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Christian church to have services in Lonerock this week

Heppner Christian Church will hold services this week, May 29, at 11 a.m. at the Lonerock Community Church. A potluck will follow the service. Everyone is welcome. Anyone needing a ride may call 541-561-8881. No services will be held in Heppner this week.

Shared Ministry plans fifth Sunday worship

On May 29, a fifth Sunday of the month, the Shared Ministry of Hope Lutheran Church and All Saints Episcopal Church (now also known as "Hopeful Saints Ministry") will gather at All Saints for morning prayer at 10 a.m. All are welcome.

Methodists plan Peace and Remembrance service on Sunday

A special worship service in celebration of Memorial Day will be held Sunday at the Heppner United Methodist Church. "A Service of Peace and Remembrance" will include prayers, readings, music and the HUMC Puppets, Pete and Re-Pete, and their pals. "This is a service for people of all ages and all denominations," said pastor Patty Nance. "It's a great opportunity to light a memory candle, sing the music of America and pray for peace." The Heppner United Methodist Church choir will perform "God Bless America" The service begins at 10:30 a.m. and the church is located at 175 W. Church St. in Heppner. For more information, contact 541-676-9224 or heppneroregonmethodists@gmail.com.

Loop to meet in Irrigon

The Loop Morrow County Transportation's June meeting will be June 7 at 2 p.m. at the Irrigon City Hall in Irrigon.

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THIS MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND:
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Meet and greet planned for new 4-H agent

County residents are invited to a meet and greet with Damion Turner, the new Morrow County Extension Office 4-H agent, on Thursday, June 2, from 4-6 p.m. at the Extension office, 54173 Hwy 74, Heppner.

Hors d'oeuvres and refreshments will be served. Contact julie.baker@oregonstate.edu or 541-676-9642 with questions.

Local students graduate from OSU

CORVALLIS, OR—Six South Morrow County students will graduate at Oregon State University's 147th commencement on Saturday, June 11, beginning at 10:30 a.m. in Reser Stadium.

Local graduates are: From Heppner—Braden L. Britt, Bachelor of Science, forest management; Donald G. Matthews, Bachelor of Science, business administration; and Sean B. Murray, Doctor of Pharmacy, pharmacy (four-year).

From Ione—Makenna M. Ramos, Bachelor of Science, human development and family sciences; Mary V. Rietmann, Bachelor of Science, Magna Cum Laude, education, Bachelor of Science, Magna Cum Laude, human development and family sciences; and Tanner J. Rietmann, Bachelor of Science, agricultural sciences.

Other Morrow County graduates are:

Boardman students Gilberto Alvarez-Frias, Bachelor of Science, Business administration; Cheyenne A. Kennedy, Bachelor of Science, public health; Alejandra Mendoza, Bachelor of Science, Cum Laude,

mathematics; Chase H. Simpson, Bachelor of Science, civil engineering.

Irrigon students Cristina R. Montes, Bachelor of Science, human development and family sciences; Celina M. Orozco, Bachelor of Arts, speech communication; Jasmine N. Wagner, Bachelor of Science, general agriculture; Shesly Zamora-Martinez, Bachelor of Arts, Spanish.

OSU is one of the few large universities in the nation to hand out students' actual diplomas during the commencement ceremony.

The commencement speaker is Juan Felipe Herrera, a social activist and the first Mexican American to hold the position of United States Poet Laureate. The son of migrant farmers in California, Herrera is the author of 30 books, including collections of poetry, prose, short stories, young adult novels and children's books.

Commencement is free and open to the public; no tickets are necessary. More information about OSU's graduation is available online at: <http://oregonstate.edu/events/commencement/>.

Crop tour, Wheat League social planned for June 16

Local farmers and Wheat League members are asked to save the date for the Morrow County dryland crop tour planned for Thursday, June 16. The day will also feature the Wheat League social and potluck at Kathy Martin's, with social hour at 5 p.m. and dinner at 6 p.m.

Contact larry.lutcher@oregonstate.edu or 541-676-9642 with questions.

GENTRY RETIRES

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However, with husband Jerry scaling back on his construction business, she says it's time for the two of them to spend more time doing things together.

"He wants me to go with him, to do things together like golf or travel," says Gentry. "Just being able to take off two or three

days and see some places we haven't seen before."

Though, she says, she has no plans to become a world traveler quite yet. "There's plenty of places in Oregon I haven't seen yet.

"I've been to every rodeo arena, know where all the basketball courts are. Now I guess we'll travel to all the golf courses."

Death Notices

Robert J. "Bob" Kilkenny—Robert J. "Bob" Kilkenny, 86, of Heppner, died Tuesday, May 24, 2016 at his home. He was born July 13, 1929 at Heppner. Recitation of the Holy Rosary will be held Thursday, May 26, at 7 p.m. at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Heppner; a funeral Mass will be Friday, May 28, at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Sweeney Mortuary is in charge of arrangements.

Marriage Licenses

The Morrow County Clerk's office has released the following report of marriage licenses:

May 18, 2016: -Robert Michael Worden, 28, of Heppner and Brenda Victorio, 28, of Heppner.

Neighborhood Center closed Memorial Day

Bag sale planned for June 1

The Neighborhood Center will be closed on Monday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day.

The \$10 bag sale for clothing and shoes will take place Wednesday, June 1. All other merchandise is 50 percent off that day.

The new book room and dressing room are completed and open to the public, and the center can now accept small donations from the community. Larger donations will be accepted beginning Tuesday, May 31.

News from Hardman Community Center

A workday followed by a potluck and annual meeting is scheduled for Hardman Community Center on Sunday, June 5.

The workday will start at 9 a.m. Community center supporters will be cleaning out the attic above the kitchen and will need shop vacs, heavy duty extension cords, brooms and large dustpans in preparation for tearing out the last layer of interior ceiling. It is recommended to bring a dust mask if available.

A soup and salad potluck will follow the work at 1 p.m. The annual meeting will begin at 2 p.m.

The main purpose of the annual meeting will be to elect officers and receive a treasurer's report, secretary's report, and vice president's maintenance report. Membership dues of \$10 can be paid at this meeting.

The HCC Board of Directors has decided that no new construction projects will be started until the dining room is completely finished and usable. The group also plans to finish cleaning upstairs, cataloging/copying photos and restoring the bar. A good sorting of items stored in the hall and an inventory list of those items that will be kept and/or used is also necessary this summer. These are all projects started and not completed last summer.

Future tentative work days are scheduled for June 19, July 10, Aug. 7, and Sept. 11. You do not have to be a member to participate—any and all help is appreciated. Groups are welcome, and contractors wishing to volunteer can receive a donation receipt for their time from this nonprofit organization.

DA's Report

Morrow County District Attorney Justin Nelson has released the following report:

-Erick Fernandez Marquez, 24, was convicted of two counts of unauthorized use of a vehicle, a Class C felony. The defendant's driver's license is suspended and was suspended for one year and the defendant sentenced to 18 months prison time on each count, with credit for time served and sentences to run concurrent with each other. The defen-

dant also received two years post-prison supervision. Fines, fees and assessments totaled \$400.

-Saulo Esau Sandoval Pinto, 25, was convicted of one count of sexual misconduct, a Class C misdemeanor, and sentenced to 18 months bench probation, to include registration as a sex offender. Multiple additional counts of rape III, sexual abuse II and contributing to the delinquency of a minor were dismissed.


Community lunch menu

United Methodist Church volunteers will serve lunch on Wednesday, June 1, at St. Patrick's Senior Center. Lunch will include fish and chips, coleslaw, sunshine carrots, bread sticks, and cheesecake.

Milk is served at each meal. Suggested donation is \$3.50 per meal. Menu is subject to change.

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MAY 29th



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