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“A Church with a Heart for People”

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Thanksgiving Eve Dinner

Enjoy a holiday meal with the church family. At 6:30 PM on Wednesday, November 22, we will meet in the Fellowship Hall for a full meal. Following dinner, we will have a brief service of Thanksgiving in the Sanctuary. Reservations are required and will only be taken until the seats are filled. Call the church office at 206-542-8883 before November 20 to reserve your seat. Family and friends are welcome to join us.

If you would be interested in helping with any aspect of the meal, from preparation to serving



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to cleanup, please contact Clarice Duffy at the church.

Holiday Stockings

Our mission focus for the month of November is to provide items for the Holiday Stockings for Homeless Children. The goal is to fill over 2000 stockings for homeless children and their mothers. We would like to concentrate on the teenage group. Suggested items for donation are notebooks, hats, gloves, deodorant, playing cards, socks, pens, wallets, books, Chap Stick, cologne, soap, perfume, and hair items. Please donate **new**, unwrapped items and place them in the boxes located throughout the church.

Please pray for the shelters, the mothers and children who will be receiving the stockings, and for the organizers of this event.

Fabric and a pattern are available for those who would like to sew bibs and hats to go in baby stockings. Please call Jan Maxson or email her at jan@holidaystockings.org.

Volunteers of all ages will be needed December 8th and 9th to sort items, stuff the stockings, and deliver the stockings to shelters. More information will be coming regarding volunteers.

On Friday, November 10th, Northwest Afternoon, a local television show will be featuring this event. They would like anyone who has volunteered, donated or plans to volunteer to come and be in the audience during the taping for extra support. If you are interested please contact Jan Maxson.

Words of Hope

Words of Hope is a ministry that is building the church worldwide through broadcasting. Many countries are closed to Christian missionaries yet Words of Hope is able to overcome this through radio. The message of one Christian broadcaster can quietly touch millions of lives. They are currently working on a project for Iran through the Farsi language. Half of our special Thanksgiving Eve offering will go to Words of Hope for this Farsi project.

The other half of the Thanksgiving offering will go towards the Holiday Stockings for Homeless Children.

Annual Meeting

Sunday, Nov 12 at 6:00 PM, Faith Community Church will hold its annual meeting. The meeting will include election of an elder and deacon, adoption of a budget for 2007, projects that are being planned, and reports from staff members about upcoming programs in the church. JoAnne Prusa has been nominated to serve as elder and Craig Mack to serve as Deacon.

The meeting will be preceded by a lasagna dinner at 5:00 PM. Dinner will be served in the Fellowship Hall by our young people. A donation will be taken to support our youth activities. Reservations are requested by November 8, 206-542-8883.

Kids Praise Night

Children through 7th grade, their family, and friends are invited to join us on Friday, November 17th for a fun night of singing. Kids can be dropped off at 6:30pm and parents can have some time to themselves before picking the kids up at 8. A healthy snack will be provided. Call Kate Riddle for questions at 425-775-9680.

Inquirer's Class

Sunday, December 3, an Inquirer's Class will be offered from 5 to 8 PM in the Fireside Room. The class will cover the basics of Christianity and the church. Time will be given to address questions raised by the class. Those who are interested in formally joining Faith Church may chose to do so after the class. Please call the office to confirm your attendance to assure adequate material and supplies.

Soup Supper

Friday, November 17 at 6:30, the church family is invited to join in a community soup supper. All you need to bring is your own bowl, cup and spoon. Soup chefs from Faith Church will prepare delicious home made soups. If you would like to attend or assist, please contact Kathy Parkhurst, 206-542-6496.

Adult Sunday School

During the 10:30 Sunday School hour, adults are encouraged to attend a class. Ken Phillips is leading a class that is studying key themes in Genesis and Exodus. They are meeting in the Library.

Another class covering basics of the Christian faith is meeting in the Sanctuary. Nov. 5, Teri Peterson will teach on Small Groups. Nov. 12, Phil Assink will teach on Spiritual Gifts. On Nov. 19, Henry and Ellen Algera

Fixers

Monday, November 6, volunteers are invited to join the team that works on indoor and outdoor projects that keep our church clean and inviting. Look at the list posted in the Fellowship Hall on November 5 for a preview. Lunch is served to all volunteers at noon.

Christmas Eve Schedule

- 9 AM – Worship
- 10 AM – Coffee Time
- 10:30—NO Sunday School
- 5 PM—Family Candlelight Service
- 11 PM—Candlelight, Carols, and Communion

will teach on Worship.

Nov. 26, a four week series will begin called Network. Participants will be assisted in discovering God's purpose for their life based on their passion, spiritual gifts, and personality type.

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