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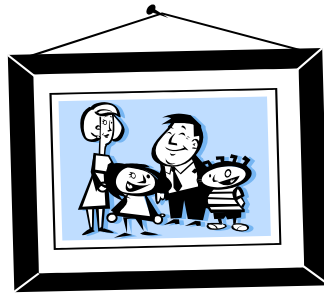
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Pictorial Directory

In April, Faith Community Church will celebrate its 50th Anniversary. As a part of the celebration, we are planning a new pictorial directory. Olan Mills Studios will bring a professional photographer to our campus Tuesday and Wednesday, January 23-24 from 3 to 9:20 PM. Pictures will be taken in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone who participates will be given a free 8”X10” portrait of their choice and a free church directory. Additional portraits may be ordered. You do not need to be a member to get your picture taken. Sign up any Sunday before January 21 and be a part of this project.



Everyone who participates will receive a free 8 x 10 and a free church directory.

Those who are not available for a portrait sitting may make alternate arrangements or submit a personal photo. Please contact Marlene Laffoon if you would like more information, 425-776-6570.

The Internet and Your Child

Saturday, January 20 from 8:30 to 4:30 PM, Faith Community Church will host an internet safety class, “The Internet and Your Child,” a class for people who oversee children’s online activities. This class is a hands-on guide through your computer and the Internet. No prior computer skills are necessary. The instructor will conduct a live Chat Room demonstration, explain various Internet activities, and teach you basic Internet safety. School teachers may take the class for contact hours.

The class is FREE. Computers for the event are being provided by Aaron’s Rents and lunch will be provided by The Sub Shop. The program is provided through Edmonds Police Department, Seattle Police Department, NW Regional Internet Crimes against Children Task Force, Washington Attorney General’s Office, and The Internet and Your Child. The class is open to the public. Contact Officer Aaron Greenum for reservations, 425-775-7723. Visit www.theinternetandyourchild.org, for more information.

Schedule Change

Beginning January 7, we will be revising our Sunday morning schedule. Worship will still begin at 9 AM. Following the Children’s Message, children ages 4 through 1st grade will be dismissed for an activity time and a snack in the music room down stairs. The music time for children will be from 10 to 10:15. The coffee time in the Fellowship Hall will be from 10 to 10:15 also. Sunday School for all ages will start at 10:15 and run to 11 AM.



Whirly Ball



Men of Faith, we have been challenged by the Men of Trinity Community Church in Kent, to a Whirly Ball Tournament on January 12 from 7:30 to 9 PM. The Challenge will be held at the Whirly Ball court on Hwy 99 in Edmonds. Contact Dave Maxson to sign up for the contest. The cost will be around \$25.

Communion

February 4
9:00 AM

King's Cakes

Celebrate the New Year with the tradition of King's Cakes during Fellowship on January 7. Open a cupcake and discover a surprise! If you would like to volunteer to make a batch of King's Cakes for the event, contact Kate Riddle at 425-775-6980.

Facility Fixers

Monday, January 15, volunteers are invited to come to help with campus repair and improvement. We have some storm clean up, if weather permits, and inside jobs to keep us busy. Lunch will be served to all volunteers at noon.

Offering Envelopes

If you would like offering envelopes to help keep track of your charitable giving to the church, the deacons have them available for 2007. You will be assigned a personal number and a box of envelopes with that number on them.

Soup Supper

Friday, January 26, everyone is invited to enjoy a bowl of hot soup at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. A variety of cooks from church bring a pot of homemade soup to share. Beverages are provided. All you need to bring is your own bowl and spoon. If you plan to attend or would like to bring a pot of your favorite soup, please contact Kathy Parkhurst, 206-542-6496. Friends are encouraged.

Installation

Sunday, January 7, our new Consistory members will be installed. JoAnne Prusa will be installed as Elder and Craig Mack as Deacon. They will join current elders Pat Dixon and Gary Peterson and current deacons Marlene Laffoon and Jim Haberman. We will also recognize Kurt Galley and Tim Sebens for their service over the past three years.

Common Cents

Have you ever wondered how so much of our money can disappear before the end of the month? Kathy Kraft will be leading a 4 week class designed to help participants develop a personal plan for their finances. Using material developed by Larry Burkett at Crown Financial Ministries, participants will get valuable tips on their finances. The class begins Sunday, January 21 at 10:15 AM in the Fireside Room. Each week will also feature a brief financial tip on how you can keep on top your financial records, such as what records do you need to or-



ganize so others in your family can find or access them, and what tax records do you need to keep and how long. Whether you are a beginner or a settled planner, come and take advantage of this practical class. You may visit www.crown.org for additional information and resources.

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