, hole #6: A-Dana Reid; B-Betty Christman; C-Shari Stahl.

KP, hole #4: B-Suzanne Jepsen, C-Karen Wolff.

Door prizes won by: Jan Paustian, Betty Christman, Joyce Dinkins, Norma French, Deborah Kendrick.

## Holy Week, Easter services planned

"Holy Week . . . this year promises to be a very special time with a variety of worship opportunities at all of our churches," said the Rev. Dick Metz.

Valby and Hope Lutheran churches and All Saints' Episcopal Church are participating in all of these services (exclusive of Easter morning).

St. Patrick's Parish will be the site of this year's Lord's Supper Tableau. All Saints' is the site of the Good Friday Tenebrae Service and the United Methodist Church is also participating in that service.

All in the community are welcome at all services.

Palm Sunday at Valby Lutheran, Ione, April 16: 11 a.m. - ecumenical worship with Holy Communion. Holy Week begins at Valby with this ecumenical worship service. "The service begins with Jesus' joyous, Alleluia-filled welcome by the multitudes into Jerusalem, but the mood swiftly changes to one of somber reflection as we hear the reading of the Passion Story," said Pastor Metz.

Lord's Supper Tableau at St. Patrick's, Heppner, April 17: 5:30 p.m.-soup and sandwich supper in the parish hall; 7 p.m. -

tableau in the sanctuary.

Maundy Thursday Service at Hope Lutheran, Heppner, April 20: 6 p.m.-soup and sandwich supper; 7 p.m.-traditional Maundy Thursday Worship. The service will include Holy Communion and will conclude with the traditional stripping of the altar.

Good Friday Tenebrae Service at All Saints, Heppner, April 21: 7 p.m. - the Office of Tenebrae (meaning darkness or shadow), a Holy Week devotion dating back to the seventh or eighth century. The service is characterized by Scripture readings and the successive extinguishing of candles as the service progresses.

The service will be presented by the members of Hope and Valby Lutheran, the United Methodist Church and All Saints' Episcopal.

Easter Sunday, April 23:

-Valby Lutheran Church, Ione, 8 a.m. - festival service with Holy Communion; Easter breakfast immediately following worship.

-Hope Lutheran Church, Heppner, 11 a.m.-festival service with Holy Communion.

-All Saints' Episcopal Church, Heppner, 11 a.m.-festival service with Holy Communion with the Reverend Tish Croom, presiding.

## Videoconference planned

On Wednesday, April 26, Pioneer Memorial Home Health will join more than 2,400 organizations across the United States and Canada as a local host for the Hospice Foundation of America's seventh annual National Bereavement Teleconference.

"Living with Grief: Children, Adolescents, and Loss", a live-via-satellite video teleconference, will focus on ways to help children and adolescents cope with loss. The program offers insight and practical suggestions for those assisting young people with issues that include death, serious illness, divorce and other traumatic incidents. The program will be moderated by Cokie Roberts of ABC News and will feature a "distinguished panel of experts."

The teleconference is produced by Hospice Foundation of America, a non-profit organization that assists those who cope either personally or professionally with terminal illness, death, grief and bereavement.

Last year's teleconference was seen by more than 150,000 people in over 2,400 communities.

"While we often discuss how we grieve as adults, rarely do we consider the losses that children and adolescents must face," said Jack D. Gordon, president of the Hospice Foundation of America. "Whether they are grieving the death of a parent or grandparent, or they must face the loss involved in re-location or divorce, children and adolescents often do not know how to cope. This teleconference will present interventive techniques that caring adults can use to empower children and adolescents with effective coping skills."

"I would highly recommend community members attendance," said Molly Rhea, Pioneer Memorial Home Health director. "I have seen each of the prior six teleconferences and they have all been well done, thought provoking and time well spent. I would highly recommend community members' attendance."

## Little League tryouts scheduled

Heppner Little League will hold tryouts for boys' minor baseball on Thursday, April 13, at 4 p.m. at the Shad Hisler field.

T-ball tryouts will then follow at 5 p.m., also at the Hisler field.

Girls' minor softball tryouts will also be held on Thursday, April 13, at 5:30 p.m. at the Bob Kilkenny field.

Anyone interested in playing on any of these teams who has not yet signed up, should call Cindi Doherty, 676-5122 or Sandi Day, 676-5275.

## Chamber Chatter

By Claudia Hughes, Chamber Manager

Daily the Chamber mail holds "opportunities" for conferences, which could exhaust one's monetary resources and well as their soul. Sometimes one wishes it were possible to be able to attend more just to be aware of what current method of education is out there.

For instance the newest brochure says "discover how to thrive in the tension between the new economic reality and human values." It goes on to say, "the new economy is about speed, agility, instant wealth innovation and impermanence."

The new economy (.com) is changing the way we live and work and, no matter how we live and work, we need to understand it. However, one would hope that human values will not be lost in the process. Life should be about balance, meaning and contribution.

With that in mind, let's deal with some basics. Water. Without water, agriculture, and all natural resources, no one would really have the time or energy to worry about the other issues nor would they have sustenance.

The Heppner Chamber has joined with the Extension Office and the Morrow County Livestock Growers to bring guest speaker Pat Larson to provide an educational program on water quality issues next Tuesday, April 18, noon, at the Elks.

RSVP to the Extension Office, 676-9642, or the Chamber, 676-5536, by Friday, April 14, for the luncheon.

Take a break from the field to learn more about grass roots issues, where we all began.

The following Tuesday, April 25, the Chamber luncheon will again be at the Elks, honoring secretaries. RSVP for this luncheon also, 676-5536.

Thought for the week: "Making a living is not the same thing as making a life."

## Art workshop slated

A workshop featuring well-known artist Robert Walton of Leavenworth will take place July 9-11 at the Morrow County Fairgrounds annex. "Robert's paintings are very popular throughout the United States and usually feature dramatic skies and mountain scenes," said Betty Mills of the Morrow County Creative Arts and Crafts Club.

A sample of his work was raffled off St. Patrick's Day in the Les Schwab showroom by the Morrow County Arts and Crafts Club.

The proceeds of the raffle went to the Ag Museum project underway in Heppner.

For information about the class, sponsored by MCACC, call Betty Mills, 676-5546.

## Greeters welcome newcomer



Photo by Bonnie Bennett

Heppner Greeters, Joanne Bureson (left) and Ginger Keithley (right) greet newcomer to the community, Christina Wall. Wall is a new employee at the Bank of Eastern Oregon.

## Siren Testing Friday

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is testing Heppner's Flood Warning System Friday, April 14, 2000.

Two sirens will sound a loud, continuous tone sometime between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Do not be alarmed. This is only a test.


Please pay attention to the sound of the siren. You will not be required to do anything else during this test.

If you have any questions, please call the Morrow Co. Emergency Management Office at (541) 676-5161.



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