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2009 MINUTES

NORTHWEST YEARLY MEETING
OF FRIENDS CHURCH

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH SESSION
HELD AT NEWBERG, OREGON
JULY 26-30, 2009

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February 5-6, 2010

Newberg, Oregon

2010 YEARLY MEETING SESSIONS

July 25-29, 2010

George Fox University, Newberg, Oregon

REPRESENTATIVES SEATED, 2009

The following were seated as the Council of Representatives of Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church:

INLAND AREA: *Entiat*—Debbie Harrison; *Hayden Lake*—Vicky Woods; *Living Water Ministry Point*—Dianne Butcher; *Quincy Ministry Point*—Theresa Smith; *Spokane*—Leann Williams; *Woodland*—Georgia Lamm.

NEWBERG AREA: *2nd Street*—Chris Fleming; Tom Stanwyck, Dinah Steig, Sue Pruitt; *Netarts*—Ken Beebe, Jessica Ernst; *Newberg*—Judy Anderson, Pat Landis, Jo Lewis, Barb Mann, Phil Smith, Lyle Wheeler; *North Valley*—Anna Baker, Paul Anderson; *Sherwood*—Mae Wallace, Debbi Canepa, Mildred Minthorne; *West Chehalem*—Raelene Fendall, Roscoe Howard.

PORTLAND AREA: *City's Edge*—Debbie Day, Kathy Nelson; *Clackamas Park*—Marge McLain, Marianne Phillips; *Crossroads Community*—; *Green Plow Coffeehouse Ministry Point*—Mandy Schmidt; *Hillsboro*—Bernice Bosnjak; Laurie Christenson; *Lynwood*—Joe Krueger, Bill Moormann; *Reedwood*—Lois Cox, Elizabeth Price; *RiversWay Community Ministry Point*—Gilbert George; *Tigard*—Paul Thornburg, Paul Morse; *West Hills*—Barbara Reynolds, Rachel Hampton, Wilbur Wood.

PUGET SOUND AREA: *East Hill*—Stan Muhr, David Hurd; *North Seattle Friends*—Patty Federighi, Sharon Jones Hayden, Carolann Palmer; *Olympic View*—Delonna Halliday, Sharon Sullivan.

SALEM AREA: *Eugene*—Elizabeth Merritt, Tom Stave; *Marion*—Dora Lingenfelter, Carol Brandt; *Rosedale*—Lucretia Crosiar; *Silverton*—Deborah Climer, Ardis Drain; *South Salem*—Patricia Callaway, Barbara Dalziel.

SOUTHERN IDAHO AREA: *Boise*—Lana Thurston; *Caldwell*—Joy Lujan; *Greenleaf*—Veva Jencks; *Homedale*—Frank Tuning, Myrna Tuning; *Meridian*—Sherri Sheirbon, Patti Paz; *Star*—Stan Morse, Ellen Morse.

SOUTHERN OREGON: *Friends Church of the Valley Ministry Point*—Lee Eschen; *Klamath Falls*—Karen Oberst; *Sprague River Ministry Point*—Tonya Henry; *Talent*—Dara Gomez, Larry Looper, Syd Wyncoop.

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON: *Camas*—Joyce Myers, Ronald Myers; *Cherry Grove*—Pam Reeves; *Rose Valley*—Shawn Leonard; *Vancouver*—Karen Zoller-Vest.

MINUTES

Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church 2009

Monday, July 27, 8:20 a.m.

- 1. Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church convened its 117th annual sessions on Monday, July 27, on the campus of George Fox University. The theme for this year's sessions is "We Are Witnesses." Attendance was estimated at 190.
- 2. Presiding Clerk Lon Fendall (West Chehalem) greeted those in attendance, introduced Assistant Clerk Lorraine Watson (North Seattle) and Recording Clerk Ron Mock (Newberg), and briefly reviewed the roles of representatives and others in the Yearly Meeting business process.
- 3. Chris Hinderliter (Melba) and Reid Fitch (Melba) led the meeting in worship in song and prayer
- 4. The following visiting Friends brought greetings: Ashley Wilcox (Freedom Friends and North Pacific Yearly Meeting); Micah Bales (Great Plains Yearly Meeting); Faith Kelley (William Penn House in Washington, D.C); Diego and Rebecca Chuyma from Bolivia; Rae Lawrence (North Pacific Yearly Meeting).
- 5. Colin Saxton, yearly meeting superintendent, introduced new pastors and members of yearly meeting staff:
 - Boise:** Brad and Heather Tricola, co-pastors
 - Camas:** Wess Daniels, pastor
 - Green Plow** church plant (Redmond, OR): Pat and Mandy Schmidt, church planters
 - Greenleaf:** Adam Bradbury, associate pastor
 - Homedale:** Carl Bennett, pastor
 - Meridian:** Chris Tiner, high school youth pastor
 - Newberg:** Karen McConaughy, pastor to seniors
 - Rose Valley:** Mark Kelley, interim pastor; Sam and Laura Abelarde, youth pastors
 - South Salem:** Jim Pike, pastor
 - Talent:** Syd Wyncoop, pastor
 - Tierra de Regocijo** (Land of Joy) church plant: Caldwell, Jorge Sileoni, pastor
 - Whitney:** Tom Romberg, interim pastor

The changes in the Yearly Meeting staff are:

Director of Finance & Development: Brandon Connelly

Associate Superintendent, Youth and Young Adult Ministry:
Rachelle Staley
Administrative Assistant: Kim Felton

- 6. Lorraine Watson reported that the Administrative Council had completed a positive evaluation of Superintendent Colin Saxton, and had made the following recommendation:

After completing another evaluation of Colin Saxton's work as superintendent, the Administrative Council recommends that his call be extended two more years beyond his current term that ends on June 30, 2010.

The Yearly Meeting approved this recommendation, extending the call to June 30, 2012.

- 7. Tom Stave (Eugene), clerk of the Faith and Practice Committee, reported on the committee's proposals for this year. Three technical corrections have already been incorporated into the text of the amendments approved for first reading last year. Tom shared three proposed substantive amendments the committee would like to also add to that text, in time for second reading consideration later this week. The text of the proposals, with explanations in brackets, read as follows:

Amendment 1. (This is a proposal to permit filling of board vacancies at the midyear Representatives meeting.)

Organization of the Yearly Meeting.

- 2.06 **Vacancies.** Vacancies are filled according to approved procedures. These vacancies may be caused by voluntary resignation, by Yearly Meeting appointment (in the case of boards) to another board or official position, by removal of residence from the Yearly Meeting, by disownment or deposition from the ministry, or by death. The vacancy may be filled provisionally by the organization concerned if it occurs before its last interim meeting. The Nominating Committee will bring a name to fill the vacancy at the next Yearly Meeting sessions **or at the next midyear Representatives meeting.** Lack of interest, or failure to attend annual and midyear meetings, may result in suspension of membership in that organization after a year, provided the clerk of the organization gives ample notice of intent and sufficient opportunity to respond. If by the next scheduled meeting the one whose position is in question has failed to show cause for delinquency of interest or intention, a vacancy

is declared and a new appointment secured according to approved procedures.

Amendment 2. (This amendment affects the description of responsibilities of the Board of Leadership Development and Enrichment (BLDE). By removing the word "elders," this amendment clarifies the roles of the Board of Elders and the BLDE with respect to the training of local church elders. Responsibility for training elders would be reserved to the Board of Elders; see "Organization of the Yearly Meeting" 7.01.09.)

Organization of the Yearly Meeting.

- 7.02.01 Provide training and resources for all levels of local leadership, including **elders**, clerks, and representatives by: developing and maintaining training/resource handbooks for these roles; collaborating with the Board of Elders in the preparation of an Elders Handbook; developing regular training opportunities for local church leaders, to be offered on a local, regional or Yearly Meeting-wide basis.

Amendment 3. (This amendment deletes the specific strategies included in a responsibility of the Board of Local Outreach. Justification: this would not preclude the board from using these strategies, but would also give them greater flexibility in developing strategic solutions.)

Organization of the Yearly Meeting. (Board of Local Outreach)

- 7.03.07 Research and consider developing volunteer options for NWYM people that will encourage both a culture of service and life-long commitments to social concerns/evangelism. Strategies will include: disseminating information on compatible ministry options in the Northwest; in cooperation with interested NWYM churches, creating internships, community houses, ministry programs that would provide a period of dedicated service for young people out of high school.

The meeting approved these three amendments as a first reading.

- 8. Earl Tycksen (North Valley), clerk of the Nominating Committee, brought that group's recommendation that Tom Stave be appointed the presiding clerk of the Yearly Meeting beginning at the end of this week through the 2012 sessions of the yearly meeting. The Yearly Meeting approved this appointment.

- 9. Earl Tycksen brought the following recommendations for other yearly meeting positions, for terms expiring in 2012:

New Nominees:

Board of Congregational Care:

Betty Jo Steele (2012)

Christian Education and Discipleship:

Hernan Diaz (2012)

Board of Global Outreach:

Wilbur Wood (2012)

Board of Youth and Young Adult Min:

Vicki Stave (2012)

Incumbents Nominated for Renewed Terms:

Administrative Council (nominated by the Board of Elders):

Mark Ankeny (2012)

Ken Beebe, (2012)

JoAnne Magee (2012)

Board of Elders:

Lana Thurston (2012)

Board of Christian Education and Discipleship:

Evelyn Myers (2012)

James Teeters (2012)

David Powell (2012)

Board of Congregational Care:

Delonna Halliday (2012)

Arden Kinser (2012)

Board of Global Outreach:

Chuck Scott (2012)

Terri Wenzig (2012)

Board of Leadership Development and Enrichment:

Deborah Climer (2012)

Board of Local Outreach:

Norma Ashley (2012)

Bernice Bosnjak (2012)

Bill Moormann (2012)

Board of Youth and Young Adult Ministry:

Scott Cornwall (2012)

Trustees:

Lloyd Pruitt (through 2014)

Friendsview Retirement Community:

Vicki Stave (2012)

- 10. Dan Cammack (Tigard), clerk of the Board of Global Outreach, brought that board's report. He thanked the yearly meeting for its long-standing support for both local and global outreach. The first priority of the

board is to support "Friends serving abroad" – a term the board has chosen to use rather than "missionaries" to more accurately reflect the breadth of ministry the yearly meeting is supporting around the world. The board is working with the Friends serving abroad to discern how each of them contributes to the yearly meeting's holistic vision of gospel ministry. The board will be consulting with the Mennonites over the next year, looking for more ideas on how to do this. Dan is encouraged that the board itself is attracting members that reflect this broader sense of ministry. Much of this broader vision is still being explored by the board, including the peacemaking and reconciliation aspect of ministry. Dan explained that the board believes it is important to continue planting Friends churches abroad, but plans to also support non-Friends Christian congregations where that is more appropriate for local conditions. The meeting approved the Board of Global Outreach's ministry plan.

- 11. Chuck Mylander, executive director of Evangelical Friends Mission, reported on EFM's work. He reported that a recent meeting for prospective missionaries had an encouraging turnout, including members of Northwest Yearly Meeting. He mentioned that several members of NWYM have responded to a call from David and Debby Thomas for people to teach English in Rwanda. A new work in Sri Lanka, sponsored by Friends in Nepal, is awaiting visa approvals. Chuck celebrated the modern mission's pattern: missionaries from all six populated continents are going to all six continents.

Monday, July 27, 10:35 a.m.

- 12. Dennis Russell, executive director, presented a report on the ministry of Friendsview Retirement Community. Dennis explained that Friendsview is conscious of being a partner ministry to the Yearly Meeting, with 53% of the residents at Friendsview being Friends and the yearly meeting *Faith and Practice* being a guide to Friendsview's decision-making. Friends pastors at Friendsview receive a total of about \$138,000 each year in financial assistance toward the cost of living there. Springbrook Meadows, with 42 units and a new community center, has eleven open units. Friendsview is partnering with George Fox University on various educational opportunities. The Friendsview Board is starting a Friendsview 2020 long-range planning process.

- 13. Chris Hinderliter and Reid Fitch led the meeting in worship in song and prayer. Attendance was an estimated 195.

- 14. Laurie Conant (North Valley), clerk of the Board of Christian Education and Discipleship, brought its report, highlighting several events and resources that are available here at Yearly Meeting. Jim Teeters (East Hill) and David Powell (Eugene) offer a workshop for men on How to Live a More Balanced Life. Cherice Bock (North Valley) brought an update on the

peace education subcommittee of the board, which is working on a needs assessment for all the local meetings in the yearly meeting. The subcommittee is planning a "peace month" to encourage local meetings to focus on the peace testimony and its applications to our lives. The meeting approved the Board of Christian Education and Discipleship's ministry plan.

■ 15. Jon Boehm (Cherry Grove), a member of the Board of Congregational Care, explained the board's use of the Natural Church Development model for helping congregations to discern where the congregation can make the biggest improvements. Other programs the board is promoting include Love and Logic approach to parenting; Mennonite Mutual Aid for faithful financial management, and Share Calls. The board is also hosting a workshop on domestic violence in the church. The meeting approved the Board of Congregational Care's ministry plan.

■ 16. Marge Abbott (Multnomah Meeting with North Pacific Yearly Meeting) and Nancy McLauchlan (Bridge City Meeting in North Pacific Yearly Meeting) were welcomed as visiting Friends.

■ 17. Bill Moormann (Lynwood), clerk of the Board of Local Outreach, described that board's ministry plan. While the plan this year is similar to last year's, a new Human Rights subcommittee exemplifies the board's desire to respond to callings among the members of the board. The meeting approved the Board of Local Outreach's ministry plan.

■ 18. Ken Comfort (Reedwood) reported on behalf of our representatives to the Friends World Committee for Consultation. The most recent North America FWCC meeting took place in June at Canby Grove campground, hosted jointly by Northwest and North Pacific yearly meetings on a theme drawn from Habakkuk. The keynote speakers were both from Northwest Yearly Meeting. Ken served on the worship group, which included Friends from a wide variety of theological backgrounds. The group began its work uncomfortably, with Ken having to explain what it means to him to be a Friends pastor. As the meeting unfolded relationships grew stronger and warmer. Other representatives are Anna Baker (North Valley), Elenita Bales (Newberg), Sharon Hayden (North Seattle), Julie Peyton (West Hills), and Orville Winters (Crossroads).

■ 19. Lon invited Friends who have traveled in ministry to give a report. We heard about the following ministries:

- * Training women in Burundi in the Peace through Pieces program, leading to a cottage industry in which women make quilts and other items for traumatized women in Burundi and for sale in other countries.
- * Working in Kenya to help start a library at Friends University - Kimosi, with the opportunity to support a student at the university

for \$20 per month.

- * Working with Yorba Linda Friends Church on medical missions in southern India.
- * Helping Honduras Yearly Meeting to train health workers.
- * A ministry trip coming up this fall to Israel.
- * Visiting ministry with Peruvian Friends.
- * Helping to build homes for members of the untouchable caste in India.
- * Members of our Yearly Meeting have been plenary speakers or conference presenters at Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, Western Yearly Meeting, a peace conference hosted by Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, Pendle Hill, Friends Association for Higher Education, and Friends Committee on National Legislation.

Tuesday, July 28, 8:20 a.m.

■ 20. Gar Mickelson (Hayden Lake) reported from the Immigration Subcommittee. They are in the process of gathering information, developing resources and workshops, and building contacts with immigrants and people working with them. The subcommittee has a website linked to the yearly meeting site, and has a Facebook account. The subcommittee is working on three fronts: providing information about immigration law and practice, advocacy for just and clear laws, and fostering ministry action for immigrants in each congregation's community. The subcommittee wants to work in cooperation with the Latino ministry subcommittee of the Board of Local Outreach. The subcommittee is working with a Mennonite group in Canby, OR, which is doing a variety of things, including getting passports for young American citizens who are children of immigrants. The meeting was challenged to re-adjust its thinking away from being an Anglo yearly meeting which does things for some Latinos, toward being a multi-cultural yearly meeting in which Latinos, Anglos and others work together (including, perhaps, making yearly meeting sessions bilingual).

■ 21. The meeting worshipped in song, scripture, and prayer. Attendance was an estimated at 190.

■ 22. Trey Doty (City's Edge), clerk, brought the ministry plan from the Board of Leadership Development and Enrichment. He emphasized how the work of the board involves personal relationships with people who are discerning their calls to ministry. The board is sponsoring interns in churches, and adapting models of mentoring used in education to foster the growth of our pastors. The meeting approved this ministry plan.

■ 23. Robin Baker, president of George Fox University, brought the university's report. He reported that this year the University had the best accreditation visit in the last twenty years. The annual university budget is

now more than \$60,000,000. Robin cited an address given 60 years ago by Levi Pennington for the principle that George Fox should extend its ministry well beyond the circle of Friends, but always as an institution that is “definitely Christian,” seeking to bring students to Christ. One example of how this works out today is the university’s current status as the leading supplier of K-12 educators to schools in Oregon. Still, the university wants to keep its ties to the Yearly Meeting as strong as possible. Robin introduced Jamie Johnson (Newberg), the director of the new undergraduate Friends Leadership Center. Jamie shared his vision for how the center will strengthen the partnership between George Fox and the yearly meeting. He noted that the university will have only about seventy Friends undergraduate students this coming fall, the lowest number in recent years. Jamie encouraged Friends to consider George Fox as the place to send Friends students, and mentioned that the university has increased scholarship resources for Friends students.

■ 24. The Yearly Meeting approved the reappointment of the following people to the George Fox University Board: Patricia Anderson, Scott Conant, Gordon Crisman, Brenda Coe, Greg Goodwin, Dave Green, Deborah Martin, Judy Miller, Bob Monroe, Truman Stone, Steve Tatone, Bill Wilson, Dave Woolsey.

The meeting also approved two new members of the board: Heather Lewis, active at Second Street Community Church, a GFU alumna, and a registered nurse. Jim Steinfeld, a member of Sunset Presbyterian Church, a businessman, and an alumnus of Lewis and Clark College.

With these new appointments, 19 of 32 members of the board are members of the Friends Church, and 16 are members of Northwest Yearly Meeting.

Tuesday, July 28, 10:40 a.m.

■ 25. Julie Peyton (West Hills) shared apt quotations from epistles we received from yearly meetings in Australia and Britain.

■ 26. Brendon Connelly (North Valley), the yearly meeting Director of Finance and Development, shared a report on the 2009 budget, and on the proposed 2010 budget. Income was well below projections in 2008, partly due to poor returns on investments and the overall weakening economy. The 2009 budget approved a year ago called for expenses of \$1,681,053, but by the end of the first quarter of 2009 it was clear that the original 2009 budget was too optimistic. The Administrative Council cut almost \$300,000 out of the 2009 budget, leaving the total planned expenses for this year at \$1,386,545. In preparing the budget for 2010, the various boards were asked to be careful about their expenses. The Administrative Council worked with the boards to develop a proposed budget for 2010 of \$1,507,346. However,

to support this figure, either more money will have to be drawn from the Ministry Fund, or local congregations will have to increase their support to the Yearly Meeting by more than \$40,000 above 2009 levels. The Yearly Meeting’s goal is to limit draws from the Ministry Fund to 5% of its balance each year. The budget for 2010 will result in a draw of 9.9%—or more, if local church support does not increase from 2009 levels. Lon asked the members of the meeting to prayerfully consider the situation and give feedback to the members of the Administrative Council, which is seeking guidance on whether to seek approval for the current proposal for 2010, or to ask the boards this week to make at least \$40,000 in cuts.

■ 27. The meeting worshipped in song and prayer. Attendance was an estimated at 195.

■ 28. Judy Woolsey (Newberg), clerk of the Board of Communications, presented their ministry plan for 2010. She highlighted the Connection, which will come out eight times in the next year; the new yearly meeting Facebook account; the monthly bulletin insert called “Spotlight”; and upgrades to the yearly meeting website. The board is requesting an increase in Yearly Meeting Communication Director Bruce Bishop’s contract from half-time to three-quarters time. The meeting approved the Board of Communications ministry plan for 2010.

■ 29. Becky Ankeny (Newberg) brought the report from the Board of Elders. The board is working to hold workshops for elders in various areas of the yearly meeting, and distributing the new Elders Handbook, which is available both in print and on line. The board has been talking with local clerks of elders to find ways to be more supportive of their roles. The board also works with local elders who are struggling with issues on their committees or in their churches. The meeting approved the ministry plan of the Board of Elders.

■ 30. Tom Stave, clerk of the Faith and Practice Revision Committee, shared a proposed revision to the *Faith and Practice*, Organization of Areas, section 4.03 which, if approved today, will be included in the revisions scheduled to be brought up later this week for second reading and approval:

4.03 Minutes from local churches. **Area minutes to the Yearly Meeting.** In addition to minutes that arise from Area discussions, an Area may receive minutes of concern or minutes of support from the clerk of a local church, raising questions or proposing challenges beyond the scope of the local meeting. **After publishing the concern for consideration among the area churches,** In such cases the Area gathering will meet for worship, to seek the leading of Christ in responding to the question or challenge. This

process is intended to allow individual or corporate leadings to be checked and affirmed by both the local meeting and the Area, to build awareness and support on the local level, and give weight to items before consideration on the floor of the Yearly Meeting. Several possible actions may result from the Area's consideration of such minutes:

The question or concern may be validated and given weight, possibly in a revised form, then be referred via the YM Clerk to the Yearly Meeting Representatives or the appropriate board.

Even without agreement about the minute at the Area level, the gathered body may still approve forwarding the question or concern to the Yearly Meeting for consideration. It would then be referred via the YM Clerk to the Yearly Meeting Representatives or the appropriate board.

The gathered body may discern that the question or challenge is not to be forwarded at this time, but will be returned to the local meeting for their continued consideration and prayer.

Such minutes would be considered at the spring Area gathering, following any monthly meetings that occurred after the YM agenda was released to Representatives in late April. If a concern arises after that time and a specially called Area meeting cannot be arranged, the Representatives, gathered on the first day of Yearly Meeting sessions, will act on behalf of the Area gathering.

The meeting approved this proposal as a first reading.

■ 31. LeRoy Benham (West Chehalem), president of Volunteers on Wheels, reported on that group's activities. Since its founding, VOW has contributed over 32 person-years of volunteer work to projects around the yearly meeting, saving over \$700,000. He encouraged Friends to volunteer.

■ 32. Lon Fendall, who had put three minutes in the "time-bank" on Monday by dismissing the meeting early, used those minutes up today.

Wednesday, July 29, 8:20 a.m.

■ 33. The meeting opened with worship in song and prayer, led by Chris and his daughter Hannah Hindenliter and Reid Fitch, starting with the song "Beautiful" written by Hannah. Attendance was an estimated 190.

■ 34. Tom Stave brought to the floor for second reading approval the complete set of Faith and Practice revisions (except for section 4.03 of the Organization of Areas, approved yesterday on its first reading). The text of

the proposed revisions is available upon request from the YM Office. A question was raised about the authority of the Yearly Meeting and Local Church Care Committees in their interaction with local congregations experiencing crises. Further consideration of the revisions was delayed until someone with recent experience in these interventions could help respond to the question.

■ 35. Earl Tycksen, on behalf of the Nominating Committee, brought the following nominations:

Board of Elders:

Roger Knox (2012)
(will resign from the Board of Local Outreach)
Elenita Bales (2012)

Board of Christian Education and Discipleship:

Shawn Leonard (2012)
Dianne Allen (2012)

Board of Congregational Care:

Phil McLain (2012)

Board of Leadership Development and Enrichment:

Paul Almquist (2012)
Alan Weinacht (2012)

Board of Youth and Young Adults:

Haley Krueger (2012)

Faith and Practice Committee:

Melody George (2012)

■ 36. Lon invited others who have had traveling ministry opportunities in the last year to share their experiences. We heard about:

- * Praying for and encouraging workers in India doing evangelism and shelter from human trafficking.
- * Participating in a writing ministry among Friends of various traditions.
- * Visiting North Pacific Yearly Meeting in Montana.
- * Maintaining relationships with Ireland Yearly Meeting, which sees itself as the only evangelical yearly meeting in Europe.
- * Working with Lithuania Christian College International University in Klaipeda, Lithuania.
- * Teaching English in China.

■ 37. Lon described the process of developing the Yearly Meeting budget, including the interactions between the various boards and the Administrative Committee. He reminded the meeting that the Finance Committee concluded on Sunday that the proposed budget calls for about \$40,000 more in local church support than is probably realistic; and that the draw from the Ministry Fund as called for (9.9%) is higher than the typically prudent draw of 5%. The Administrative Council asks local congregations to consider whether

they can increase contributions to support the vision of the 2010 budget as originally proposed. If by the beginning of 2010 this doesn't appear to be possible, the Administrative Council will consider adjustments to the budget to bring it in line with expected local church support and a reduced draw on the Ministry Fund. In addition, the Administrative Council will work to strengthen the budgeting process for 2011, including:

- * consulting with the Finance Committee in the fall and at midyear boards;
- * giving better guidance to board clerks about what can be reasonably expected for income in the coming year, in time for them to consider as they develop their budgets;
- * adopting budgets that fit realistic local church support and a limit of 5% draw on the Ministry Fund; and
- * adopting a supplemental budget for funding any callings that seem to require resources beyond the basic budget.

There was discussion about how to make sure the yearly meeting budgeting process generates responsible budgets, both in the short term from year to year, and over the long term given broad demographic and economic trends.

Wednesday, July 29, 10:30 a.m.

■ 38. The meeting worshipped in song and prayer. Attendance was estimated at 270.

■ 39. Betty Jo Steele (Silverton) and Delonna Livingston-Halliday (Olympic View), representing the Board of Congregational Care, recognized those in the yearly meeting who are celebrating fifty years of marriage. LeRoy and Paula Benham were present to receive the congratulations of the meeting. Others celebrating their 50th anniversary were:

Bob and Ida Horne
John and Dot Taffin
Lee & Else Jane Weislogel
Roger & Judy Kling
Bill & Mauvine Finley

■ 40. Leslie Murray (North Valley) presented the ministry plan for the Board of Youth and Young Adult Ministry. The board collected information from area gatherings, Pastors Conference, and other sources, and heard concerns about young adult Friends leaving our churches, and the need for more connections and mentoring. The board was pleased to support the appointment of Rachelle Staley as associate superintendent of youth and young adult ministries, a change from her prior status as interim associate superintendent. The Southern Idaho area hosted a volleyball tournament which attracted teams from around the yearly meeting, which resulted in several new connections for various youth. This prompted the board to a new commitment to decentralized activities, with activities rotated among various

areas. This year Newberg Area will host Junior High Jamboree, Southern Idaho will host Midwinter, and Northern Idaho will host a volleyball tournament. The board also continues to support and connect with seven summer camps, the Friends Youth Executive Committee (FYE) and their ministries, two youth yearly meetings, a Bring Your Own Tent event for young adults, and Youth Challenged through Local Service, a new "Youth Challenge" team created by the FYE. Facebook is an important ministry tool for the Board. Twin Rocks camps have been heavily attended this year, most with record-breaking attendance.

■ 41. Friends Youth shared its annual report. We were introduced to the following officers:

Senior High:

2008-2009	2009-2010
Presiding Clerk	
Drew Miller	Tim Almquist
Assistant Clerk	
Katie Morris	Olivia Anderson
Recording Clerk	
Emily Cropper	Chris Lee
Conference Coordinator	
Johnny Kaye	Connor Magee
Youth Representative	
Garrett Andres	Amy Saxton

Junior High:

2008-2009	2009-2010
Presiding Clerk	
Janna Fawver	Matthew Staples
Assistant Clerk	
Marlyss Vanden Hoek	Haley Allen
Recording Clerk	
Zach Glenn	Felicia Gomez
Conference Coordinator	
Nicole Fawver	Cassie Hwa

We heard epistles from each of the groups, celebrating activities during Yearly Meeting, including reveling in the 105-degree weather on the George Fox campus, and a refreshing trip to the Oregon Coast; learning about and supporting ministries locally and around the world; and consideration of the message brought in the evenings by Bob Adhikary.

■ 42. Youth and Young Adult Associate Superintendent Rachelle Staley shared briefly about her sense of calling to this ministry. Lorraine Watson led the meeting in prayer for Rachelle.

■ 43. Tom Stave reported that he met this morning with some of those concerned about how the yearly meeting interacts with local churches who have come under the care of the yearly meeting Board of Elders. Tom reported that the group agreed to leave the language as it is for now, but the Faith and Practice Revision Committee will work between now and Midyear Boards to develop a fuller response to the concerns. The meeting approved the second reading of the revisions, with the exception of the one section which had its first reading yesterday.

■ 44. Carole Spencer (Reedwood), director of the Friends Center at George Fox Evangelical Seminary, brought a report about the center and the seminary. One of the Quaker faculty at the seminary, Dr. MaryKate Morse, will assume the position of assistant dean of the seminary this summer. The seminary now has three degrees that can be earned through hybrid on campus/distance learning programs. This allows the seminary to serve students from anywhere – including two in the upcoming year from Evangelical Friends—Eastern Region. The seminary will be offering a new version of its Doctor of Ministry degree this year with some class sessions held in Kenya, Germany and England. Enrollment is up, with 36% females. About 12% of the seminary's students are Friends. Four Friends students received degrees this year: Doug Balzer, Darla Samuelson, Charlena Miller—all who became Friends while in seminary and have joined in with Northwest Yearly Meeting—and David Williams, from Mid-America Yearly Meeting.

Thursday, July 30, 8:20 a.m.

■ 45. The meeting worshipped in song, silence, and testimony, led by Chris Hinderliter. Attendance was an estimated 165.

■ 46. Tom Stave presented the second reading of the final amendment to Faith and Practice, from the section on Organization of Areas. The amended section 4.03 is now entitled "Area Minutes to the Yearly Meeting" and is proposed to read:

4.03 Minutes from local churches. **Area minutes to the Yearly Meeting.** In addition to minutes that arise from Area discussions, an Area may receive minutes of concern or minutes of support from the clerk of a local church, raising questions or proposing challenges beyond the scope of the local meeting. **After publishing the concern for consideration among the area churches,** In such cases the Area gathering will meet for worship, to seek the leading of Christ in responding to the question or challenge. This process is intended to allow individual or corporate leadings to be checked and affirmed by both the local meeting and the

Area, to build awareness and support on the local level, and give weight to items before consideration on the floor of the Yearly Meeting. Several possible actions may result from the Area's consideration of such minutes:

The question or concern may be validated and given weight, possibly in a revised form, then be referred via the YM Clerk to the Yearly Meeting Representatives or the appropriate board.

Even without agreement about the minute at the Area level, the gathered body may still approve forwarding the question or concern to the Yearly Meeting for consideration. It would then be referred via the YM Clerk to the Yearly Meeting Representatives or the appropriate board.

The gathered body may discern that the question or challenge is not to be forwarded at this time, but will be returned to the local meeting for their continued consideration and prayer.

Such minutes would be considered at the spring Area gathering, following any monthly meetings that occurred after the YM agenda was released to Representatives in late April. If a concern arises after that time and a specially called Area meeting cannot be arranged, the Representatives, gathered on the first day of Yearly Meeting sessions, will act on behalf of the Area gathering.

The amendment was approved by the meeting.

■ 47. Tom shared with the meeting some of the sense of calling that brought him to accept nomination as yearly meeting presiding clerk, a task which he will take up after the close of our sessions today.

■ 48. Earl Tycksen introduced the members of the Nominating Committee. He also presented two nominees:

Administrative Committee (from the Elders):

Tresa Redford (2011)

Board of Elders:

Ed Cammack (2012)

These nominations were approved by the meeting.

■ 49. Lon directed the meeting's attention to the proposed 2010 yearly meeting budget as presented Tuesday. He described the new procedural steps the Administrative Council is planning to take in the next budget cycle to help avoid making unsustainable budget commitments. The meeting approved the budget as presented with the new procedural elements.

■ 50. A concern was raised from the floor that it might be better if the clerk of the yearly meeting not be put in the position of both presenting the budget

(and other proposals from the Administrative Council) and clerking the yearly meeting's discussion. Lon indicated this would be an appropriate concern to be considered by the next yearly meeting clerk.

■ 51. Ken Sheldon, superintendent of Greenleaf Academy, presented a report from the academy. The academy's endowment is now over \$900,000. Several academy athletic teams competed in the Idaho state playoffs. There were twenty-seven graduates this spring.

■ 52. Lon opened the floor to concerns that representatives may be carrying from their congregations. Concerns were raised about the dwindling number of Friends in North America; finding adequate space to accommodate the growing City's Edge Meeting in Beaverton, Oregon; finding funds to buy lakeside property adjacent to Quaker Hill camp in McCall, Idaho; the need for developing young leadership in local meetings and the yearly meeting; ministering to those who are undergoing stresses in current economic crisis.

Thursday, July 30, 10:35 a.m.

■ 53. The meeting worshipped in song and silence and testimony. Attendance was an estimated 155.

■ 54. Julie Peyton read aloud an excerpt from the epistle from the 2008 New England Yearly Meeting expressing their sense of conviction concerning the need for reconciliation among them. The Meeting prayed for God's presence and care with New England Yearly Meeting. Julie then shared this year's Northwest Yearly Meeting Epistle:

WE ARE WITNESSES

That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of life. 1 John 1:1

"Jesus we know, and Paul we know, but who are you?" Acts 19:15

You will say, "Christ saith this, and the apostles say this, but what canst thou say? Art thou a child of the Light and hast thou walked in the Light, and what thou speakest, is it inwardly from God?" Margaret Fell, quoting from her first encounter with George Fox

To Friends everywhere:

Greetings from the campus of George Fox University in Newberg, Oregon, USA. We meet annually to do the business of our Yearly Meeting, to worship together, to renew old friendships and make new ones, to kindle the fire of the Holy Spirit among and within us. If you would like to know more details about Northwest Yearly Meeting (NWYM), please go to our website, www.nwfriends.org. If you truly want to know who we are, you will have to

come join us sometime. It is always a joy to have visitors among us, and this year we welcomed

Marge Abbot, Multnomah Monthly Meeting

Micah Bales, Great Plains YM

Diego and Rebecca Chuyma, Bolivia YM

Faith Kelley, William Penn House, Washington D.C.

Rae Lawrence, Multnomah Monthly Meeting

Nancy McLauchlan, Bridge City Monthly Meeting

Ashley Wilcox, North Pacific YM

We met during a week of record-breaking high temperatures, grateful for the luxury of air-conditioning. We felt some unity and received some comfort when we heard the words from the 2008 epistle of Australian Friends Yearly Meeting, "Simmering at times in the extreme summer heat, we recalled the words of George Fox, 'Be still and cool in thy own mind and spirit.'" We thank them for this gentle reminder.

Our theme this year, WE ARE WITNESSES, was inspired by the words of the first epistle of John, quoted above. Our Sunday evening plenary session featured panel discussions involving Friends who have been called to outreach, both in their communities and far from home. Their words and example began the exploration of this word "witness" and its requirement that we have a first-hand experience of the Living Christ before we speak. Then our keynote speaker (NWYM Superintendent Colin Saxton) gave us the word he'd been given: **deeper**. He went on to explain that our human desire for results pushes us to seek "more and better;" our human desires (even just and holy ones) tempt us to push ahead rather than trusting the work to God, rather than trusting the Spirit to take the lead. We must experience the depths of God's Life and Power before we can be authentic (and therefore useful) witnesses. It is in that deeper place that we are given the unity that transforms *us* and makes *us* the beloved community that bears witness to Christ's love and light.

Our guest speaker the next two nights called us to accept the fiery baptism of the Holy Spirit, to let the holy fire burn within us, purifying and preparing us to be the kind of witnesses that will turn the world upside down.

Holy Spirit, come with fire, burn us with your presence new.
Let us as one mighty choir sing our hymn of praise to you.
Burn away our wasted sadness and enflame us with your love.
Burst upon your congregation, give us gladness from above.

Anne N. Rupp, 1970

Our youth set us a good example in processing a difficult message.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, during evening worship, Bob Adhikary, a missionary with Evangelical Friends Mission, spoke to the assembly. The meeting was encouraged by his passion for evangelism and the excitement in his message, but some of his statements caused a difference of opinion among the members of our group. Even though there was a disagreement, these statements

spurred a healthy discussion among the youth and did not hinder our reception of his message. (*Excerpt from NWYM Senior High Youth Yearly Meeting Epistle, 2009*)

In the Business of the week:

- The second reading of the amendments to Faith & Practice (mostly the Practice section) was approved; these changes reflect the *structural* changes approved in recent years.
- We began the work of preparing a first reading of additions to the *history* section of Faith & Practice; the last edition was updated in the 1980s so we have 20 years or so of our history to include.
- Ministry plans for the coming year were approved for our various and sundry Boards and Committees. We also read their reports on the past year's activities.
- A budget was approved, as well as a new process for reviewing the budget and spending midyear and making adjustments if necessary.

We had a very good discussion of the immigration issue. Last year we labored with a proposed minute, but ended the week unable to find unity. We had commissioned an Immigration Task Force, under the care of the Board of Local Outreach, to identify core issues and needs of immigrant communities, and to discern how NWYM can more effectively address some of those needs. The Task Force provided a handout that proposed three "streams" of work: information, advocacy, action. It is going to take all of us to get involved, to be a part of this movement. Latino brothers and sisters want to deepen the relationship with us. Common ground is our *kids*; and so more than focusing on the politics, let's get involved and connected to work on the needs. You can join the discussion on Facebook (search for Immigration Advocacy Group) or with Google groups at <http://tinyurl.com/nwym-immigration>

We have a vibrant group of young people, high school and junior high, who meet for their own Annual Sessions and join us midweek to lead the worship program in the evening and present a summary of their work during a business session. Please take the time to read the full text of their epistles, which are enclosed.

Thank you, Gentle Friends, for hearing or reading our Epistle, sent to you with love and the blessings of Northwest Yearly Meeting. We enjoy hearing from you so please do send your epistles to us with the assurance that we read them. (Well, our Epistle Committee reads most of all of them, and we get excerpts from many.) We have been moved by the difficult work of discernment done by many of our sister Yearly Meetings regarding the personnel decisions of Friends United Meeting, and thank them for sharing in their epistles their process as they try to find the Spirit's leading. On behalf

of the Friends of Northwest Yearly Meeting,

Lon Fendall, out-going clerk
Tom Stave, newly-appointed clerk

The epistle was approved by the meeting.

- 55. The meeting thanked the workers who have labored to provide for the logistics of yearly meeting. In addition, the meeting approved the following specific minute of thanks:

Northwest Yearly Meeting is very grateful to Terri Bowen for 25 years of service as administrative assistant in the yearly meeting office. In addition to her good work throughout the year, she has worked tirelessly behind the scenes during the annual yearly meeting sessions. We will deeply miss her care of us and the breadth of knowledge that she carries. We bless her in her retirement and future opportunities for service.

- 56. Colin Saxton celebrated saying "clerk please" for the last time to Lon Fendall. He thanked Lon for his wisdom, good humor, and hospitality as clerk, and for staying calm in times of anxiety, using his position to serve rather than dominate, keeping the meeting accountable to truth and love, not getting defensive or angry when he was wounded in his role, and for never giving up believing that the Holy Spirit would come and work with us. The meeting approved Colin's comments as a minute of appreciation to Lon.

- 57. The 2009 Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends adjourned to meet in February 5-6, 2010, in midyear session, and July 25-29, 2010, in its annual session.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH YEARLY MEETING MINUTES

Monday, July 27, 2009 10:00-11:25 a.m. Calder Lecture Hall

1. Drew Miller (2nd Street) opened with a prayer and a devotional thought. Reminded everyone that business is a worship experience.
2. Emily Cropper (North Valley) introduced the Almquist brothers, Mark and Tim (West Chehalem), to talk about youth-led worship on Wednesday night.
3. Emily Cropper introduced Tammi Kruetz, Youth Yearly Meeting adult assistant, to talk about discernment: she talked about the difference between opinion and convictions, consensus, as well as minority and majority.
4. Emily Cropper and Garrett Andres (Newberg) went over the respect and modesty guidelines.
5. Johnny Kaye (2nd Street) reminded us to be mindful of the GFU conference staff.
6. All the officers went over their roles and explained their duties during the week.
7. Drew Miller explained the selection process for YYM officers.
8. Johnny talked about evening worship and integrating the youth with the adults
9. Johnny addressed the ice cream social and meeting adults and new people.
10. Garrett explained evening hang-out times and the tiki torch boundaries.
11. Garrett asked for volunteers to take the offering: Taylor Swan (Tigard), Olivia Anderson (North Valley), and Gabby Hortter (Newberg) volunteered.
12. Emily explained adult workshops and the times we will be joining them.
13. Garrett read last year's minutes.
14. Garrett explained his role as Youth Representative.
15. Emily led a stretching activity and Drew taught the rollercoaster and the practice ensued
16. Drew introduced Rachelle Staley, Associate Superintendent for Youth, to talk about our discernment topic for family groups this year: finances. She discussed the queries given to us from the NWYM Administrative Council.
17. Rachelle discussed joining the adults on Wednesday for business.
18. Johnny announced un-programmed worship services and reminded us to be prayerful about who God is leading us to nominate and be aware of those around you, and not only those who you would normally associate with. Drew also added that leadings come in different ways.
19. Johnny closed in prayer.

Tuesday, July 28, 2009 10:00-11:25 a.m. Calder Lecture Hall

20. Garrett started with a devotional thought and some teaching about consensus.
 21. Rachelle came and talked about Friends Youth Executive Committee
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(FYE) and their sabbatical year, and the roles that will be filled by others as they take on some FYE events.

22. Rachelle clarified the questions that were given to the youth by the Administrative Council.
23. Emily read Monday's minutes and got approval.
24. Drew opened up the nomination process for 2009-2010 YYM Officers. All the officers went over their roles and duties again:

Presiding Clerk: Amy Saxton nominated Taylor Swan and he declined. Taylor Swan nominated Jered McConaughy and he accepted. Emma Allen nominated Anna Jolliff and she declined. Rachel Vance nominated Katie Comfort and she accepted. Emily Cropper nominated Ben Morse and he declined. Katie Morse nominated Chris Lee and he accepted. Taylor Swan nominated Tim Almquist and he accepted.

Assistant Clerk: Chris Lee nominated Grace Beebe and she declined. Andrew Kaye nominated Austin Comfort and he accepted. Will Cammack nominated Conner Rogers and he declined. Mary Weaver nominated Will Cammack and he declined. Rachel Vance nominated Andrew Kaye and he declined. Austin Comfort nominated Gage Beemish and he declined. Eric Muhr nominated Eric Henry and he declined. Katie Morse nominated Mark Almquist and he accepted. Drew Miller nominated Olivia Anderson and she accepted. Mark Almquist nominated Anna Jolliff and she declined. Taylor Swan nominated Mareesa Fawver and she accepted. Mark Almquist nominated Andy Comfort and he accepted. Katie Morse nominated Katie Comfort and she accepted.

Recording Clerk: Amy Saxton nominated Stevie Andres and she declined. Emma Allen nominated Mareesa Fawver and she accepted. Andrew Kaye nominated Will Cammack and he accepted. Taylor Swan nominated Emily Shelton and she declined. Connor Magee nominated Hannah Cadd and she accepted. Mark Almquist nominated Chris Lee and he accepted. Gage Beemish nominated Austin Comfort and he declined. Will Cammack nominated Kate Schwartz and she declined. Garrett Andres nominated Amy Saxton and she accepted.

Conference Coordinator: Gage Beemish nominated Taylor Swan and he declined. Andrew Kaye nominated Jered McConaughy and he accepted. Katie Morse nominated Olivia Anderson and she accepted. Conner Rogers nominated Taylor Swan and he declined. Ben Morse nominated Marty Arrigotti accepted. Mark Almquist nominated Chloe Timmons and she declined. Marty Arrigotti nominated Tim Almquist and he accepted. Jered McConaughy nominated Chris Lee and he accepted. Katie Morse nominated Connor Magee and he accepted. Olivia Anderson nominated Austin Comfort and he accepted.

Youth Representative: Andrew Kaye nominated Taylor Swan and he declined. Tim Almquist nominated Olivia Anderson and she accepted. Riley Sump nominated Austin Comfort and he accepted. Chris Lee nominated Mark Almquist and he accepted. Sam Saxton nominated Amy Saxton and she accepted. Drew Miller nominated Rachel Vance and she accepted.

Tuesday, July 28, 2009 2:25-3:20 p.m. Woodmar Auditorium

25. Johnny opened with a devotional thought centering on unity.
26. Emily read Tuesday Morning's minutes and got approval.
27. Katie read the Youth and Young Adult Friends Ministries Board report.
28. Drew opened up discernment for 2009-2010 Presiding Clerk: The officers recommended Tim Almquist (West Chehalem) and Jered McConaughy (North Valley) and Tim Almquist was approved.
29. Drew opened up discernment for 2009-2010 Assistant Clerk: The officers recommended Olivia Anderson (North Valley) and she was approved.
30. Drew Miller opened up discernment for 2009-2010 Recording Clerk: The officers recommended Chris Lee (Newberg) and he was approved.
31. Drew opened up discernment for 2009-2010 Conference Coordinator: The officers recommended Jered McConaughy, Austin Comfort (Newberg) and Conner Magee (Tigard); Conner Magee was approved.
32. Drew opened up discernment for 2009-2010 Youth Representative: The officers recommended Amy Saxton (North Valley). A lot of youth felt lead towards Austin Comfort (Newberg) and it was decided to wait to decide on youth rep till Wednesday's business meeting.
33. Drew asked for three volunteers to usher for evening worship and Amy Saxton (North Valley), Will Cammack (Tigard) and Charlie Goedel (2nd Street).
34. The officers closed in song: *Jesus Loves Me*

Wednesday, July 29, 2009 9:40-10:20 Woodmar Auditorium

35. Emily opened with a prayer and devotional thought on service.
36. Rachelle came and talked about adult business meeting.
37. Drew opened up discernment for 2009-2010 Youth Representative: Amy Saxton was approved.
38. Garrett read this year's epistle and got approval with some additions.
39. Drew addressed some concerns about the discernment on finances.
40. Garrett read an addition to the epistle and got approval.
41. Johnny discussed family group business and business for the next business meeting. Johnny closed in prayer.

Wednesday Afternoon, July 29, 2009

42. Drew opened up with an activity sharing where we saw God today.
43. Lisby Rogers (Newberg) came and talked about the discernment of finances in our family groups and throughout Youth Yearly Meeting.
44. Emily Cropper opened up a time for sharing about our discernment in our family groups: Churches living simply; going back to the tradition of Quaker simplicity; focusing more on fellowship and focusing more on the body of the church rather than performance; spending money more outwardly, on ministries, instead of spending money within the church. Instead of remodeling or "beautifying" the church, focusing more on the things that are necessities. Making the budget really visible to the public,

transparent to the body of the church. Make it in the popular vernacular.

Three Categories were decided to formulate our insights:

- A challenge to the Yearly Meeting as a whole, concerning tithing.
- A personal way of living that can involve the community.
- A way that churches should approach spending money.

This is our perspective and we are offering a challenge to the yearly meeting

45. Drew had us take a quick break to formulate a plan of action.
46. More family groups shared their insights: The church needs to be really clear and address money issues more. Youth need to be more involved in money-associated decisions. It was pointed out that tithing outside the yearly meeting can be good, but that we need to be very careful and listen to what God is saying: asking them when tithing the ten percent to first consider organizations that are separate of the yearly meeting, but also be attentive to God's Leading and if He wants the money to be used in a way that benefits the yearly meeting, we need to follow that leading.
47. We approved the three categories for our minute and decided to move on in our business.
48. Emily read Wednesday morning's minutes and got approval.
49. Katie asked for three volunteers for ushering during worship: Will Cammack, Emma Allen (2nd Street) and Taylor Swan volunteered.
50. Johnny went over the service presentation with Borders for Christ.
51. Johnny, Drew, and Garrett gave a demonstration on packing for beach day.
52. Scott Bay, Yearly Meeting Summer Youth Intern, asked for volunteers to carry water to the canyon for the service presentation.
53. It was approved to read the final finances minute at a later time for approval.
54. Drew closed in prayer.
Respectfully submitted,
Emily Cropper, senior high recording clerk

HIGH SCHOOL EPISTLE

Dear Friends, Local and International,

Once again, senior high youth from Oregon, Washington and Idaho have joined to celebrate God together and do business in the Quaker style at Northwest Yearly Meeting in Newberg, Oregon. We have gathered at George Fox University, right in the middle of a sweltering hot summer, but everyone is excited for the opportunities to come.

Our group started the week on Sunday with a taco banquet at a local camp facility called Tilikum. We enjoyed the fellowship of our small groups, which we refer to as "family groups," and got to know each other before we embarked further into our week.

The youth returned to the George Fox campus mid-way through the evening. As soon as we got back, we joined in the annual Outreach Celebration, an event dedicated to supporting the different ministries our Yearly Meeting is involved with, both locally and globally. We were able to hear of missions in Israel and Nepal as well as local outreach programs involving skateboarding and gyms. After that, the whole assembly went outside to enjoy Italian sodas and music. Before the youth went off to their rooms, they heard from a group called the Servant Leadership Program at Twin Rocks Friends Camp. These youth dedicated over a month of their summer to serving at this camp out near the coast, and during their work got to learn some incredible things about God and themselves.

We started business on Monday. The officers explained their roles to the youth, how business could be worship, talked about discerning God's will for our meeting, and learned of their tasks for the week. Along with nominating and discerning next year's officers, the youth have been asked by the adult meeting to discern on finances and, and more specifically, stewardship in the church and what perspective the youth can bring. The business meetings can be long, tiring, and occasionally frustrating, but in the end everyone gets to know that what came from the meetings was something bigger than what they could have produced on their own.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, during evening worship, Bob Adhikary, a missionary with Evangelical Friends Mission, spoke to the assembly. The meeting was encouraged by his passion for evangelism and the excitement in his message, but some of his statements caused a difference of opinion among the members of our group. Even though there was a disagreement, these statements spurred a healthy discussion among the youth and did not hinder our reception of his message.

Throughout the week, there are several events that the youth get to participate in, such as an intergenerational ice cream social to help facilitate relationships, workshops with the adults, and recreation. On Tuesday night, the youth got to hear from a team of NWYM high school youth called Youth Challenged through Local Service about their experience ministering to the

less fortunate of Portland, the most populous city in Oregon. Garrett Andres (Newberg), a member of this year's officers who recently went to Evangelical Friends Church-Eastern Region Yearly Meeting in Canton, Ohio also shared about his experience as a representative of NWYM.

Even with all that happened through the week, there was one event that every high schooler was looking forward to: the beach trip. After evening worship on Wednesday night the youth got onto buses and drove out to Netarts, a coastal Friends church after a quick night-time visit to the sand. After spending the first half of the day, Thursday, getting sandy and having a good time, we left back for Newberg.

Back at George Fox, we had a celebration of the week, and some more fun time on the last night of Yearly Meeting. Afterwards, we went back to our dorm rooms, exhausted and fulfilled with the events of the week. On Friday morning we packed up and parted ways.

We hope that you are doing well, and we would very much like to hear what God is doing in your meeting. Keep strong in the Lord, and he will reward you for your faith. Hope to hear from you soon.

In Christ and with love,
Your Friends from the Northwest Senior High Yearly Meeting
Garrett Andres (Newberg), Assistant Clerk

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH YEARLY MEETING MINUTES

Monday, July 27

1. Janna Fawver (Newberg), presiding clerk, opened with scripture, a time of silence and prayer.
2. Janna emphasized that business is a form of worship.
3. Zach Glenn (Reedwood), recording clerk, reminded the youth that we are guests at George Fox University (GFU) and need to respect the GFU staff.
4. Nicole Fawver (Newberg), conference coordinator, read the "Respect" guidelines.
5. Each officer explained their position and duties as officers.
6. Marlyss Vanden Hoek (2nd Street), assistant clerk, explained the selection process for next year's officers.
7. Janna introduced Rachelle Staley, Associate Superintendent for Youth and Young Adult Ministries, to explain our topic: finances.
8. Rachelle also shared about gathering with the adults for business and worship.
9. Janna invited Tim and Mark Almquist (West Chehalem) to explain about being responsible for Wednesday night's worship service and explaining how the youth are invited to be involved.
10. Marlyss and Nicole passed out note cards and pencils for input.
11. Nicole explained about seating arrangements and expectations for worship.
12. Janna invited Tammi Kreutz, Youth Yearly Meeting adult support, to explain about discernment.
13. Nicole talked about dressing appropriately for worship and everywhere else.
14. Zach talked about the intergenerational ice cream social.
15. Nicole explained the boundaries for the Event tonight.
16. Marlyss got three volunteers to be greeters and collect offerings.
17. Janna explained about workshops, like what they are, and when to be there.
18. Nicole talked about Unprogrammed Worship.
19. Nicole closed in prayer and dismissed the youth.

Tuesday Morning, July 28 10:00-10:30

20. Zach opened up in prayer.
21. Marlyss and Janna explained the difference between an opinion and a conviction.
22. Janna and Marlyss explained the nomination process.
23. We started accepting nominations for next year's presiding clerk: Nicole nominated Cassie Hwa, nomination accepted. Dustin Wilson nominated Andrew Almquist, nomination declined. Amanda McConaughy nominated Matthew Staples, nomination accepted. Janna Fawver nominated Haley Allen, nomination accepted.

24. We started accepting nominations for assistant clerk: Cassie Hwa nominated Haley Allen, nomination accepted. Amanda McConaughy nominated Haley Koskela nomination accepted.
25. We started accepting nominations for recording clerk: Haley Koskela nominated Naomi Merritt, nomination accepted. Haley Allen nominated Matthew Staples, nomination accepted. Marlyss Vanden Hoek nominated Felicia Gomez, nomination accepted.
26. We started accepting nominations for Conference coordinator: Naomi Merritt nominated Jonathan Bailey, nomination accepted. Felicia Gomez nominated Valerie Hawthorn, nomination declined. Haley Koskela nominated Cassie Hwa, nomination accepted.
27. Marlyss explained what an Epistle was and read last year's Epistle.
28. Zach read the Board of Youth and Young Adult Friends report.
29. Marlyss and Janna got three volunteers for being greeters and accepting offerings.
30. Marlyss closed in prayer.
31. Nicole dismissed the Youth.

Tuesday Afternoon, July 28 2:15-2:50

32. Nicole opened up with a passage from scripture.
33. Zach read the minutes from earlier that day.
34. Marlyss explained the process for discerning next year's officers.
35. The youth approved Mathew Staples (Newberg) as Presiding clerk.
36. The youth approved Haley Allen (2nd Street) as Assistant Clerk
37. The Youth approved Felicia Gomez (Talent) as Recording clerk
38. The Youth Approved Cassie Hwa (Eugene) as Conference Coordinator.
39. The family groups shared what they discerned while meeting together.
40. Janna closed in prayer.

Wednesday Morning, July 29 9:30-10:20

41. Marlyss opened up in prayer and devotional thought.
42. Zach read Tuesday's afternoon minutes.
43. Marlyss read the Epistle, and it was approved by the youth.
44. Janna debriefed the youth with some questions about our workshop.
45. Janna introduced Rachelle to talk about the adult business meeting.
46. Zach closed in prayer.

Wednesday Afternoon, July 29 1:15-2:00

47. Nicole welcomed the youth.
48. Janna started asking youth questions about the year so far:
 - What did you think of the barbeque?
 - Want more time at Tilikum.
 - Missing the skits.
 - More time to socialize.
 - What did you think about family groups?
 - Need to be more open.

- Shouldn't be after lunch.
What did you think of the Nomination process?
Liked it.
Fun and different.
Would want to do it again.
What about worship in Bauman?
Want to sit in back.
Quite fun.
What did you think of the evening hang time?
Needs to be a little longer.
It was likable.
What did you think of the ice cream social?
It was yummy.
It was fun.
What do you think of the beach trip?
Should leave earlier.
Should be more like a "Beach Day".
Should happen after lunch so we get there earlier.
Nice to be able to relax.
How do you like the morning worship?
"I like it".
Should be outside.
Should be inside.
Liked the songs.
The youth are distractible outside.
How did you feel about recreation?
It was fun.
More game time.
How did you feel about free time?
It should be longer.
49. Janna asked Amanda to explain about the service presentation.
50. Zach read this morning's minutes.
51. Janna introduced Becca Roberts, Summer Youth Intern, to explain the beach trip.
52. Marlyss asked for three people to volunteer to be greeters and to collect the offering at worship tonight.

JUNIOR HIGH EPISTLE

Hello friends, from the NWYM Junior High School youth,

We have all been anticipating this one week out of the year, and now, here it is. Our theme at yearly Meeting this year was "We are Witnesses!" (1 John 1:1-3). We all arrived on Sunday at the beautiful campus of George Fox University, Newberg, Oregon. We were all extremely excited when registration began. After getting situated in our dorms, we were introduced to the officers and counselors. After a hilarious skit put on by the counselors, we headed off to the lovely camp property of Tilikum. At Tilikum we had a barbeque and went over the "respect rules and guidelines."

Monday we had our first business meeting, and as planned, everything went smoothly. We went over respect rules again and Rachelle Staley, NWYM Associate Superintendent of Youth and Young Adults, introduced the discernment topic of finances. That night, we had our Intergenerational Ice Cream Social. We talked with the older generations and listened to wonderful music. Tuesday we took nominations for next year's clerks. After a good hour and a half of discerning we came to a consensus. That night we went to Bauman auditorium and listened to an inspirational talk from Bob Adhikary.

Wednesday we had worship and business with the adults in Bauman. The officers introduced the new officers for Youth Yearly Meeting, and the assistant clerks read the epistles. After our final business meeting, we learned about service and outreach through a presentation by Borders for Christ, a skating ministry. After a long hot day of playing and talking with our family groups (this year we discerned about financial stewardship for the Administrative Council), we packed up our stuff and crammed on to the buses to head to the beach. We arrived at the beach at eleven o'clock p.m. and had a bonfire and explored the caves. The next morning after a restful sleep at Netarts Friends Church we had a wonderful day playing with friends on the beach. That same day we packed up and headed home. We had a closing celebration with the adults.

Friday, our last day, was filled with hugs and goodbyes. It has been a good week.

In Christ,
Northwest Junior High Youth Yearly Meeting,
Marlyss Vanden Hoek (2nd Street Friends), Assistant Clerk

ADDENDUM

Annual Reports
July 2009

Board of Christian Education and Discipleship

This past year, the Board of Christian Education and Discipleship has been working on the following:

Bible Literacy

Before moving forward in this area we needed to stop and ask ourselves, "what exactly is Bible literacy?" It's a question that many people struggle to answer. Is it knowing Bible trivia? Is it memorizing verses and all of the people and stories in the Bible? Is it being familiar with the layout of the Bible? What is it and why is it important?

Our board ended up defining it this way; "*Bible literacy is knowing and following God's word.*" By knowing and following, we open ourselves to transformation, to spiritual formation and to hearing the voice of God.

We then discussed ways in which we could encourage and raise awareness of the importance of spending time in God's written word. Some of the ways we have pursued this as a board are:

- Created a powerpoint and video that our educators and pastors can take home with them to present this message to their churches (View "Bible Literacy is for You" at nwfriends.org/bible)
- Provided an educational and informative Bible literacy display at the Christian education table
- Hosting our Christian educators and pastors to a dinner and program during yearly meeting sessions that will highlight the importance of Bible literacy

We hope you will join us in finding more ways to keep our focus on knowing and following God's written word.

Teacher Training

This past year, we held four regional *Teach the Way Jesus Taught* workshops, developed and led by Jim Teeters (East Hill). This was a great learning experience for our board in how to bring workshops to our area churches. With each workshop, we refined the process of how to present the workshop as well as how to publicize and work with the host church. Through this process approximately 70 teachers were trained, supported and encouraged.

We were excited to be able to bring the workshop to you! This was in response to the feedback from many of you that it would be helpful if we could bring training to the various areas instead of people having to travel to Newberg. People really appreciated this and Jim and our board members did a great job working together to make this happen.

Our board would like to thank and recognize Meridian, Eugene, Olympic View and Spokane Friends churches for their generous help and support in hosting these workshops. We could not have done it without them.

Men's Ministry

A workshop that is currently available for area churches to schedule is a men's workshop titled *Finding Balance in Our Lives*, which was developed by Jim Teeters. The objectives of this workshop are to encourage men to; a) become more aware of God's love, b) identify where they need God's love, grace, and guidance in their lives, and c) listen to God and discover ways they can change to find more balance in their lives.

If you would like to schedule this workshop at your church contact Jim Teeters jim.ata@comcast.net or Dave Powell (Eugene) powells928@msn.com.

Prayer Support

As a way of actively practicing the spiritual disciplines of prayer and encouragement, our board is in the process of developing a prayer support program for our pastors and church leaders. We are going to pilot this program in several of our churches this year. Our hope is to ignite a group of people in each church to form a prayer partner ministry to surround and lift up our pastors and other church leaders in prayer.

If your church would like to be one of the pilot churches for this program, please contact Laurie Conant (North Valley) at laurieconant@verizon.net.

Financial Resources

The Christian Education Enhancement Grants continue to be a great resource. It has been encouraging to hear how each church has made a difference in supporting their Christian education programs with the funds they received through these grants. To find out more about these grants, go to www.nwfriends.org/resources

Peace Education

The newly formed Peace Education sub-committee has had their first meeting and brainstormed possible areas of focus for the committee. We are looking forward to seeing how God will lead this group and what they will accomplish together.

Path Forward

Looking to the future, some of our hopes and plans include:

Encouraging and supporting the ministry of teachers and increasing the awareness of the value of our teachers

Raising awareness and offering resources for teaching about Friends.

Children's ministry

Adding a Christian Education staff person at the Yearly Meeting level

Laurie Conant (North Valley), clerk

Board of Communication

This year we have moved forward in the development of yearly meeting communication in both print and internet forms. Bruce Bishop (North Valley) has been editing and producing the *Connection* newsletter, which should be coming to your home several times a year. If you are not receiving it, contact Bruce at bbishop@nwfriends.org to be sure the yearly meeting office has your current address.

In response to feedback from some of our churches, we are also printing a monthly bulletin insert, called *Spotlight*, which focuses on individual church stories. If your church does not use weekly bulletins, ask if these inserts are available as handouts. This is your opportunity to be informed and feel a sense of common ground with other churches across our yearly meeting. Bruce is also editing and publishing this piece, so if you have an interesting story to share from your church, be sure to contact him.

We continue to work at upgrading the website at nwfriends.org and hope you are finding it useful and informative. Perhaps you were able to register for Yearly Meeting sessions online this year! We are working to expand other interactive features as well. A new version of the site went up just last week. Check it out. We again want to encourage you to develop or continue to improve your own church website, and be sure we have a link to it on our "Churches" tab. You might also want to put a link on your website to the yearly meeting site, to enable your people to get detailed information about yearly meeting concerns, camps, retreats, and other upcoming events.

Our *Epistle* sub-committee has again compiled letters and messages from other yearly meetings and will make them available to you during Yearly Meeting. We appreciate the work Julie Peyton (West Hills) and Anna Baker (North Valley) do in keeping us in touch with Friends across the country and around the world.

We welcome your suggestions for continuing to encourage effective communication throughout our yearly meeting, among individuals, churches, boards and ministries. May we all "spur one another on toward love and good deeds" (Hebrews 10:24).

Judy Woolsey (Newberg), clerk

Board of Congregational Care

Natural Church Development

When a church group pauses to reflect about the next steps they might take in improving their common life, Natural Church Development (NCD) is an invaluable aid. It gives a 360 degree perspective on congregational life and ministry. It also helps a group focus on a few high-leverage issues that have high potential for a group's progress and health. NCD provides a foundation for a church's discernment process as they prayerfully consider how God is

at work among them and what next steps God would have them take. We have five people available to help you and your church go through this process. While many church programs come and go, we see an enduring quality about Natural Church Development. It isn't just an evaluative tool. It is also a dynamic process which supports our practice of discernment – particularly about a congregation's sense of vision, passion, health and mission.

Love and Logic Parenting Training

We encourage Love and Logic training as a way of encouraging healthy parent/child relationships in our local churches. Love and Logic (loveandlogic.com) provides simple and practical techniques to help teachers and parents experience less stress and more fun while raising responsible children. Please contact board member Delonna Halliday (Olympic View) a Love and Logic Advanced Facilitator, if you would like more information about the Love and Logic parenting program and its use in your church. You can also take in the workshop during Yearly Meeting Sessions. Delonna can be reached at delonnasue@yahoo.com.

Mennonite Mutual Aid Matching Grants

Board of Congregational Care member, Jon Boehm (Cherry Grove), is our YM representative to Mennonite Mutual Aid and is a local church advocate for MMA (mma-online.org). Please contact Jon about your interest in this stewardship opportunity. jpub@comcast.net.

Share Call

We will be considering two applications for the Share Call this year. We want you all to know about this opportunity to help and be helped. Below are the guidelines for the Share Call Program. Last year's Share Call supported River of Life, in Post Falls, Idaho.

The "Share Call" is a means of enabling the entire Yearly Meeting to be a part of financially assisting a local congregation to complete a building project. The ground rules of a Share Call are as follows:

- The Share Call is given to assist in finishing the end of a building project.
- The receipts from a Share Call are to be used to purchase items that are needed to make the building usable. First priority will be given to those needs crucial to the use of facilities – that is: roofs, furnaces, floors, plumbing, etc. The Share Call will not be used generally for updating, or beautification projects.
- A proposal documenting the nature of the building project and how the Share Call will enable the congregation to make the facility usable must be approved by the Board of Congregational Care before construction of a Share Call is to be given.
- Calls will be issued two times a year, generally during the months of October and May. First priority will be given to churches working on their initial capital investments.

Applications are reviewed twice a year; once at Mid-year Board Meeting and

once at Yearly Meeting. Applications need to be in one month prior to these events.

Yearly Meeting Workshops

Workshops offered this year by our board include: Natural Church Development, Love and Logic, Domestic Violence and the Church.

Arden Kinser (Cherry Grove), clerk

Board of Elders

The Board of Elders continues to be excited about the direction of our yearly meeting. There are many bright spots where the work of the Lord is obviously blessing congregations and communities. One of the things we love to do when we meet is to share our own stories from our local churches. God is continually challenging us to be attentive and obedient. Sometimes we are even called to ministries outside of our comfort zones.

As a board, we rely much on our superintendent to keep us informed of prayer concerns for local meetings. We always want to do as much prevention of problems as possible, but there are times when conflicts within congregations rise to the level where intervention is needed. We have a skilled and spiritually mature group of people on the elders who care deeply about the health of local churches and have done a great job when called on in a crisis. When divisions are stark, the elders may be viewed as a referee or umpire trying to make the right call, and in the process, someone may feel we made the wrong call. Be assured, however, that the elders deeply desire what is best for all the people involved and ultimately look to the interests of Christ as being the most important thing.

It is a year with a lot of pastoral transitions, so we pray that God will connect the right pastors and places. We have had a strong prayer emphasis in our fall retreat and through writing for the "Connection." Sometimes a counselor has been made available to individuals, couples, and ministry teams to be a listening support in difficult times.

A big praise for the year has been the completion of the Elders Handbook. This is a resource made available to the local elders as a training tool and a reference manual. A workshop is being held during Yearly Meeting Sessions, and we hope to do some regional workshops based around this handbook.

As we pray for you, we ask you to pray for us as often our board has to deal with very sensitive issues. We live in a time when it is increasingly important to consider not only what we believe biblically, but how we communicate those beliefs in ways that build people up rather than tear them down. When people question the views of the church they expect thoughtful, sincere, and well-researched answers. We continue to be reminded that we have to earn the right to be heard.

The Board of Elders desires to be available for people to come and share concerns. We try to contact pastors and elders' clerks to be up to date on the activities and concerns of our churches. It is a privilege to serve you in this way.

Paul Almquist (West Chehalem), clerk

Board of Global Outreach

Towards the end of May of this year, Evangelical Friends Mission sponsored a retreat for future missionaries at Quaker Ridge Camp just outside of Woodland Park, Colorado. Thirty people gathered from six yearly meetings to further explore God's call to begin serving Him overseas within the next five years. Six people from our own yearly meeting participated in the retreat: Three young adults from Hayden Lake Friends, one from Peninsula Friends and a married couple from 2nd Street.

Shawn McConaughy (North Valley), Dan Cammack (Tigard), Ron Stansell (Newberg), and Colin Saxton (North Valley) were among the speakers for the retreat. They were also able to interact with most of the participants during meals, free time, and corporate prayer. Several of these future missionaries came to the retreat already attracted to Russia and the Middle East/North Africa. Several more talked about how they feel drawn to do something about the human trafficking that is going on around the world. They all showed interest in the Board of Global Outreach's commitment to holistic ministry.

As we prepared for the retreat we thought about how to introduce our yearly meeting's global outreach to a group that didn't know much about us. It was a good exercise! This is what we came up with, "During the 1920's the Guatemalan mission field of California Yearly Meeting (now Evangelical Friends Church Southwest) became involved in supporting a fledgling church planting movement in the highlands of Bolivia among the Aymara people. This movement quickly outgrew the resources of Guatemalan Friends, so CYM invited Oregon Yearly Meeting (now Northwest Yearly Meeting), which did not have a mission field at the time, to adopt the new work in Bolivia.

"The first missionaries from OYM arrived in La Paz, Bolivia, in 1931. During the next 71 years our yearly meeting sent approximately 150 men, women, and children to help establish indigenous Friends churches among the Aymara people of Bolivia and Peru. The goal from the beginning was to form yearly meetings that would be self-governing, self-supporting, and self-propagating. Friends in Oregon, Washington and Idaho looked forward to the day when these yearly meetings would be able to carry on the Lord's work without fulltime missionaries, and that day finally arrived in June of 2002. Today there are more than 300 evangelical Friends churches in both of these countries.

"In 1998 it became quite clear that the end was in sight for sending

missionaries to South America. This prompted NWYM to appoint a team of four people to explore the question: Where does God want NWYM to go next? The team visited Russia and North Africa and then recommended to NWYM that it adopt both these places as its new mission fields. The recommendation was approved. At about the same time the Teaching Abroad program was created to respond to opportunities in China for teaching English and friendship evangelism.

"A few years ago NWYM went through a structural overhaul in order to sharpen its focus and outreach. One of the goals of the restructuring was to strengthen the holistic nature of our outreach. In other words, we wanted to make sure that we were not only preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ but that we were also demonstrating it in practical ways. Along with that we also wanted to strengthen our commitment as Friends to peacemaking and seeking justice for the oppressed peoples of the world. The Board of Global Outreach has incorporated this commitment into its philosophy of ministry and is actively seeking ways to live out the whole gospel of Jesus Christ."

I've included this description in this report because it reminds us all of where we have come from and where we are headed. For so many years the identity of our global outreach was centered on Bolivia and Peru. It's important that we recognize and value that part of our identity because it impacts everything we do today in our global outreach. At the same time, however, our identity is changing as we spread out into other areas of the world and try to discern how Jesus Christ would have us address the social and spiritual issues of our day. Almost all of our current global ministries are less than ten years old, so they are still very much in the early stages of development.

The Board of Global Outreach continues to organize itself for the opportunities and challenges before us. We currently have four subcommittees: Teaching Abroad, which oversees our teachers in China and Hungary (there were seven this past year); MENA (Middle East/North Africa), which works closely with Bill and Betty Kelley and the Patrick Neifert family; Russia, which is just now beginning its work with Johan and Judy Maurer; and Latin America, which assists Hal and Nancy Thomas with the training of doctoral students throughout that region of the world. In the near future we plan to organize a sub-committee that will help us maintain good relationships with the yearly meetings in Bolivia and Peru. We also need to organize a finance sub-committee.

Mid-way through the year we explored with the Board of Local Outreach the possibility of forming a joint sub-committee that would help carry forward concerns that our yearly meeting has about immigration, the environment, peacemaking and other social issues. We found that forming a joint sub-committee is easier said than done, but we are hopeful that the two boards will eventually be able to pull it off. In the meantime there is a sub-committee under the Board of Local Outreach that is working primarily on the immigration issue.

We have wrestled for some time with what to call our "workers" since the term "missionary" raises too many red flags in parts of the world where we currently minister. At our midyear board meetings we agreed to try this one out: "Friends Serving Abroad" (FSA). Feel free to tell us what you think of it.

We have also been busy updating our policy manual for FSAs and people interested in serving with us (long or short term). It's a laborious task but one that should pay rich dividends well into the future.

We highly value your prayers and input. It's an honor to serve with you around the world!

Dan Cammack (Tigard), clerk

Board of Leadership Development and Enrichment

Recording

Increasingly, our local churches are recognizing those called to public ministry. As a result we have seen four candidates enter the recording process in 2008 and eight applicants recommended to the recording process by their local church in 2009. The influx of new candidates and applicants has exceeded the expectations of the board. The challenge in the coming year will be to increase the size of the Recording sub-committee to meet the needs of those in the recording process.

We want to express our deep gratitude to Lynn Clouser Holt (North Valley) and Gregg Lamm (2nd Street) for their leadership on the sub-committee. Lynn has led this group through important policy and process decisions and has formed a great team. Her pastoral gifts and administrative acumen have given us a recording process that nurtures and challenges our candidates. Gregg has been the recording clerk for the sub-committee. His ability to synthesize information in order for us to clarify our direction has been valuable.

Mentoring

Our newest board member, Eloise Hockett (2nd Street) and Gary Kilburg (GFU) continue to guide the development of a mentoring process that will permeate our leadership development efforts throughout the yearly meeting. We have begun pairing mentors with recording candidates as our first step in shaping the mentoring program. We are incrementally providing mentors to leadership segments. Our next effort will likely be placing mentors with new pastors and church planters.

At present we are preparing the Handbook for Mentors. In the fall we will host the first annual mentors workshop. This is designed to prepare mentors for the year ahead. We will provide training and support for each of them throughout the year. Ahead of that training we have eight mentors already working with recording candidates or new pastors.

Friends Center – Graduate and Undergraduate

Jamie Johnson (Newberg) is returning to George Fox University this summer to strengthen its ties with Northwest Yearly Meeting. Jamie graduated in 2000 with a bachelor's degree in religion and youth ministry and was known then for his goals and assists on the soccer field. He returns now, in the midst of doctoral work, as the university's new Friends Leadership Center advisor and recruiter of students from Friends churches.

As the Friends Leadership Center advisor, Jamie will create on-campus opportunities for Friends students to fellowship, learn more about their Quaker values and find spiritual direction. He will connect Friends leadership scholarship recipients with mentors and ministry internships, helping to develop their leadership and ministry skills.

As recruiter of Friends students, he will visit churches and attend youth events, stay in contact with prospective students, meet with those who visit campus and assist with processing their applications. He'll also serve as liaison between the Admissions Department and NWYM. Jamie also will encourage outreach to non-Friends students.

The new position began July 1 and is jointly funded by the university and NWYM. Both institutions recognize the importance of enhancing their relationship, as does Jamie.

(A separate report is included for the Friends Center at George Fox Evangelical Seminary.)

Pastoral Development

The 2008 Focus Conference, a training time for pastors in September, had a lower attendance. Forty percent of the cost is subsidized by the board. The theme was "Stewardship of the Earth" and our guest speaker was Trey Robinson of Boise, Idaho. The 2009 Focus Conference will feature a discussion on the do's and don'ts of vision casting from the pulpit. Bob Schneider (Hayden Lake) will be presenting.

Small regional retreats for the support and formation of pastors are being developed by the board. The first retreat was led by Gar and Vicki Mickelson, in the Southern Idaho region. It was a great success! For 2009, two more retreats in Newberg and Portland, will be led again by Gar and Vicki. These retreats are limited to eight people. Two more are scheduled for fall of 2010 for Puget Sound and Salem areas.

Trey Doty (City's Edge), clerk

Board of Local Outreach

As I sit to type out this report I must admit I begin to fall into a familiar trap.

I begin to think of all the things we have done. Our meetings, our discus-

sions, our prayers, the structures we have created, or even the people we have involved. If you ask anyone from our team and they begin this litany of activity, please interrupt us. We ask that you save us and instead ask about the stories.

You have undoubtedly heard or read many of the stories already: The story of God getting a hold of an addicted mother and transforming her through his people at New Life Friends in Vancouver so that she gets her son back. Many people sitting in a church facility eating a desperately needed meal while others share the Gospel in word and deed at Sprague River Friends in southern Oregon. Hillsboro moms finding a safe haven and support. Children in Clackamas who get the Christmas story in a December VBS. Stories of coffee, of Jesus, of outreach.

This may seem a bit strange for a "report" but your Board of Local Outreach is asking that you see us as folks who help enable your story to continue. Sure, you can ask how we do it, and we will happily tell you of our matching funds grant that is receiving huge amounts of requests (and accessible on the website at nwfriends.org/resources). We can tell you of ministry teams that form to enable Latino ministries, new church starts, and human rights education and ministry. We will easily tell you how we work to further growth in these areas. Our ministry plans from 2008 have been accomplished. Some in ways we never anticipated.

We have every reason to expect that our future direction will not be unlike what God has shown us so far. We expect that we will work to continue to enable local congregations to enhance, start, or evaluate their current outreach plans. We ask only that you help us by telling the stories of what God is doing through his kingdom as represented by you.

Read about all these stories at nwfriends.org/local-voices

Bill Moormann (Lynwood), clerk

Just the Facts:

- Many churches are responding to God's call to reach out in new and creative ways!
- Many established churches are either thinking seriously about or have already initiated new Latino ministries and/or congregations.
- BoLO has approved the next stages of an adoption process of a congregation in Annapolis, Maryland. For the next year we will be on a journey with CrossRhythms Church of Annapolis. If all goes well, we will finalize the adoption process at the 2010 Yearly Meeting sessions.

Latino Ministry Taskforce

- Two new Latino ministries started this last year: Mision Amigos de Cristo (Salem), Tierra de Regocijo (Caldwell), and Los Amigos en Newberg began a Sunday evening service at North Valley.

Church Planting Sub-committee

- This group is coming together to revitalize the church planting strategy, policy and procedure of NWYM!
- Many new ministry points are on the horizon and in the development stage.
- Immigration Taskforce
- Meeting on a regular basis to gather resources and make connections with others within and outside of NWYM.
- Have identified three streams of focus: 1. Legal and political advocacy; 2. Education and training for Anglo and Latino communities of Faith; and 3. Assisting to develop practical faith-based programs to help Latino families.
- Have begun to develop plans for educating and assisting Friends churches in NWYM in order to develop effective, sustainable immigration advocacy efforts in the northwest.

Human Rights Sub-committee

- Developed mandate (available online at nwfriends.org/human-rights)
- Established Taskforce on Immigration
- Working on developing more taskforce groups (see mandate)
- Inviting those with a passion for this type of work to join the work of this sub-committee

Ministry Point Support

- Continuing to deepen relationships with existing ministry points and assisting in their development upon their request. (Destiny Friends, Friends Church of the Valley, Living Water Ministries, New Life Friends Church, Green Plow Coffee, Quaker Cove Friends, Quincy Friends, River of Life Friends, RiversWay Community, and The Olde Meetinghouse)
- Many of these ministry points are reaching into their communities in creative ways!
- Many new folks are coming to Christ, and many poor and broken are being cared for through these ministries.
- Too many stories to tell!

Board of Youth & Young Adult Ministry

The year of 2008-2009 was a busy one! The board worked hard on our vision for youth ministry, wrote our ministry plan and assisted Colin in hiring a new superintendent!

The board is excited to name Rachelle Staley (Newberg) as the Associate Superintendent of Youth and Youth Adults. Rachelle has worked hard in the last year to keep our programs, relationships and youth ministries functioning well. She has been an important addition to the board and we believe will do an excellent job in the years to come as an associate superintendent.

Last fall the board felt clear to give the Friends Youth Executive Committee (FYE) a sabbatical year for the school year 2009-2010. It is our goal to re-structure FYE with clear purpose, vision and direction. A subcommittee has

been formed and is clerked by Scott Cornwall (Silverton). At this point, the goal is to have FYE up and running again for the school year 2010-2011. The board retained a few of the ministries to continue during the sabbatical year. YCEW and Midwinter will run with leadership from the board.

The board discerned over the last year to lay the Volleyball Tournament down. The Friends churches in southern Idaho were disappointed with this loss. With encouragement from the board, the churches in southern Idaho coordinated a volleyball tournament in southern Idaho and invited all the Friends churches in NWYM. This was a highly successful model because it brought the southern Idaho Friends youthworkers together to help plan the event and the tournament was a great success! It is from listening to the youthworkers' experience of leading this event that the board feels new direction and vision.

A part of this new vision is to rotate certain events from area to area. When we conducted area gatherings it was clear that a lot of the areas sensed a need for community and support from others in their area. The board feels strongly that we need to stop being so centralized in Newberg! One model we're looking at is rotating Midwinter, Junior High Jamboree and the Volleyball Tournament between North Idaho, South Idaho and Newberg/Portland. We think this will encourage areas to work together, build community and invite other youth groups into their areas. The board sensed a lot of excitement and passion around this idea.

Rachelle conducted a Young Adult event called BYOT (Bring Your Own Tent) held in Molalla, Oregon. Around 25 young adult Friends joined together for fellowship, fun, kayaking and worship. There was a lot of energy and Rachelle plans on using this model for another camping trip in Oregon and one in Idaho this fall.

A new program that FYE launched this year was Youth Challenged through Local Service (YCLS). Three youth were selected: Katie Comfort (Reedwood), Joy McKibbin (Hayden Lake), and Rachel Vance (Caldwell). Emily Smith (North Valley) and Tami Burton (Caldwell) led the group as they worked with Bridgetown Ministries in Portland. Bridgetown Ministries has a mission statement of "Loving people because people matter" and strives to be the church to folks in Portland. The youth and leaders had an awesome week of serving and being served.

Youthworkers had two opportunities for growth and renewal at the Youthworkers' Training Conference and the Lighten-Up Retreat. At the Youthworkers' Training Conference in early November, Marshall Snider and local pastors Josh Reid and Gar Mickelson, challenged youthworkers to integrate service opportunities as evangelism in their ministries. The Lighten-Up Retreat at Harbor Villa encouraged youthworkers to leave work at the door and focus on spending time with Christ and resting their souls. Both opportunities were life giving for the folks that attended.

Leslie Murray (North Valley), clerk

Evangelical Friends Mission Report

Hope for the Future: 2009 EFM Report to Northwest Yearly Meeting

"All nations will come and worship before you" --Revelation 15:3-4. Lord, fulfill this promise and bring your hope for the future.

Future Missionaries Retreat

Under the direction of Brad and Chelsea Carpenter (MidAmerica Yearly Meeting) 28 future missionaries spent time in worship, solitude, interaction with the EFM Board and learning from nine home-based and furloughed missionaries. Several EFM Board members served as speakers. Watch for news about the next Future Missionaries Retreat.

Surge of Short-Term Missionaries (9 months to 2 years)

- To Bangladesh – Cassie Phillips (MAYM)
- From Bangladesh, India and Nepal (returned in last year) – Michael and K.K. Linville (MAYM)
- To Rwanda – Molly Black (MAYM), Matt and Gayle Denham (2nd Street, NWYM), Johnny Kaye and Drew Miller (Newberg, NWYM), Chrissy Muhr (Melba, NWYM) second short term, Liz Wine (MAYM)
- From Rwanda – Michelle Carpenter (MAYM), Michael and Melissa Chapman (Newberg, NWYM), Phil Cox

Missions to Missions

Thanks to the ministry of David Thomas (West Chehalem, NWYM) and several other Rwandan missionaries and national leaders, the first interdenominational missionary sending agency is being formed in Rwanda.

Rupak Tamang and the young Friends Church in Bhutan sent their first missionary, Nima Dawa, to Sikkim state in India. Derby Friends Church in Derby, Kansas, is partnering with them in this venture.

Bangladesh

Albert and Metali Adhikari and their committed volunteers are reaching people never before touched by the gospel. The number of churches and converts increases every year among people recently transformed by Jesus Christ. Relief for flood victims, teaching English and computer skills, and launching micro-businesses provide the holistic side of ministry.

Bhutan

Under the leadership of Rupak and Pramila Tamang our Bhutan field continues to grow rapidly. Teaching women to weave and micro-loans provide part of their help to the poor.

Great Lakes Leadership Training (GLLT)

Lon Fendall (West Chehalem, NWYM) travels to Africa at least twice per

year, and coordinates GLLT's remarkable pastoral and lay leaders training program in Burundi, Congo and Rwanda.

India (Mussoorie)

While Edwin Daliya focuses on evangelism and training workers, his wife Nivedit works on small businesses for workers and others in need among the poverty-stricken Garhwal people. Seekers conferences and youth camps lead many to Christ. Helping families with children's education and family medical needs bring hope to the poor. The house churches keep multiplying although persecution takes its toll.

Ireland

Todd and Celesta James (EFC-SW) serve in Ringsend, David and Tricia Howell (Talent, NWYM) in Wicklow Town and Kathi Perry (EFC-SW) in Greystones. The Ringsend church, Cairde Christian Fellowship, is now organized with elders and an active youth ministry, including a missions trip to Hungary. Basketball camps and sports ministry are ways they help the community and spread the gospel. Todd's tract, *Meet My Head Coach*, is now in use in 13 languages, including a special edition with John Wooden's testimony. Kathi and David and Tricia have started Bible studies and are active in school and community service.

Mexico

Jeremy and Betty Smuck (MAYM), Andrea Byrne (MAYM), and Edwin and Maria Giron (EFC-SW) serve in Aguascalientes, while Candi Foster (MAYM) is recovering slowly from Chronic Fatigue Syndrome here in the United States. Our missionaries are leading many to Christ, starting home fellowships and now have two monthly gatherings that combine home groups in a worship service. A bi-weekly Kids' Club in the community of Pocitos, a free medical clinic and a literacy class for non-readers of Spanish help the community in spite of opposition by the local priest. Dan Cammack (Tigard, NWYM) serves as their coach, and also coordinates a Bible school teacher training program in Mexico City. Friends in Mexico also have ministries in Coahuila (Nueva Rosita), Ciudad Victoria, Juarez, Mexicali, and Sinaloa. Mexico Friends plan to host the Evangelical Friends Church International – Latin America conference in 2010.

Middle East Ministries

With groups of Farsi-speaking believers in an unnamed Muslim country, Germany, England, and the USA (3 states), Roy and Jinky Twaddell (EFC-SW) bring training and wise counsel. Reconciliation of conflict brings restored relationships.

Nepal

During their furlough year Bob Adhikary made a trip to visit his ever-growing number of leaders who continue to train evangelists and preachers

for many new villages. God is giving dynamic growth in spite of persecution. Road re-building, water buffalos whose milk supports evangelists, and a proposed bridge are among their development projects. John and Sangi Vanlal find their ministry stretching from east to west across Nepal. Sangi's work in training women in sewing (who then train others) has brought hope and income to many women. Dr. Samson and Priscilla Retnaraj lead Community Health Evangelism (CHE) in four places. A dietician, medical professional, agriculturalist and evangelist/pastor work together in the CHE team.

Philippines

In addition to our cluster of Friends churches in the Manila area, Jaime and Lydia Tabingo are reaching out to Visayas and Mindanao (Leyte) islands in the southern Philippines. Medical, dental and optical assistance as well as clothes for indigent families help those in need.

Rwanda

Brad and Chelsea Carpenter (MAYM) and David and Debby Thomas (West Chehalem, NWYM) serve as career missionaries, and school teacher Chrissy Muhr (Melba, NWYM) is ready for a second short term. Four Discipleship for Development teams are working for spiritual, social and economic progress. A new Business as Mission venture is preparing to sell Moringa tree powder to the poor. Chelsea will focus on language and culture learning. Brad's research on native religions is intended to lead to more effective spiritual warfare.

Worship and Praise!

People in many nations already worship our Lord Jesus Christ. He is using missionaries to bring the good news of the Kingdom to every language, people, tribe and nation. "All nations...will worship." *The future has hope because the Lamb is on the throne!*

Chuck Mylander, EFM executive director

Finance Committee Treasurer's Report

In some ways this report is a little unusual. I stepped in for Dave Hampton just as our 2008 fiscal year came to a close, and prior to that the only exposure I'd had to the Yearly Meeting budget were these 'Treasurer's Reports' during Yearly Meeting sessions! Now it's my turn to tell you this year's financial story and I'll be honest: Dave has been a tremendous help to me as I've gained a deeper understanding of the structure and strength of the NWYM. He has been generous with both his time and knowledge as I strive to fill his old role. Thanks (again!), Dave.

As you read through the following pages summarizing our activity during 2008 and the proposed activity through 2010, keep in mind that these numbers represent more than just the financial health of our Yearly Meeting. If I could shine a light and show you what's behind the numbers you'd see a lot of dedicated members of the NWYM working hard with their respective Boards to ensure faithful stewardship of the dollars you've entrusted to their care. It's a joy and blessing to me to be able to work among them. What follows is a summary, and as always, a detailed report and the independent auditors review are available by contacting the Yearly Meeting office.

The pie chart labeled '2008 Ministry Income & Transfers' is an overview of all the financial resources used in 2008 to support ministry. This small graph can be correlated directly with the larger "Actual Results" chart. You'll note



- Contributions Designated for Board Use: \$113,358 (8%)
- Local Church Support: \$617,091 (44%)
- Restricted and Designated Gifts Used for Ministry: \$433,850 (31%)
- Fee and Interest Income: \$87,527 (6%)
- Transfers from the Yearly Meeting Ministry Fund: \$153,684 (11%)

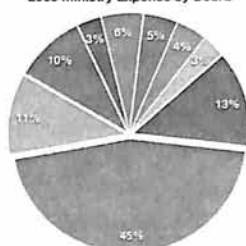
on that larger sheet that we came very close to hitting our income targets, but were off by 5.8% in total. Local church support continues to be the largest single source of income for the ministry of the Yearly Meeting, and though giving was about 10% below the budgeted amount, it actually exceeded the amount of local church support from 2007 by about 1%. 2008 was a very poor year in terms of investment income.

Overall, between drawing down principle and investment losses, the Ministry Fund lost approximately 25% of its value during 2008 (on the upside, the markets have rebounded somewhat over the last two months, giving the Fund small but positive returns).

Next, the pie chart labeled '2008 Ministry Expense by Board' is an overview of the funds spent by each Board in pursuit of their mandate. This graph is also derived from the larger 'Actual Results' chart. Expenses in 2008 totaled \$1,462,248, which represents an \$84,071 increase from 2007. Some boards spent less, others spent more but the bulk of the increase is attributable to work done in both Global Outreach, and Local Outreach.

You'll note the use of the terms "Restricted Funds" and "Designated Funds." These terms often get confused, but for our purposes we identify restricted funds as contributions from individual donors who limit the use of their donation to a specific ministry. We honor the donor's wishes and spend these funds only for that restricted purpose. We identify designated funds as those monies the Yearly Meeting has set aside for a particular purpose, but retains the flexibility to change the use of the funds. Endowments are similar to donor restricted funds with the added obligation to spend only a percentage (typically 5%) of the fund annually.

2008 Ministry Expense by Board



- Personnel & Admin: \$194,378 (13%)
- Global Outreach: \$660,925 (45%)
- Local Outreach: \$161,466 (11%)
- Youth & Young Adult: \$140,043 (10%)
- Elders: \$47,432 (3%)
- Leadership Development: \$83,535 (6%)
- Communication: \$67,315 (5%)
- Congregational Care: \$67,157 (4%)
- Christian Education & Discipleship: \$44,759 (3%)

Total fund balances decreased dramatically during 2008. This is due in part to increased draws which were approved during 2007 budget planning, but primarily due to declining market conditions which produced negative returns throughout the year.

You'll note in the text ahead that the Administrative Council approved a mid-year budget adjustment to the 2009 budget, in order to help minimize reductions to these important resources.

2010 Budget Summary

These comments are associated with the chart labeled 'Proposed 2010 Northwest Yearly Meeting Annual Budget' on pages 52-53.

Local Church Support is allocated directly to each board as needed after considering all other sources of revenue and transfers to cover that board's ministry expense. The 2010 budget of \$650,000 is a reduction from the original 2009 budget, and an increase of \$30,000 from the adjusted 2009 budget.

Transfer From Ministry Fund is the amount needed to be drawn from the Ministry Fund reserves in order to fund each board's ministry expense budgets. The \$231,987 represents 18.6% of the estimated Ministry Fund balance as of January 1, 2009. The goal for the future is to reduce our dependence on this fund so that we would only need to draw 5% annually. At 5% this fund would be available indefinitely without being depleted.

Transfers From Restricted And Designated Funds represent the use of funds that individuals and churches have restricted for a specific purpose, or funds that boards have set aside as a designated fund. For example, many individuals contribute "shares" for our Global Outreach workers. Those contributions are placed in each worker's restricted fund. Then as expenses are paid out of the appropriate Ministry Expense line, funds are transferred out of the restricted fund and into the Transfers From Restricted Funds line.

Ministry Expense represents the total expense of the Yearly Meeting. Every-

thing that is spent is reflected on one of these lines. As mentioned above, some expenses are supported by restricted gifts while others are supported by local church support and by transfers from the ministry fund.

Allocation of Personnel and Administration Expense represents the portion of total administrative overhead that is allocated to each board. The Employee Wages and Employee Benefits expense for all Yearly Meeting staff are paid out of the Personnel and Administration budget. A portion of the wage and benefit expense is charged to each board in proportion to the approximate amount of staff time dedicated to that board's ministry. A portion of most of other administrative expenses is also allocated between all the boards.

Beginning Fund Balances are the unspent balances held by each board and the Ministry Fund. These balances are as of January 1, 2009 and will change as funds flow in and out of them during the current year. They are shown here to give a general idea of the kinds of balances available to each board and the ministry fund for support of ministry activities.

Comparison To Prior Years

The 2010 budget together with the 2010 ministry plans are the items being submitted for approval at Yearly Meeting sessions in July. For comparison purposes, the 2008 actual income and expense figures are included, along with the 2009 original income and expense figures, as well as the adjusted 2009 figures. As mentioned earlier, the Administrative Council approved a mid-year 2009 budget reduction in order to offset falling fund values and reduce the draw on the Ministry Fund. At \$1,611,887, the 2010 budget represents a 5% decrease from the original 2009 budget, but about a 14% increase from the adjusted 2009 budget. Funding for these increases will come primarily from restricted fund giving and secondarily from increased draws on the ministry fund.

2010 Northwest Yearly Meeting Annual Budget Approved at 2009 Yearly Meeting Sessions

	Personnel & Admin.	Global Outreach	Local Outreach	Youth & Young Adults	Elders	Leadership Development
MINISTRY INCOME & TRANSFERS						
Contributions Designated for Board	51,000	60,000				
Local Church Support	1,899	194,357	123,867	85,697	28,345	100,180
Investment Income						
Fee Income	50,000					
Transfer from Ministry Fund						
Ministry Fund Allocation to Boards		20,537	20,537	20,537	20,537	20,537
Transfers from Restricted Funds	83,000	239,483	66,000	39,000	2,000	20,000
Transfers from Designated Funds	-	40,000	-	-	-	4,000
TOTAL INCOME & TRANSFERS	185,899	554,377	210,404	145,234	50,882	144,717
MINISTRY EXPENSE						
Allocation of Personnel & Admin	(485,667)	85,547	77,104	90,234	46,282	40,567
Employee Wages	354,593	-	-	-	-	-
Employee Benefits	123,073	-	-	-	-	-
Gifts	12,000	-	-	-	-	-
Supplies	17,000	1,500	800	2,000	500	500
Occupancy Expense	26,300	-	-	-	-	-
Employee Travel	39,500	3,500	2,000	-	-	-
Education/Seminars	1,000	10,000	5,500	3,500	-	44,250
Publication/Promotion Program	98,100	445,830	125,000	49,500	4,100	59,400
TOTAL EXPENSES	185,899	554,377	210,404	145,234	50,882	144,717
NET INCOME	0	-	-	-	-	-
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES JANUARY 1, 2009						
Prior Year Surplus/(Deficit)	283	(94,593)	20,207	341	8,850	7,239
Designated Fund Balance		32,840	2,932		1,872	12,034
Restricted Fund Balance		418,581	93,461	7,345	5,320	61,869
Permanent Endowments			36,827			71,065
TOTAL FUND BALANCE JAN. 1, 2008	283	356,828	153,427	7,686	16,042	152,207

Northwest Yearly Meeting Trustees

Since July 2008 the Northwest Yearly Meeting Trustees have dealt with the following items:

1. Washington Property Tax Exemption Reports. Annual property tax exemption reports were prepared and submitted to the Washington Department of Revenue for six Washington church properties where title is in the name of Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church ("NWYM"). The information reported is based on reports obtained from the churches involved.

2. Property Transactions. A duty of the NWYM Trustees as the legal representatives of the Yearly Meeting is to "execute legal instruments essential to normal procedure in business affairs and ownership of property held by the Yearly Meeting and the local churches." This often involves the execution of deeds, mortgages, etc., or routine reports such as mentioned above. The NWYM Trustees do not perform the day to day care of property owned by NWYM as we believe that should be the responsibility of whoever is using the property.

Communi- cations	Congrega- tional Care	Christian Ed. & Discipleship	Ministry Fund	2010 DRAFT	2009 ADJUSTED	2009 ORIGINAL	2008 ACTUAL
				111,000	119,000	119,000	113,358
85,405	24,460	18,786	4	664,000	620,000	682,500	617,091
			40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	36,689
				50,000	57,000	57,000	50,837
			124,292	124,292	123,853	215,898	153,684
20,537	20,537	20,537	(164,296)	-	-	-	-
-	16,250	1,600		467,333	389,692	514,655	406,001
-	4,721	2,000	-	50,721	37,000	52,000	27,849
106,942	65,968	42,923	-	1,507,346	1,386,545	1,681,053	1,405,510
				9%	-18%	20%	
68,892	45,818	31,223	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	354,593	348,062	366,707	354,684
-	-	-	-	123,073	121,173	133,146	114,668
-	-	-	-	12,000	12,000	14,000	7,440
500	950	500	-	24,250	27,200	27,200	20,398
-	-	-	-	26,300	23,800	26,300	24,265
-	-	-	-	45,000	34,000	40,000	39,135
750	4,500	3,000	-	72,500	57,200	63,000	42,481
36,800	-	4,600	-	49,400	46,000	53,600	35,659
-	14,700	3,600	-	800,230	717,110	957,100	823,517
106,942	65,968	42,923	-	1,507,346	1,386,545	1,681,053	1,462,248
-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
(5,538)	3,502	111	29,145	(30,453)			
843	1,219	10,000	1,214,358	1,276,098			
	4,180	8,259		599,015			
				107,892			
(4,695)	8,901	18,370	1,243,503	1,952,552			

The title to some local church property is in the name of the local church and some is in the name of NWYM. If local church property is in the name of NWYM any mortgages, trust deeds, deeds, etc. require execution by the NWYM Trustees. Local churches are encouraged to notify the NWYM Trustees whenever such a transaction is first being considered.

There have been no transactions during the past year where the NWYM Trustees were asked to execute legal instruments for NWYM owned property.

Floyd Watson, clerk

NWYM Superintendent's Report

I want to thank you, again, for the opportunity you have given me to serve as superintendent of Northwest Yearly Meeting. It has been a great privilege and I appreciate the love and support you show me and the rest of the NWYM staff.

Five years ago when I began this work, I was told it would take me *five years* to learn what I should be doing. In some ways, this is true. Certain things that were not at all clear to me then...are now beginning to come into focus.

On the other hand, we started out together five years ago in a shared experiment to revision and restructure NWYM. The goal of this process was to better discern who God is calling us to be and what we are being called to do for the sake of Christ and the world. As you may recall, this entailed many, many meetings, an amazing amount of work by some truly gifted people, a re-articulation of our identity and a restructuring of our boards, finances and staff. It is not an easy or quick task to change the culture and structure of an organization. The fact that you were willing says a lot about the quality of people in NWYM and your commitment to faithfulness.

Now that we are a year and half into operating with this plan, we are beginning to see some fruit from our shared labor. Let me cite a few examples:

- Our eight new boards and their sub-committees are increasingly focused on providing our local churches with practical and effective resources. These often come in the form of training, support, funding, and/or mentoring.
- A vision for "outreach"...now understood as *the faithful proclamation and demonstration of the gospel of Jesus Christ* is replacing that false dichotomy between peace/justice and evangelism/mission. In both our program and perspective, it seems we are reclaiming the biblical, holistic vision of *word and deed* being integral to the other in the ministries of our local churches through our Global and Local Outreach boards.
- Church planting is on the rise. New and varied ministry points have been started. Others are ready to be added to the NWYM community—even as we gather this week!
- Communication is improved. The *Connection* newsletter, the *Spotlight* insert, and the recently updated website (www.nwfriends.org) provide you with a better picture of what is going on in NWYM and what resources are available to you as Friends.
- Effective leadership is being encouraged. Whether it is through elder training, discernment workshops, new GFU leadership scholarships, Friends Center courses or mentoring for new pastors, those who serve us in leadership are being better encouraged and supported in their work.
- Prayer and discernment are increasingly part of our planning process. Over and over I see boards and local churches focused more on what God is calling them to do in the present and future than what they did in the past. Such a focus, when framed by the values and testimonies of Friends, are leading us in innovate ways that have integrity with our identity.

Friends, we are making headway despite many challenges and the slow nature of change! Yes, there is still much work to be done...but there are hopeful signs of change.

I confess to you that I am not a particularly patient man. As you will hear me say this week, there are many, many things I hope we will do. Hope, of course, is more than an idle wish—it is an *act of faith*—something we consistently choose and move toward. I am eager to see us move hopefully into the future together as the Friends of Jesus.

Should my call be extended this year for an additional term of service, I am planning on focusing my energies on "capacity building" for the future of NWYM. In particular, I see this happening in four important areas:

- Integrating our organization with our vision: working to insure our structure and process align with our values and that it frees us to do and be what God intends.
- Identifying/training/deploying/supporting leaders: working to insure our local and yearly meeting leaders are enabled to faithfully and effectively live out their call.
- Increasing financial resources: working with others to see that our local churches and yearly meeting have what we need to carry out God's will.
- Deepened spirituality: at the same time we are so focused on "doing more and doing better," encouraging a greater love for and intimacy with Christ.

Again, thank you! You are a great group of people whom I love and respect very much. I am glad, too, for the terrific partners in ministry on the NWYM staff. They are all a joy to work alongside and each does an outstanding job. Please take time this week to introduce yourself to our newest staff members. Brendon Connelly (North Valley) joined us this winter as our new Director of Finance and Development replacing our beloved Dave Hampton. Rachelle Staley (Newberg), who served in an interim role last year, was recently called to serve as the permanent Associate Superintendent in the area of youth and young adult ministries. Rachelle replaces our beloved Paul Bock.

Finally, please greet Kim Felton (North Valley). Kim just started on the staff July 1 as our half-time Administrative Assistant. We are very excited to add her to our team. Kim brings great experience and skills to this role.

This is a new position, in some ways, because we decided we can't quite replace our beloved Terri Bowen. Terri is retiring after 25 years of faithful ministry within the NWYM. We will have a chance to honor her together on Thursday during the Celebration Banquet. Terri, as you know, is a delight! She has been a tireless worker, a tremendous support and a faithful friend to all of us. We are going to miss her very, very much and we send her off with our great thanks and richest blessing.

Colin Saxton, superintendent

Friends Women

The Friends Women annual banquet is a special time. The theme for the 2008 banquet was "Come Away With Me." The offering of \$2,388.25 was given to provide a retreat time of relaxation for those involved in Teaching Abroad. Our speaker was Miriam Voth (Newberg), part of the China Teaching Abroad team.

We held two fall women's retreats with the theme "In His Time." Tresa Redford (Meridian) spoke at Quaker Hill. Elizabeth Sherwood (Newberg) spoke at the retreat held at Twin Rocks. The silent and oral auctions at these retreats are always a fun time. The amount raised from both auctions was \$2,046.25. These funds will support the ministry in Haifa, Israel, helping Patrick Neifert purchase a video-image stabilizer. It will enhance his ministry with CrossMedia Productions, an internet outreach to Arabs.

We praise the Lord for the good and varied spring rallies held this year. Friends Women projects for 2008-2009 amounted to \$9,100 to fund work in Russia, China, Peru, Morocco and printing of the "G.O." newsletter for our children at home. In February we were still short \$2,200 in pledges from our local groups. The Executive Committee decided to respond to the verse from Colossians 4:17, setting the theme for the rallies as "Fulfilling Promises." Rallies were held in: Boise Valley, Priscilla Retnaraj, speaker; Newberg/Portland at Sherwood Friends, Judy Maurer, speaker; Salem at Silverton Friends, Raelene Fendall, speaker; Puget Sound, Betty Lou Sargent, speaker; SW Washington at Rose Valley Friends, Katrina McConaughy, speaker; and Southern Oregon at Talent Friends, Raelene Fendall, speaker. Final offerings from the rallies came to over \$2,500, helping us fulfill our promises!

Our scholarship for the year was given to Lutomia Kuto (Tigard), a new member of the China Teaching Abroad team for 2008-09.

The history of the Friends Women organization has been strong. We are researching ways to keep the women of our churches informed of the opportunities afforded to us to pray, serve and give to the work of our wonderful Lord Jesus, both at home and throughout the world.

Betty Lou Sargent (2nd Street), president

Friends Youth Executive Committee

The Friends Youth Executive Committee (FYE) is a group of college-age students who come together once a week on the campus of George Fox University to discern how to encourage high school Friends and help them feel a part of Northwest Yearly Meeting. Major events that were planned and held over the 2008-09 school year are as follows: Midwinter Fetreat, a 25th anniversary dessert for Youth Challenged to Expand their Worldview (YCEW), Puget Sound Event and Youth Challenged through Local Service (YCLS). During these events, and the times between, FYE members gained a better

understanding of belonging to a Christ-centered group motivated by the Spirit.

Amiee Jury (South Salem) and others did a wonderful job of organizing the Midwinter Retreat for high school students at Twin Rocks Friends Camp. Young Friends from all over the northwest came and heard Steve Sherwood (GFU) speak on this year's theme: "What's the Whole Gospel?" Among other topics, Steve touched upon the fear of exposure, the need to hide, and the prodigal son, using video and personal stories to emphasize the message. Campers were encouraged to share feelings and insights in scheduled discussions within their cabin groups. On Saturday of Midwinter, the campers (and counselors) did a day of service. Their morning was spent cleaning Rockaway Community Church and helping with landscaping projects around its campus. After a quick lunch our time was devoted to helping members of the church who were in need, as well as some weeding for the city.

Because of the success of a similar event that took place the year before, FYE approved the holding of another Puget Sound event. A small committee planned games and worship for the gathering, which took place in April. Though not many kids came it was agreed by those who went that it had been worth the time and effort.

Instead of planning the usual YCEW trip, FYE approved the idea that something different should be planned in celebration of the program's 25th anniversary; Lindley King (Cherry Grove) and Vicki Stave (Eugene) led the effort and the event will take place during Yearly Meeting Sessions, July 26.

It had been decided that FYE should take the time and energy usually spent in planning a NWYM volleyball tournament and pursue other ministries. Also, because there was not to be a YCEW trip it was decided to hold a Youth Challenge through Local Service (YCLS) trip. Teaming up with Bridgetown Ministries, we sent three youth and two leaders to downtown Portland for a week to serve the homeless. Even though few students joined, FYE believed that it was important for those who wanted to go to have the opportunity.

Near the end of the year we were informed that the NWYM Youth and Young Adult Ministry Board was giving FYE a sabbatical while the structure and procedure of Friends Youth Exec is re-examined. Several members expressed interest in being a part of the committee in charge of this task. This was the first year that Rachele Staley served as advisor to FYE and she did a good job of being a part of our community. For Rachele and several other new members (including myself), FYE was a place of great learning and growth.

Mark Lucas Kelley (Rosedale), FYE member-at-large

Volunteers on Wheels

Since this Rendezvous marks the completion of the 25th year of Volunteers on Wheels, I have decided to combine the President's annual report with our anniversary celebration. I would like to talk about the following questions:

- How did VOW get started?
- What was the mission of VOW?
- Has the mission been accomplished?
- What have recipients said about VOW's service?
- What benefits have VOW members received?
- How has VOW changed?
- What is the future of VOW?

My responses to those questions may be biased as they are based on my own observations as a member for the past 15 years. But in addition, I did considerable research in the paper trail left behind in the archives.

How did VOW get started?

Have you ever wondered how Volunteers on Wheels came into existence? What did they do in the early years? In the archive box kept in the basement of Northwest Yearly Meeting, I found a number of records that speak to that question including minutes of meetings, Communiques, and annual reports. After several hours of reading, I have come to the conclusion that the vision for VOW originated with Jack Willcuts. Several of those who attended the first gathering at Umatilla on May 18-20, 1984, had been members of MMAP (Mobile Missionary Assistance Program) and thus had some experience with similar organizations. I think the best thing to help you understand what happened in those early years is to read excerpts from some of those records.

Notes taken at R.V. Gathering, May 18-20, 1984

"On Friday, May 18, 1984, motorhomes, trailers, campers, and vans began arriving at the Umatilla Marina with enthusiastic couples gathering to share a weekend of concerns and vision for using one's R.V. in a ministry for God in work projects.

An ad hoc nominating committee was named to bring recommendations for an organizational structure.

(later in the same notes)

The report from the ad hoc committee was presented: 1. Approve a recommended name for the organization to be: Volunteers on Wheels. 2. That Volunteers on Wheels be led by a Board of Directors. 3. The following officers be named by the R.V. group now gathered: Coordinator, Bill Loewen; Secretary/Treasurer, Beth Bagley; Cecil and Lois Binford, Chairmen of the Board of Directors; other Board members: Bennie and Ember Roberts, Ralph and Marie Chapman, Stuart and Violet Richey, Forrest and Orpha Cammack, Earl Perisho, Gary Taylor, and Jack Willcuts.

Just five months later, from the Communique, Vol. 1, No. 1, October 19, 1984, written by Bill Loewen:

"Our membership is growing and there is continued interest in VOW and what we are doing. As of this date, we have a membership of 67 persons and a registration of 34 vehicles. Volunteers are out on projects and requests for assistance continue to come into our office faster than what we have been able to assist."

From the Communique, Vo. 1, No. 3, February/March, 1985, Bill Loewen

"This brings our total fellowship to 71 persons and 36 vehicles."

From the Communique, Vol. 1, No. 4, April/May, 1985, Bill Loewen

"We are approaching the first anniversary of our organization. It was a high moment when the vision of some in our organization and in particular, Jack Willcuts, became a reality. The Umatilla Trailer & R. V. Park will long be remembered, I am sure. Now one year later, plans are underway to have a special anniversary rendezvous at the Jefferson County Fair Grounds at Madras (same place as last September). . ."

Communique, Vol. 2, No. 2, November, 1985, Bill Loewen

"I am pleased to report to you that beginning December 1, Ralph Chapman, a Board of Directors member since the beginning of the organization, and Assistant Director since our May rendezvous this year, will assume the role of Executive Director of VOW."

From the Communique, Vol. 3, No. 5, June, 1987, Ralph Chapman

"Ralph Chapman will serve as Executive Director and Phil Fendall as his assistant until November 1, 1987. At that date they will exchange positions, with Phil assuming the responsibilities of Executive Director."

From the Communique, Vol. 3, No. 10, November, 1987, Phil Fendall wrote:

"In a time where some people's lives are being shaken or even destroyed by the fluctuation of the stock market, how thankful we should be to read again in John 14, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God. . ."

From the Communique, Vol. 4, No. 4, June, 1988, Phil Fendall

"Twenty-four VOWers made the annual trip to the Jefferson County Fairgrounds in Madras on May 19."

From the Communique, Vol. 4, No. 5, July, 1988, Phil Fendall

"The Executive Committee decided on June 18 not to have a fall R & R Retreat for 1988."

From the Communique, Vo. 5, No. 7, September, 1989, Phil Fendall

"Since this was written we have the news of the passing of Jack Willcuts who went to be with the Lord September 23rd."

From the Communique, Vol. 6, No. 10, February, 1990, Phil Fendall
"In this Communique you will hear about some exciting plans for the very first VOW bus tour." (It didn't happen due to a Greyhound strike.)

From the Communique, Vol. 10, No. 1, June, 1993, Phil Fendall
"We are having difficulty keeping our membership from dropping below thirty. Currently we have 13 paid couples—26 people."

From the Communique, Vol. 11, No. 1, June, 1994, Phil Fendall
"The 1994 Rendezvous marked the Tenth Anniversary of VOW. It was noted that there were fifty people present ten years ago compared to twenty-four this year."

It was at this Rendezvous that Jean Aitken, Ked and Nina Dejmaj, and Gary and Ellie Fendall were accepted into membership. They are currently the oldest members, not in age, but in terms of years served.

From the Communique, Vol. 11, No. 6, May, 1995, Phil Fendall
"Gary Fendall has accepted the nomination of Executive Director for VOW for a three-year term." So from that point on, I am going from memory, which I think is intact, I can't remember.

During those first 10 years, the minutes record the approval of By-Laws, application forms, the Logo, the decals, and jacket.

While there is risk in doing so, I want to mention some of the people whose names were frequently mentioned in the first 10 years of VOW. They include the Binfords, the Chapmans, the Loewens, the Phil Fendalls, and the Wrights. Their work in getting VOW on its feet and underway was tremendous. All of those people are no longer active with us and it is time for those now here to carry the torch.

What was the mission of VOW?

Foremost in the written material in the archives, the mission of VOW was to allow people to use their God-given talents and skills to assist non-profit Christian organizations. There was an assumption that Christian non-profit organizations could use help and there were people with skills and talents, or at least courage, to offer their time without expectation of reimbursement.

Has the mission been accomplished?

Thanks to former assistant director Margaret Wright and to the Watsons, we have fairly accurate records of what has been accomplished. I say fairly accurate because some members don't always report their hours worked. Also, the officers and board members don't report their hours in fulfilling their duties and in some cases that could be significant. To determine if the mission has been accomplished a review of the statistical reports shows four things: (1) the number of projects (2) hours worked (3) miles driven and (4) dollars saved.

(1) Number of Projects: Actually, as time has gone on, the number of projects has become less significant as will be explained later in this report. But we have reports of work on approximately 180 projects which is an average of 7.2 per year.

(2) Hours worked: To date, we have reported 65,847.5 hours worked. If one divides that by the typical 40 hour work week, that would represent 1646 weeks or almost 32 years if one person was doing the work.

(3) Miles driven or encountered in getting to and from projects: To date, 437,603 miles have been reported. That is equivalent to going around the equator more than 18 times. At the current rate we will reach a half million miles in 2011.

(4) Dollars saved: The current figure is \$745,043 dollars saved. By mid-year, we will have surpassed three-quarters of a million dollars. In terms of today's federal spending, that doesn't seem like much but to the organizations we serve, that is significant. This figure will be arbitrary as sometimes organizations calculate what they would pay someone to do the same service. Other times when they don't report, a standard hourly rate is applied, with Board approval, now \$12 per hour. Obviously that is above the minimum rate but well below standards for many of the services we provide.

As an example, it was reported that Twin Rocks Friends Camp was the beneficiary of some 1750 hours in 2008-09 and if they had hired someone to do that work, it would have cost \$26,257. In these tough economic times, we know what most likely would have happened. The work would not have been done or if so, possibly something else would be left undone.

What have recipients said about VOW's service?

Beyond the statistics, we can better measure our success by the comments that have been collected from the organizations served. Again from the archives, I want to quote in part from the letters received:

March 29, 1985

"I am writing on behalf of California Yearly Meeting and the Mission Board to express our heartfelt appreciation for the excellent crew from Volunteers on Wheels that served in Mexicali, Mexico. Not only the work but also the spirit of the workers was most commendable." -Charles Mylander, superintendent

September 18, 1987

"We, the Christian Ed Committee, wanted you to know what a success the VBS was this year. It was a real blessing to have dedicated Christian people to help." Sprague River Friends Community Church

July 21, 1997

"It is with gratitude and joy that I write this letter to you. We just had a fantastic experience at our church working together with Volunteers on Wheels" -Dan Tomlinson, Stewardship Clerk, Clackamas Park Friends Church

What benefits have VOW members received?

And still another measure of our success is the feeling of fulfillment that we

as workers receive. The Bible says it is more blessed to give than to receive. I don't think this was just speaking of giving money. When we were employees, we often looked at our benefit package to determine if we felt compensated for our efforts. Volunteer work also has its benefits but they are not measured in dollars. Someone said volunteering in service for God does not pay much but the benefits are out of this world. Often when I've been on projects or have heard the reports at Rendezvous, the common thread was the benefits VOW workers received. That's the hidden benefit of belonging to VOW. So to paraphrase an American president, you might say, "Ask not what VOW can do for you but what you can do for VOW." Let's listen to what some of our members have said about serving on projects:

In the very first Communique, a member writes about the project at Woodland Friends: "They report having a wonderful time of Christian fellowship among themselves and with the local congregation."

I invited several former members to share their memories of VOW.

Charles and Jean Hanson joined in 1987 and continued their membership until 2006 having worked on many projects during that time and even some after they resigned. This is what they had to say:

"We can not tell you the blessings VOW has been to us through the years. Little did Jack Willcuts ever dream from the vision he had to start VOW and all the good that has come because many gave to make it succeed.

"We made so many great friends during this time. When we walk through GFU and see the side walks with VOW on them, the joy of working with Homer and Margaret Wright, fun at the Tucson, Arizona, church, West Chehalem gym, Twin Rocks, and special time we had at Quaker Ridge Camp for about ten days, and on and on. Thank you for these special memories.

Joel 2:28 & 29 says, "Your old men will dream, your young men see visions." Thanks to Jack Willcuts for your vision. God bless you all, to all that still carry on."

Doris Morris and her late husband Jim joined VOW in 1993 and continued until 2002. She served several years as the secretary. She writes:

"Before moving to Oregon, we heard about the ministry of Volunteers on Wheels and knew we wanted to be a part of it. The purchase of a motor home was a high priority for us when we took up residence in Newberg. We appreciated so much our years with VOW and find words inadequate to express what wonderful experiences we had. It was such a blessing to work along side these experienced veterans. We especially enjoyed projects where we camped in our motor homes a week or two at a time, and helped churches and camps. Our labors of love saved these churches and camps many, many dollars. Friendships developed serving with our VOW family will endure always. They (The Rendezvous times) were such special times of worship, praise, fellowship, fun, and yes, business/planning. Most importantly, it was

genuine joy to serve our Lord in this ministry.

How has VOW changed?

While sticking to the original mission, VOW has undergone some subtle changes. When VOW was formed in 1984, it was assumed that members owned an RV. Now, approximately one-third do not own an R. V. yet their service is just as valuable. They either commute or stay in housing provided at the project.

Another change is the tendency for small groups or individuals to work on projects as opposed to large groups. The establishment of "Open Status" projects of which we now have eight has brought about some of these changes. The statistical reports show in the past 10 years we have averaged about 8.5 projects per year while only 2.6 have been with organizations other than those now known as Open Status. Again, while this is different than what was considered acceptable at first, a number of people have been able to assist approved organizations, often without benefit of an RV.

Finally, by reading the original By-Laws one could conclude that membership was open to couples only. In later years they were edited so that individuals would also feel welcome.

What is the future of VOW?

What does the future hold for VOW? Since the need for service continues, the mission is still valid. Obviously, recruitment of new members needs to be a top priority. The attrition rate calls for replacements of two to six new members per year. As stated earlier this week, Chuck and Carole Pearce have submitted their resignation after 8 years of service. Who will replace them and the nearly 3100 hours of work?

A review of our membership list shows that the first year 80 people paid dues. Ten years later the number dropped to 29. While this was a matter of major concern, it probably reflected the fact that many of the original members had resigned due to health or other age-related reasons and not enough new members had been recruited. The good news is from that low in 1994 the number has grown reaching 79 in 2001 and is currently just under 70. But we need to continue to recruit to replace some of us when we can no longer serve.

We also need to continue to get the word out to other organizations that meet our requirements but who have not requested our help. In the last year or two the number of requests, other than open status, has been zero to three per year. I personally believe that the economy has had something to do with organizations not being able to spend money on projects.

One bright spot in our records is that the number of hours of service this year was about normal. Looking at the last ten years, the numbers can be misleading because of the 8455 hours on the Eugene Friends Church. When one excludes those numbers, the ten-year average is 3378 hours and this year it was

3767. Forty-four of our 68 or so members worked on one or more projects. The average number of hours served was 70.3 but this is somewhat distorted by the 1078.5 hours worked by the Eichenbergers.

So as we celebrate what has been accomplished, we must pray for the future of VOW. Pray that new members will come along side of us. Pray that members will step up to serve as leaders. Pray that organizations will realize that we are here to assist.

SUMMARY:

Psalms 127:1 says, "Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labor in vain." Or as The Message says, "If God doesn't build the house, the builders only build shacks."

VOW is composed of builders, kingdom builders. We do not build shacks. God was in the original vision and organization of VOW. I don't believe we have completed all that we can do. If we recognize Him as the true leader of this organization, it will continue and grow during the next 25 years.

We have seen that from the vision of Jack Willcuts in which he foresaw willing people using their talents to assist Christian organizations, a number of people have responded to the call. While the work of getting organized consumed much of that first year, soon workers were serving on various projects.

When Ellie and I joined VOW at the annual in 1994, several members were present who had been members from the beginning. Charter members they were called and they were given special recognition. Our current roster has no charter members. Since most people don't join VOW until retirement, it is only natural that 25 years later, they are no longer with us. But it is interesting to note that from the original membership roster, we find some of the next generation among our current members. While there may be others, I did find the following: Ralph and Marie Chapman, parents of Linnea Stahlnecker and Oscar and Ruth Brown, parents of Betty Comfort. I guess that means some of our children will be members in 2034, the 50th anniversary of Volunteers on Wheels.

That seems a long time away but it begins today, hour by hour, project by project. Let's all do our part to continue the mission. We can only speculate what will be accomplished.

Gary Fendall, president

Evangelical Friends Church International Council Director's Report to Northwest Yearly Meeting 2009

The International Council of the Evangelical Friends Church (EFCI) met in Canton, Ohio July 24-28, 2008 shortly after the sessions of Northwest Yearly Meeting. All five regional directors were present: Mkoko Boseka (Congo) from EFCI-Africa; Sabino Chipana (Bolivia) from EFCI-Latin America; John Vanlalhriata (Nepal) from EFCI-Asia; John Williams, Jr. (Eastern Region) from EFCI-North America; and Tony Frei (Hungary) from EFCI-Europe. Since that meeting, Augustin Simparinka (Rwanda) has assumed the position of regional director in Africa.

Name Change. At the Canton meeting the regional directors approved a small but important name change to clarify identity. The former EFI title (Evangelical Friends International) was changed to EFCI (Evangelical Friends Church International) as the umbrella organization for Friends on five continents. Each region is now known by the letters EFCI plus its regional tag (EFCI-Africa or EFCI-Asia, for example). With a great diversity of languages and usages around the world, local Yearly Meetings and Friends groups may or may not use that as a part of their title, but their affiliation with EFCI will make it clear that they are a fellowship of Christian churches.

Council Director. Ron Stansell (Newberg) accepted one last four-year term as the international director, a volunteer position that helps coordinate regional gatherings and provides some flow of information and encouragement among the regions. A process to select a new director was outlined and will be activated within two or three years. Currently the requirements for the position include fluency in English and one other commonly spoken language among Evangelical Friends, cross-cultural experience and sensitivity, and an eagerness to promote the goals of EFCI. Conceivably this person could be someone from Africa, Asia, Europe or Latin America. The non-Western directors in their meeting in Canton, however, expressed hesitancy, feeling that communication conditions may still be difficult for a non-North American. Given the numerical preponderance of non-Western evangelical Friends, however, the time will come when the organizational leadership will and should be in the hands of a non-Westerner.

Other Council Business. The EFC International Council meets only every four years, so much time was spent in giving and hearing regional reports. This gives opportunity for encouragement and learning from one another and the maintenance of Friends identity and a sense of family. A schedule for regional gatherings for the coming four years (2009-2013) was established. There will be no regional gathering internationally until Asia Region meets, probably in Spring 2010.

State of Evangelical Friends Church International. Whenever North Americans hear of disturbances in a nation where evangelical Friends are present, they can probably count on some level of impact upon Friends

churches there. For example, political changes in Bolivia put pressure upon the church to respond, Maoist terrorists in Nepal threaten new Christians, a military coup in Honduras, economic and financial meltdown in Hungary, persecution of Christians in India, war in Congo—all of these become calls to prayer for Friends. Our worldwide family of Friends is vigorous and growing, new leaders are emerging and interesting networks (mostly invisible) serve as bridges into new places and new ministries. North Americans still have important openings for ministry (to whom much is given, much is required), but new ties for ministry now also radiate out from African, Latino, Asian and European Friends.

My evaluation is that EFCI is a healthy and dynamic small family of Christians experiencing its greatest period of growth in its history. A denomination with independent bases on five continents has far greater potential than a denomination with only one headquarters. Furthermore, we intermingle with fellow evangelicals, sometimes providing significant leadership beyond our own numbers. New worship forms, music and preaching show serious concerns for contextualizing and living out the gospel in new cultural clothing. This is happening spontaneously under the direction of the Holy Spirit as he builds the Kingdom of God. While there are differences among evangelical Friends, I am always amazed at the similarities of spiritual experiences, values, and heart concerns when we meet together. Many expressions of the love of Christ and ministries of compassion are springing up as new churches are planted.

An example of EFCI at work. As I write this report, I have just returned from visiting one of our EFCI affiliates in Dharwad, Karnataka state of west India. Two years ago Shoba from Dharwad made a public appeal at an EFCI-Asia gathering in Cambodia that Friends throughout India needed to get better acquainted with each other. Since then, Friends leaders have met once a year (Kolkata in 2008, Kerala in 2009 and Dharwad in 2010) to stand together in love and fellowship. This is a spin off benefit of EFCI that we could not have anticipated. Friends have ministries in six distinct (and isolated) regions of India, a country the size of Argentina but with a billion people. Friends in India are no longer one small group in one section of that vast sea of humanity. They are six lights that encourage one another. Together they stand stronger, offer encouragement, and are building their own network.

I conclude with one final note about that ministry in India as an example of what is happening elsewhere within EFCI. Friends there have blended social ministries (care for at-risk children and AIDS/HIV+ adults) with church planting and Bible school efforts. Evangelical Friends Church-Eastern Region provides a salary and basic oversight for the ministry, and international social agencies fund child sponsorships. However, leaders there stress the need for prayer and spiritual support from Friends in other parts of the world. The biggest battles for the lives of abused and neglected children and for church planting are won by prayer.

Ron Stansell (Newberg), EFCI director

Friends Center

Friends Graduates

Four Friends students graduated from George Fox Evangelical Seminary (GFES) this spring.

Doug Balzer received a Master of Divinity degree, and is now the new pastor at Vancouver First Friends, Vancouver, Washington. Doug will be starting the Doctor of Divinity program in Leadership in the Emerging Culture, at the seminary in the fall.

Darla Samuelson also received the Master of Divinity degree. Darla is co-pastor at RiversWay Community in Beaverton, a ministry of Friends. Darla also serves as Administrative Assistant to the Master of Arts in Ministerial Program at the seminary.

Charlena Miller received the Master of Arts in Spiritual Formation. She completed her internship this spring at West Hills Friends Meeting in Portland. Charlena is a brand and marketing consultant and is planning to pursue a PhD. in practical theology.

All three of these graduates were drawn to Friends through their experience at George Fox Evangelical Seminary.

David Williams graduated with a Doctor of Ministry in Spiritual Formation. He is Associate Professor of Pastoral Ministries and College Chaplain at Barclay College in Haviland, Kansas. He is also Director of the Center for Spiritual Renewal at Barclay College, a center created and developed by him through his doctoral program. David received the award for the best doctoral dissertation.

Friends Students

Twenty-eight Friends were registered as students at GFES this year. Eight of those were in the Doctor of Ministry Program. In addition twenty Friends from area churches took a Friends Center course this year for personal growth and ministry enrichment.

Scholarships

The Friends Center has four endowed scholarships: the Russel and Francis Stands Fund, the Walter Lee Fund, The Pearl Fund, and the Farmer Family Scholarship, to support Friends students with financial assistance for seminary education. Eight Friends students enrolled in masters degree programs received scholarship assistance from the Friends Center this year. The Friends Center is hoping to have a new endowed fund by next year. Applications for scholarships for next year have doubled.

Friends Courses

Through the Friends Center, two Friends-specific seminary courses were offered this year, plus one workshop.

Rich Swingle, who grew up in Northwest Yearly Meeting and is now an

actor in New York, offered a workshop on ministry through drama. Rich will be back to offer a course on "Drama in Ministry" in spring 2010. Colin Saxton taught a course spring term on "Pastors and Elders Working Together." Elders from many of our local churches attended in addition to Friends seminary students. Carole Spencer (Reedwood) taught "Friends History and Polity" in May term. This coming fall, Trey Doty (City's Edge), Director of Development for the seminary, will teach a course on "New Ministry Initiatives."

Quaker Unprogrammed Worship now scheduled at the Seminary

The Friends Center experimented this past year by offering one-half hour of unprogrammed worship twice a month in the small chapel at the seminary for all students and staff. Attendance was small but steady, and we will continue to offer this opportunity for community worship next year.

Carole Spencer (Reedwood), Friends Center director

George Fox University Annual Report

Academic Additions

The university's School of Management will launch a new Full-Time MBA program this fall on the Newberg campus. The 11-month program employs an ethics-based, holistic curriculum with a global perspective, according to program director Jeff VandenHoek. The school also will continue to offer its part-time MBA program in Portland.

Also beginning in the fall, the university's engineering program will introduce a new concentration to its curriculum – civil engineering. With the addition, George Fox will be the first West Coast institution in the Council for Christian Colleges & Universities to offer a civil engineering program. The new concentration will provide more opportunities for the department to pursue engineering service projects that address the fundamental needs of people in developing countries – clean water, sanitation, energy and infrastructure.

Another major will be offered at the undergraduate level this fall – a bachelor's degree in journalism.

Also new in the fall will be a bachelor of science in Elementary Education degree-completion program, designed for adults who would like to teach elementary children and earn Oregon state teacher licensure. The first classes will be taught in Salem.

School of Ed gets grant

The School of Education received a \$405,000 grant from the M.J. Murdock Charitable Trust for the purpose of providing professional development and mentoring services to Christian schools in the region over the next three years. The university received the first installment (\$63,000) of the grant, designated for a project entitled "K-12 Christian Schools Capacity Building

Initiative." The project will provide mentoring support to pre-K-12 Christian school leaders, potential school leaders, and beginning teachers who work in organizations with a Christian mission.

New health clinic opens

The university's Graduate Department of Clinical Psychology, with the assistance of Providence Health & Services-Oregon, opened a behavioral health clinic for residents of Yamhill County in February. The clinic, located in the Villa Academic Complex, is intended for those low-income and uninsured county residents in need of mental health services, including individual and couples therapy, mental health consultation, parenting counseling, and diagnostic assessment.

Big-name authors visit

William Paul Young, author of the New York Times best-seller *The Shack*, spoke in chapel in October. Tony Campolo, popular pastor, author, and speaker, as the featured speaker also visited campus at last July's Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church annual sessions.

Pastoral conference

George Fox welcomed a panel of leading Christian thinkers from around the country for a national pastoral leadership conference this spring. "Spiritual Discernment as Christian Leadership" addressed the issue of how Christ effectively leads the church in unity. Plenary speakers included Paul Anderson, Lloyd Oglivie, N. Graham Standish, Ruth Haley Barton, Peter Bouteneff and Leith Anderson. In addition, more than 20 authors and experts presented.

Literature conference

More than 70 literature professors from across the country convened at George Fox in April for the annual meeting of The Conference on Christianity and Literature, West Region. It marked the first time the annual conference, entitled "Speaking Truth to Power," was hosted by the university.

Klages remodel

Students will discover a new and improved Student Union Building when they return to campus this fall. A \$400,000 renovation of the university's dining facility began in May and continues through the summer. The construction project will increase the serving area in the building's Klages Dining Room by 30 percent, install new carpeting in the Bruin Den serving area, improve lighting, and update the facility's aesthetics with new wall paint and ceiling work. The project is funded by food-service provider Bon Appetit, the student government and the university.

National Champions

In a remarkable turn of events, the George Fox women's basketball team overcame the loss of seven seniors and all five starters from last year's team to claim the NCAA Division III national championship in March – the university's first national title in the sport.

The Bruins went a perfect 32-0 and capped the run with a 60-53 defeat of

Washington University of St. Louis on the campus of Hope University in Holland, Mich. In winning, George Fox became the first school west of the Rocky Mountains – men's or women's – to win a Div. III championship in basketball.

Coach Scott Rueck was named Div. III National Coach of the Year after taking a program with 10 freshmen to the championship. In addition, freshman Sage Indendi was named national Rookie of the Year and senior center Kristen Shielee won Final Four MVP and honorable mention All-American honors.

George Fox's baseball team also claimed a championship, winning the Northwest Conference title for the ninth time since 1997. The Bruins (36-11) went on to beat the No. 1- and No. 10-ranked teams in the country before falling in the West Region finals.

Faculty Achievements

Art professor Mark Terry was named the Oregon Art Education Association's Art Educator of the Year for 2010. He will be presented the award at the fall OAEA conference in Bend in October.

Seminary professor Rand Michael and his wife Phyllis received the Oregon Counseling Association's Human Rights Award at the association's annual meeting in Eugene in October. The Michaels founded TELOS international, inc., a nonprofit organization that provides culturally sensitive, holistic mental health services for underserved people and communities by offering training, counseling and related mental health resources.

The seminary's Daniel Brunner was named a GreenFaith Fellow in September and joined the GreenFaith Fellowship Program, the first comprehensive education and training program in the country to prepare lay and ordained leaders from interfaith religious traditions for religiously based environmental leadership.

Melanie Mock, a writing/literature professor, was named the university's undergraduate teacher of the year. The university also honored Mary Peterson (Graduate Psychology) as its graduate teacher of the year and Chris Koch (Psychology) as its researcher of the year.

New students from afar ... and near

More than 60 Chinese students joined the campus community last fall in the second year of the China and East Asia Studies Program. The influx of students helped the university establish a record for international student enrollment at 101. In May, President Robin Baker traveled to China for a second straight year to serve as an ambassador of the university, meeting with leaders of several high schools and universities. About 100 Chinese students are expected on campus this fall.

George Fox also will welcome its third cadre of Act Six students in the fall. Eleven students were chosen for the leadership and scholarship initiative, which provides full-ride scholarships to student leaders in the Portland area.

National Recognition

A new college ranking released in August by Forbes.com ranked George Fox University in the top 25 percent of "America's best colleges." Among West Coast institutions in the 105-member Council for Christian Colleges & Universities, George Fox received the highest ranking.

In addition, for the fifth consecutive year, The Princeton Review honored George Fox University as one of its "Best in the West" schools. George Fox was one of 120 colleges and universities listed from 15 western states.

The university also remain the only Christian college in the Pacific Northwest to make the U.S. News & World Report list of "Best National Universities."

Record enrollment ... 3,382

For the 21st time in the last 22 years, George Fox University broke its enrollment record last fall. Overall enrollment grew to 3,382, up 4 percent from 2007-08. The numbers ...

- 1,730 traditional undergraduate students
- 1,380 graduate students
- 272 professional studies students

Welcome to ...

Shari Scales, formerly executive director of the Providence Newberg Health Foundation, joined George Fox as vice president of advancement in April. She had been with Providence for eight years and successfully led a \$5.2 million capital campaign to help fund the construction of Providence Newberg Medical Center, which opened in 2006.

One of Scales' first projects will be seeking funding for the Austin Sports Complex, which will provide new athletics fields for the university's sports teams. Groundwork has begun on the 23.8-acre site, located north of the Newberg campus.

The university also hired Fred Gregory as the special assistant to the president in February. He is a seasoned executive with more than 40 years of experience in the private, not-for-profit and public sectors. He was with World Concern for 12 years and worked for Mercy Corps from 2005-08, serving in Guatemala, China, Afghanistan and Azerbaijan.

Serve Day

On Sept. 10, 2008, the university marked the 10th anniversary of Serve Day, closing its Newberg campus and sending more than 1,500 students and employees to 70-plus sites to do a variety of projects — including construction, painting, weeding, and cleaning — for nonprofits, public agencies, churches, retirement homes and individual citizens in four counties.

Selah

In September, George Fox hosted more than 600 women for its sixth annual Selah, a one-day seminar featuring Christian author and publisher Nancie

Carmichael and ministry leader Bo Stern. Carmichael and Stern spoke on topics related to the conference's theme, "True North: Where is Life Taking You?" The 2009 Selah event is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 26, and will feature speakers Sarah Baldwin, Linda Lucas and Stern (selah.georgefox.edu).

Kaleo

Shane Claiborne, author of *Jesus for President* and a founding partner of The Simple Way faith community in Philadelphia, was the keynote speaker for the university's fifth annual Kaleo youth ministry conference in February. The event drew pastors and individuals from throughout the Northwest.

Serve Trips

Many students again spent their breaks serving others. In January, more than 30 students split into two teams to serve at Twin Rocks Friends Camp and Conference Center on the Oregon Coast and at My Father's House and the ReBuilding Center in Portland for Winter Serve.

Then, in March, about 60 students and employees spent their weeklong spring break helping others in three states (Washington, California and Utah) for the university's 18th annual Spring Serve.

Finally, for May Serve, a team of 17 students and two staff members went to South Africa for nearly four weeks to assist Monte Christo Ministries, an organization that specializes in developing leadership among youth.

Seminary Update

George Fox Evangelical Seminary hosted author and professor Dallas Willard for its fall Ministry in Contemporary Culture Seminar. In February, the seminar welcomed five authors – Len Sweet, Dan Kimball, MaryKate Morse, Alan Hirsch, and Frank Viola – for a panel discussion, "Recalibrating Concepts of Church." The seminary followed that up with a participatory dialogue, "An American Theology of the Land," for a seminar in April. The latter event reflected on a Native American holistic view of creation and ecological stewardship.

Friends Leadership Center

George Fox and the NWYM have joined together to hire Jamie Johnson as a recruiter and advisor for the university's new Friends Leadership Center. Johnson will help create more on-campus opportunities for Friends students to fellowship, learn more about their Quaker values and find spiritual direction. He will connect Friends leadership scholarship recipients with mentors and ministry internships, helping to develop their leadership and ministry skills. He can be contacted at quakerleaders@gmail.com.

From Robin Baker, President

Dear Friends,

Welcome back to campus for Yearly Meeting sessions! It is always great to gather together in one place for fellowship and renewal. I am pleased to pre-

sent to you recent initiatives undertaken to strengthen George Fox.

- In 2007-08, we began a Strategic Plan development process that has become a collaborative effort with the entire George Fox community. MaryKate Morse, director of strategic planning, has led our community in this process and our board has approved eight strategic goals as well as vision and values statements (values can be read at georgefox.edu/about/mission_vision_values/index.html).
- Vision: Our vision is to become one of the most innovative and engaging universities in the western United States known for academic excellence and for connecting the message of Jesus Christ to the global challenges and opportunities of the future.
- Fred Gregory has joined my office as special assistant to the president. One of his key assignments is to be the liaison between our office and Friends. Fred is a 1966 graduate of George Fox and served on the university's board of trustees for nearly 10 years. We are also excited to welcome Jamie Johnson back to George Fox. Jamie, a 2000 graduate of George Fox, comes to us from Gordon College and will be working to increase Friends student presence on campus by working in admissions and as advisor to Friends students in the new Friends Leadership Center, which is under the purview of the Yearly Meeting. I am excited for his role, along with Fred, in strengthening ties between George Fox and Northwest Yearly Meeting.
- I have appreciated the opportunity to collaborate with Friends churches during this past year, preaching in Rose Valley Friends, Second Street Community Church, Eugene Friends, as well as visiting Rose Drive Friends Church in Yorba Linda, Calif. I enjoy the connections I have made through these visits and look forward to more opportunities that are already planned for this new year.
- Plans are underway for the development of the 24 acres of land pledged to George Fox University by Ken and Joan Austin and aptly named the Austin Sports Complex. George Fox joined with the Chehalem Park and Recreation District in 2009 to draft plans for the complex – a multi-use facility to be shared by the university, parks district, area schools and the community. Through collaboration, it is our goal that the city and community of Newberg will see George Fox as their university. For more information, please visit georgefox.edu/austin-complex.
- Students have been active in many ministries. Highlights of student involvement include: Urban Services (10-15 students in Portland/20-25 in Salem); Community Services (James Project/Adopt-a-Block/Adopt-a-grandparent – 300 students); Little Bruin (80 students); Spring Serve (61 students serving in L.A., Washington and Utah); May Serve (17 students to South Africa).

May the Lord richly bless you,
Robin Baker, President

APPENDIX

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Below is the letter from our independent accountants' 2009 review report. A complete copy of that report is available at the Yearly Meeting office. The following pages contain selected financial information from the accountants' report.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of
Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church
Newberg, Oregon

We have reviewed the accompanying statement of financial position of Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church (a not-for-profit organization) as of December 31, 2008, and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended, in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. All information included in these financial statements is the representation of the management of Northwest Yearly Meeting of Friends Church.

A review consists principally of inquiries of Organization personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data. It is substantially less in scope than an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements taken as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

The prior year summarized comparative information has been derived from the Organization's December 31, 2007 financial statements, which were prepared by other accountants, whose report dated May 29, 2008 stated that they were not aware of any material modifications that should be made to those statements in order for them to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our review was made for the purpose of expressing limited assurance that there are no material modifications that should be made to the financial statements in order for them to be in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. The supplemental information as listed in the table of contents is presented only for supplemental analysis purposes. Such information has been subjected to the inquiry and analytical procedures applied in the review of the basic financial statements and we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made thereto.

Kern & Thompson, LLC

NORTHWEST YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS CHURCH

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

December 31, 2008
(With Comparative Totals as of June 30, 2007)

ASSETS

	2008	2007
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 231,490	\$ 233,085
Accounts receivable	3,301	12,800
Prepaid expenses	983	4,740
Notes receivable	409,134	618,042
Other current assets	11,109	11,109
Total current assets	656,017	879,776
Net property and equipment	816,826	840,428
Other assets		
Notes receivable, net of current portion	198,241	212,526
Investments	1,275,684	1,571,672
Total other assets	1,473,925	1,784,198
Total assets	\$ 2,946,768	\$ 3,504,402

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 31,339	\$ 35,438
Current portion to notes payable	14,626	16,014
Total current liabilities	45,965	51,452
Notes payable, net of current portion	178,452	192,130
Total liabilities	224,417	243,582
Net assets		
Unrestricted		
Undesignated	723,810	739,159
Designated for specific purpose	1,302,382	1,771,560
Total unrestricted	2,026,192	2,510,719
Temporarily restricted		
Temporarily restricted	588,267	614,782
Temporarily restricted endowments	107,892	135,319
Total temporarily restricted	696,159	750,101
Total net assets	2,722,351	3,260,820
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 2,946,768	\$ 3,504,402

NORTHWEST YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS CHURCH

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

December 31, 2008

(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended December 31, 2007)

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total	
			2008	2007
Support and revenue				
Local church support	\$ 617,090	\$ -	\$ 617,090	\$ 612,715
Contributions	184,455	418,356	602,811	589,482
Fees and charges	50,837	-	50,837	42,008
Investment income	(322,895)	(13,301)	(336,196)	95,957
	529,487	405,055	934,542	1,340,162
Net assets released from restrictions	458,997	(458,997)	-	-
Total revenues, gains and reclassifications	988,484	(53,942)	934,542	1,340,162
Expenses				
Program services				
Global Outreach	642,925	-	642,925	590,536
Local Outreach	152,183	-	152,183	144,110
Youth and Young Adults	140,043	-	140,043	133,550
Elders	47,431	-	47,431	37,374
Leadership and Development	83,535	-	83,535	106,606
Communications	67,314	-	67,314	51,937
Congregational Care	61,158	-	61,158	58,601
Christian Education and Discipleship	44,760	-	44,760	39,181
Ministry Fund	1,239	-	1,239	50
Supporting services				
Property and equipment fund	19,074	-	19,074	16,462
Personnel and administration	213,349	-	213,349	199,256
Total expenses	1,473,011	-	1,473,011	1,377,663
Change in net assets	(484,527)	(53,942)	(538,469)	(37,501)
Net assets, beginning of year	2,510,719	750,101	3,260,820	3,298,321
Net assets, end of year	\$ 2,026,192	\$ 696,159	\$ 2,722,351	\$ 3,260,820

The approved 2010 budget is on page 52 with the treasurers' report.

2008 Northwest Yearly Meeting Annual Budget Actual Results—January 1 through December 31, 2008

	Personnel & Admin.	Global Outreach	Local Outreach	Youth & Young Adults	Elders
MINISTRY INCOME & TRANSFERS					
Contributions Designated for Board	57,720	54,263			
Local Church Support	86,103	194,859	94,143	79,398	25,899
Investment Income					
Fee Income	50,837				
Transfer from Ministry Fund					
Ministry Fund Allocation to Boards	-	23,832	23,832	23,832	23,832
Transfers from Restricted Funds		301,152	53,664	35,649	600
Transfers from Designated Funds	-	15,483	-	-	-
TOTAL INCOME & TRANSFERS	194,660	589,589	171,640	138,879	50,331
Annual Budget	188,231	595,480	224,951	136,647	54,975
% of Annual Budget	103.4%	99.0%	76.3%	101.6%	91.6%
MINISTRY EXPENSE					
Allocation of Personnel & Admin	(456,154)	76,126	73,307	90,239	44,543
Employee Wages	354,684				
Employee Benefits	114,668				
Gifts	2,897	4,543			
Supplies	15,467	1,616	155	1,889	41
Occupancy Expense	24,265				
Employee Travel	33,272	5,608	256		
Education/Seminars	1,000	10,463	675	3,568	450
Publication/Promotion	-	10,904	-	1,256	-
Program	104,280	551,665	87,072	43,091	2,397
TOTAL EXPENSES	194,378	660,925	161,466	140,043	47,432
Annual Budget	188,231	595,480	224,951	136,647	54,975
% of Annual Budget	103.3%	111.0%	71.8%	102.5%	86.3%
NET INCOME OVER/(UNDER) EXPENSES	282	(71,336)	10,174	(1,164)	2,900
BEGINNING FUND BALANCES 1/1/08					
General Fund Balance	-	-	-	1,505	5,951
Designated Fund Balance		54,065	12,965	-	1,872
Restricted Fund Balance	838	431,472	81,358	11,294	5,435
Permanent Endowments	-	-	53,676	-	-
TOTAL FUND BALANCE 1/1/08	838	485,538	147,999	12,799	13,258
Net Income from General Fund	282	(71,336)	10,174	(1,164)	2,900
Contribution Income	50,092	275,568	56,352	31,699	485
Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on Investments	-	(34,308)	(14,165)	-	-
Transfers to General Fund	(7,487)	(298,635)	(44,383)	(35,649)	(600)
ENDING FUND BALANCES 12/31/08	43,725	356,827	155,977	7,686	16,042

Leader- ship Develop- ment	Communi- cations	Congrega- tional Care	Christian Ed. & Disciple- ship	Ministry Fund	TOTAL	Annual Budget	% of Annual Budget
				1,375	113,358	129,000	87.9%
49,441	38,315	29,281	19,651	-	617,091	682,500	90.4%
				36,689	36,689	20,000	183.4%
					50,837	42,000	121.0%
				153,684	153,684	167,655	91.7%
23,832	23,832	23,832	23,832	(190,656)	-	-	-
5,915		9,020		-	406,001	409,636	99.1%
11,585	-	781	-	-	27,849	40,500	68.8%
90,774	62,147	62,914	43,483	1,092	1,405,510	1,491,291	94.2%
98,516	66,209	72,216	54,066	-	-	-	-
92.1%	93.9%	87.1%	80.4%				
42,903	44,913	44,879	39,243	-	(0)	-	-
					354,684	364,737	97.2%
					114,668	124,254	92.3%
					7,440	23,000	32.3%
556	92	29	554		20,398	24,650	82.8%
					24,265	23,900	101.5%
					39,135	39,000	100.3%
21,920	512	2,582	1,309.97		42,481	52,800	80.5%
	21,797		1,702		35,659	52,650	67.7%
18,156	-	13,668	1,950	1,239	823,517	786,300	104.7%
83,535	67,315	61,157	44,759	1,239	1,462,248	1,491,291	98.1%
98,516	66,209	72,216	54,066	-	-	-	-
84.8%	101.7%	84.7%	82.8%				
7,239	(5,167)	1,757	(1,276)	(147)	(56,738)		
4,469	-	1,745	-	-	13,669		
23,104	449	2,000	11,387	1,652,830	1,758,672		
72,096	-	4,250	7,259	-	614,002		
81,643	-	-	-	-	135,320		
181,312	449	7,995	18,647	1,652,830	2,521,663		
7,239	(5,167)	1,757	(1,276)	(147)	(56,738)		
955	24	8,950	1,000	15,210	440,336		
(19,798.70)	-	-	-	(255,495)	(323,767)		
(17,501)	-	(9,801)	-	(168,894)	(582,949)		
152,207	(4,694)	8,901	18,371	1,243,503	1,998,545		

FINANCIAL REPORT for year ending December 31, 2008		REVENUE SOURCES					EXPENSES									
		Contributions to General Fund	Designated Gifts: Local/NWYM/Other	Borrowed Funds	Other Income, Rent, Interest, & Transfers	Total Revenue and Transfers	Total Lead Pastor compensation, Housing & Benefits	Parsonage Furnished	Other Staff Salaries, Housing, Benefits, Travel, etc.	Church Operating Expense	Church Programs	Total Other Staff, Operating, & Programs	Local Church Support Amount Paid	Budgeted Support NWYM Churches, Camps, & Schools		
Inland Area	Entiat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Hayden Lake	788,642	348,489	-	60,112	1,197,243	82,015	N	184,253	330,004	231,904	746,161	77,461	-	-	-
	Quincy	13,917	130	-	382	14,429	1,208	Y	-	12,165	-	12,165	1,324	-	-	-
	River of Life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Spokane	107,232	4,354	-	3,220	114,806	51,473	N	-	40,115	2,729	42,844	4,800	-	-	-
Newberg Area	Woodland	33,487	10,003	-	9	43,499	10,351	Y	-	11,211	4,383	15,594	3,600	-	-	-
	Netarts	106,044	19,918	-	-	125,962	45,342	N	20,737	29,639	7,082	57,458	9,372	-	-	-
	Newberg	695,363	145,320	-	64,626	905,309	78,703	N	278,581	285,583	41,641	605,805	104,107	-	-	-
	North Valley	235,157	73,223	-	23,097	331,477	60,051	N	64,414	57,833	33,192	155,439	21,700	-	-	-
	2nd Street	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portland Area	Sherwood	232,286	156,598	-	65,144	454,028	64,946	Y	66,362	103,164	27,718	197,244	22,000	500	-	-
	West Chehalum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	City's Edge	80,669	11,570	-	-	92,259	35,242	N	-	24,983	9,139	34,122	600	-	-	-
	Clackamas Pk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Crossroads	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puget Sound Area	Hillsboro	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lynwood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Metolius	177,905	27,172	-	-	205,077	53,361	Y	45,912	52,250	8,488	106,650	12,000	-	-	-
	Reedwood	120,461	77,421	-	396,050	593,932	79,131	N	114,001	189,232	49,539	352,772	60,000	1,200	-	-
	Tigard	199,039	-	-	-	199,039	48,200	N	46,500	69,598	14,252	130,350	20,550	1,200	-	-
Salem Area	West Hills	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	East Hill	61,029	2,494	23,804	-	87,327	49,931	N	1,459	19,668	3,702	24,829	1,980	-	-	-
	North Seattle	118,940	29,427	-	3,218	151,585	59,557	N	-	53,230	2,192	55,422	10,850	-	-	-
	McKinley Hill	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Olympic View	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Southern Idaho Area	Peninsula	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Valley Ext.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Eugene	175,008	111,021	-	-	286,030	56,337	N	15,464	77,445	6,851	99,760	17,707	-	-	-
	Manon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Rosedale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oregon Area	Scotts Mills	37,305	10,550	-	2,043	49,898	22,127	Y	-	9,008	4,051	13,059	5,100	-	-	-
	Silverton	231,015	22,965	-	-	253,980	55,377	N	47,217	64,060	12,671	124,148	23,406	-	-	-
	South Salem	70,348	12,082	5,000	-	87,430	43,391	N	-	32,941	8,886	41,827	1,100	-	-	-
	Boise	202,228	25,954	-	18,044	246,226	62,488	N	10,283	113,076	4,193	127,552	21,977	600	-	-
	Caldwell	52,990	6,531	-	45	59,566	33,703	N	500	13,567	2,656	16,723	2,500	1,937	-	-
SW Washington	Greenleaf	230,601	104,539	-	2,061	337,201	60,426	Y	4,667	67,798	10,585	83,050	10,000	14,869	-	-
	Homedale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Melba	52,397	14,971	-	-	67,368	31,465	N	1,290	11,325	3,808	16,423	2,150	-	-	-
	Meridian	201,134	43,398	-	16,497	261,029	75,810	N	57,686	40,748	15,777	114,211	12,300	7,800	-	-
	Star	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Klamath Falls	Whitney	40,047	4,391	-	10,500	54,938	35,765	N	-	10,153	1,412	11,565	3,000	-	-	-
	Klamath Falls	80,704	17,637	-	1,134	99,475	48,902	N	-	7,059	5,723	12,782	5,339	-	-	-
	Medford	183,207	15,290	-	5,966	204,463	55,874	N	47,088	75,380	7,091	129,559	14,700	-	-	-
	Sprague River	9,636	-	-	6,594	16,230	4,625	N	3,900	8,835	-	12,735	420	-	-	-
	Talent	65,924	1,864	-	1,024	68,812	27,150	N	-	11,122	14,946	26,068	3,743	930	-	-
Vancouver	Camas	48,433	56,548	-	32,413	137,394	49,229	N	-	34,544	1,277	35,821	1,150	-	-	-
	Cherry Grove	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	New Life	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Rose Valley	213,856	52,121	-	4,452	270,429	65,437	Y	49,791	75,743	18,153	143,687	19,458	-	-	-
	Vancouver	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		4,865,024	1,405,981	28,804	716,631	7,016,441	1,445,617	-	1,060,105	1,931,499	554,241	3,545,845	494,394	29,036	-	-

FINANCIAL REPORT for year ending December 31, 2008 CONTINUED		EXPENSES								OTHER INFO		FUTURE PROJECTION	
		Total General Fund Expenditures	Building and Property Expenditures	Designated and Faith Promise for NWYM Global Outreach	Des. Gifts for other NWYM Boards	Designated Gifts for other NWYM Ministries	Designated Gifts to Organizations Outside NWYM	Designated Gifts for Local Church Programs and misc.	Total Expenditures	Local Church Budget 2008	Local Church Support Pledge 2008	Local Church Budget 2009	Local Church Support Pledge 2009
Inland Area	Entiat	-						-					
	Hayden Lake	905,637		12,170	-	-	46,239	28,451	992,497	765,310	76,000	754,160	72,500
	Quincy	14,717	10,588	80			135	-	25,520		10%	-	-
	River of Life	-											
	Spokane	99,117	-	3,741	1,000	180	3,775	738	108,551	113,825	4,800	116,805	4,800
Newberg Area	Woodland	29,545	7,349	4,457	-	1,200	500	1,394	44,445	-	3,600	-	3,600
	Netarts	112,172		329	-	550	1,250	21,739	136,040	123,941	9,372	126,664	9,600
	Newberg	766,615	-	36,852	-	75	56,028	66,083	945,653	835,721	114,530	820,310	112,787
	North Valley	237,190	-	5,790	-	7,508	13,012	69,346	332,846	343,637	21,700	258,878	22,000
	2nd Street	-											
Portland Area	Sherwood	284,690	36,600	18,055	-	-	31,289	72,258	442,902	250,000	22,000	224,250	22,000
	West Chehalum	-							-				
	City's Edge	69,964	-	1,000	-	-	174	7,240	78,378	50,000	600	90,000	1,000
	Clackamas Pk	-							-				
	Crossroads	-							-				
Puget Sound Area	Hillsboro	-							-				
	Lynwood	-							-				
	Metolius	172,011	-	2,400	-	5,341	13,229	33,950	226,930	193,000	12,000	184,000	12,000
	Reedwood	493,103	26,951	2,452	-	-	201	73,419	596,126	522,500	60,000	529,160	61,000
	Tigard	200,300	28,997	-	-	-	-	-	229,297	205,897	20,572	201,583	20,158
Salem Area	West Hills	-							-				
	East Hill	76,740	-	2,000	1,200	1,200	1,200	-	82,340	84,306	1,980	84,677	2,000
	North Seattle	125,829	-	-	-	3,555	980	-	130,364	130,561	10,850	135,312	10,815
	McKinley Hill	-							-				
	Olympic View	-							-				
Southern Idaho Area	Peninsula	-							-				
	Valley Ext	-							-				
	Eugene	173,804	57,683	2,184	-	387	25,042	53,453	312,554	185,991	13,500	191,629	13,500
	Marion	-							-				
	Rosedale	-							-				
SW Oregon Area	Scotts Mills	40,286	1,818	1,320	-	-	3,000	11,326	57,750	-	425	-	400
	Silverton	202,931	19,061	14,526	1,200	1,339	4,177	15,249	258,483	255,928	24,000	251,604	24,000
	South Salem	86,318	-	679	-	2,900	-	-	89,897	77,241	1,200	-	1,200
	Boise	212,617	11,340	862	-	600	-	15,773	241,192	239,563	22,600	233,000	22,600
	Caldwell	54,863	1,797	223	-	-	800	3,575	61,258	56,913	2,500	57,294	2,500
SW Washington	Greenleaf	168,345	50,944	-	-	2,573	14,229	44,082	280,173	220,159	10,000	257,708	10,000
	Homedale	-							-				
	Melba	50,038	5,000	200	-	1,943	1,097	3,924	62,202	69,559	1,200	-	1,200
	Meridian	210,121	53,681	5,491	-	1,100	549	1,062	272,004	218,344	12,300	211,379	11,400
	Star	-							-				
Vancouver	Whitney	50,330	3,099	1,411	-	-	-	6,351	61,191	57,279	3,000	58,252	3,000
	Klamath Falls	67,023	8,657	850	-	-	12,575	2,180	91,285	79,300	5,875	79,200	5,560
	Medford	200,133	3,477	-	-	-	245	15,154	219,009	212,806	14,700	210,748	8,575
	Sprague River	17,780	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,780	-	420	-	-
	Talent	57,891	500	514	-	-	-	748	59,653	71,610	3,600	71,920	4,000
Vancouver	Camas	86,200	9,879	-	-	60	1,890	3,533	101,562	105,957	1,380	93,321	1,380
	Cherry Grove	-							-				
	New Life	-							-				
	Rose Valley	228,582	-	-	-	-	28,366	17,618	274,566	250,066	20,460	244,117	20,156
	Vancouver	-							-				
		5,514,892	337,421	117,596	3,400	30,511	259,982	568,646	6,832,448	5,719,414	495,164	5,483,971	

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PASTORAL REPORT for year ending May 31, 2009		Average Attendance Sunday School	Average Attendance Sunday Morning	Average Attendance Sunday Evening	Average Attendance Midweek Services
INLAND	Entiat	25	35	NA	20
	Hayden Lake	155	500	25	450
	Living Water Ministries Min Pt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	River of Life Ministry Point****	30	100	20	45
	Quincy	4	7	NA	5
	Spokane	20	58	NA	18
	The Springs Ministry Point	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Woodland	30	60	11	NR
TOTALS		264	760	56	538
NEWBERG	Los Amigos en Newberg+	NA	56	NA	15
	Los Amigos en McMinnville MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Netarts	NR	71	NA	NR
	Newberg	212	439	NA	475
	North Valley	37	167	NA	62
	2nd Street Community	39	256	NA	164
	Sherwood	70	142	NA	71
	West Chehalum	50	100	NA	70
TOTALS		408	1231	0	857
PORTLAND	City's Edge Community MPt+	8	NR	NA	21
	Clackamas Park	30	83	NA	14
	Crossroads Community	20	45	NA	12
	Green Plow Coffeehouse MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Hillsboro	11	31	NA	NA
	Los Amigos en Clackamas MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Los Amigos en Gresham MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Los Amigos en Reedwood MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Lynwood	23	72	NA	NR
	Metolius	55	115	15	85
	Reedwood	NR	135	NA	80
	Riversway Community Ministry Point	NA	20	NA	20
	Tigard	57	89	NA	NR
	West Hills	NR	93	NA	NR
TOTALS		204	683	15	232
PUGET SOUND	East Hill	NA	53	NA	NA
	McKinley Hill	2	15	NA	NA
	North Seattle	NR	42	NA	NR
	Olympic View	8	41	NA	35
	Peninsula	80	106	NA	80
	Quaker Cove Ministry Point**	10	15	NA	12
	Valley****	20	45	NA	20
TOTALS		120	317	0	147
SALEM	Art House Ministry Point	NA	10	NA	NA
	Eugene	51	107	NA	NR
	Marion	25	42	NA	57
	Mision de Cristo Ministry Point	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Rosedale*	32	45	NA	30
	Scotts Mills+	20	50	NA	24
	Silverton	67	161	NA	75
	South Salem	48	75	NA	NR
TOTALS		243	490	0	186
S. IDAHO	Boise	30	119	NA	55
	Caldwell	32	65	NA	18
	Casa del Alfarero Ministry Point	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Greenleaf	70	151	18	90
	Homedale*	40	120	NA	120
	Melba***	30	53	NA	15
	Meridian	105	165	NA	NR
	Star*	15	54	NA	5
	The Olde Meetinghouse MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Tierra de Regocioj Ministry Point	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Whitney	35	48	NA	NR
TOTALS		357	775	18	303
S. OREGON	Friends Church of the Valley MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	Klamath Falls	16	39	NA	NR
	Medford	82	110	NA	55
	Sprague River****	10	26	NA	18
	Talent	14	50	NA	NA
TOTALS		122	225	0	73
SW WASHINGTON	Camas	7	34	NA	10
	Cherry Grove	NR	95	NA	NR
	Destiny Ministry Point	NA	NA	10	NA
	Los Amigos en Vancouver MPt	NR	NR	NR	NR
	New Life Ministry Point**	NR	250	NA	NR
	Rose Valley	NR	212	NA	150
	Vancouver First	68	99	NA	53
TOTALS		75	690	10	213
GRAND TOTALS		1793	5171	99	2549

+2008 figures used

*2007 figures used

**2006 figures used

***2005 figures used

****2004 figures used

*****2003 figures used

NR = Not Reported

NA = Not Applicable

DIRECTORIES

OFFICERS OF NORTHWEST YEARLY MEETING

Presiding Clerk (R)	Tom Stave
Assistant Clerk (R)	Lorraine Watson
Recording Clerk (R)	Ron Mock
Statistician (R)	Kim Felton
Superintendent (AC)	Colin Saxton
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Associate Superintendent-Local Outreach (AC)	Gar Mickelson
Associate Superintendent-Youth and Young Adult (AC)	Rachelle Staley
Director of Finance and Development and Treasurer (AC)	Brendon Connelly
Archivist (AC)	Zoie Clark
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Registered Agent—Oregon (AC)	David Hampton
Registered Agent—Washington (AC)	Sharon Hayden

KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS

A—Area
IN—Inland
NW—Newberg
PO—Portland
PS—Puget Sound
SM—Salem
SI—Southern Idaho
SO—Southern Oregon
SW—Southwest Washington
AC—Administrative Council
Boards
CE—Christian Education and Discipleship
Com—Communication
CC—Congregational Care
Eld—Elders
GO—Global Outreach
LD—Leadership Development and Enrichment
LO—Local Outreach
YYA—Youth and Young Adult Ministry
MMA—Mennonite Mutual Aid
R—Council of Representatives
YM—Yearly Meeting

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

Presiding Clerk—Tom Stave (R)
Assistant Presiding Clerk—
 Lorraine Watson (R)
Recording Clerk—Ron Mock

Members—(Eld)
 Three Years (2012)—
 Mark Ankeny (NW-07)
 Ken Beebe (NW-07)
 JoAnne Magee (SO-07)
 Two Years (2011)—
 Tresa Redford (SI-09)
 Tonya Comfort (P-08)
 Brad Holton (SI-07)
 One Years (2010)—
 Sharon Hayden (PS-07)
 Mark Kelley (SW-07)
 Leann Williams (IN-08)

Ex Officio:
 Superintendent—Colin Saxton
 Dir of Finance—Brendon Connelly

BOARD OF ELDERS

Clerk—Becky Ankeny (R)
Recording Clerk—

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—
 Lana Thurston (SI-06)
 Ed Cammack (SM-09)
 Roger Knox (SM-09)
 Elenita Bales (NW-09)
 Two Years (2011)—
 Ken Magee (SO-06)
 Stan Perisho (IN-06)
 Sharrie Peterson (IN-08)
 Ed Sullivan (PS-08)
 One Year (2009)—
 Becky Ankeny (NW-07)
 Ken Comfort (PS-04)
 Gil George (SI-07)
 Vivian Thornburg (NW-86)

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND DISCIPLESHIP

Clerk—Laurie Conant
Recording Clerk—Evelyn Myers

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—
 Evelyn Myers (SW-07)
 Dave Powell (SM-07)
 Jim Teeters (PS-07)
 Hernan Diaz (PO-09)
 Shawn Leonard (SW-09)
 Dianne Allen (IN-09)
 Two Years (2011)—
 Laurie Conant (NW-07)
 Frank Tuning (SI-09)
 One Year (2010)—
 John Price (PO-07)
 Elizabeth Walker (PO-07)

SUB-COMMITTEE: Peace Education

Cherice Bock (clerk)
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 Dwight Burton
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BOARD OF CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Clerk—Arden Kinser
Recording Clerk—

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—
 Delonna Halliday (PS-07)
 Arden Kinser (SW-07)
 Kerrie Brothers (PS-09)
 Phyllis McKinney (NW-09)
 Betty Jo Steele (SM-09)
 Phil McLain (PO-09)
 Two Years (2011)—
 Deborah Powell (SM-07)
 One Year (2010)—
 Bruce Alford (NW-07)
 Jon Boehm (SW-07)
 Aletha McKennon (NW-07)

BOARD OF COMMUNICATION

Clerk—Judy Woolsey
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Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—
 Two Years (2011)—
 Gilbert George (PO-08)
 Karen Oberst (SO-08)
 Myrna Tuning (SI-08)
 One Year (2010)—
 Sherry Macy (NW-07)
 Jason Schwanz (NW-07)
 Judy Woolsey (NW-07)

Ex officio:
 Communication Coordinator—
 Bruce Bishop

SUB-COMMITTEES:**Epistles**

Julie Peyton
Anna Baker

Website Development

Gilbert George (clerk)
Jason Schwanz
Brendon Connelly
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BOARD OF GLOBAL OUTREACH

Clerk—Dan Cammack

Assistant Clerk—Elizabeth Todd

Recording Clerk—Linda Grimms

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—

Jim Fisher (NW-09)
Nick Block (IN-09)
Chuck Scott (NW-07)
Terri Wenzig (SM-07)
Wilbur Wood (PO-09)

Two Years (2011)—

Jonelle Fodge (PS-08)
Peggy Hanson (NW-07)
Elizabeth Todd (NW-07)
Eric Palmer (PS-08)

One Year (2010)—

Dan Cammack (PO-07)
Linda Grimms (SM-07)
Maurice Roberts (IN-07)
Ron Stansell (NW-07)

Ex officio:

Associate Superintendent for Global Outreach—Shawn McConaughy

SUB-COMMITTEES:**Latin America**

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Jerry Baker
Carolyn Stansell
Katrina McConaughy
Bill Cathers
Irene Cathers

Middle East/North Africa

Jon Fodge (Clerk)

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Howard Harmon
Bethlin Harmon
Jonelle Fodge
Carleta Schroeder

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Teaching Abroad

Norah Adams
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Rebecca Teeters
Chuck Scott
Dick Lakin
Kevin Gilbert
Denise Gilbert

BOARD OF LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT AND ENRICHMENT

Clerk—Trey Doty

Recording Clerk—

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—

Deborah Climer (SM-07)
Alan Weinacht (SI-09)
Paul Almquist (NW-09)

Two Years (2011)—

Eloise Hockett (NW-08)
Dwight Kimberly (PO-07)
Tim Wenzig (SM-07)

One Year (2010)—

Trey Doty (PO-07)

SUB-COMMITTEES:**Friends Center**

Paul Almquist
Clint Baldwin (clerk)
Dea Cox
Trey Doty
Gregg Koskela
MaryKate Morse
Barbara Palmer
Shawn McConaughy

Ex officio:

Director—Carole Spencer
Superintendent—Colin Saxton
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Seminary Dean—Chuck Conniry

Mentoring

Trey Doty
Eloise Hockett

Pastoral Development

Tim Wenzig
Ken Royal
Paul Meier
Alan Weinacht

Recording

Dan Banham
Deborah Climer
Chris Hinderliter
Karen McConaughy
Lynn Holt
Trey Doty
Carole Spencer

Undergraduate Friends Leadership Program

Dwight Kimberly
Jamie Johnson (*ex officio*)

BOARD OF LOCAL OUTREACH

Clerk—Bill Moormann

Recording Clerk—

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—

Norma Ashley (NW-07)
Bernice Bosnjak (PO-07)
Bill Moormann (PO-07)

Two Years (2011)—

Terry Butcher (IN-07)
Carolyn Myers (SW-07)
Stan Thornburg (NW-07)

One Year (2010)—

Cindy Chiaravalle (SW-07)
Angel Diaz (NW-07)
Adrienne Schwanz (NW-07)

Ex officio:

Associate Superintendent for Local Outreach—Gar Mickelson

SUB-COMMITTEES:**Church Planting**

Dan Banham
Beth Banham
Stan Thornburg
Katie Gates
Ken Redford
Mindy Burns
Gar Mickelson (*ex officio*)

Human Rights

Doug Bartlett
Stan Thornburg
Gar Mickelson (*ex officio*)

Latino Outreach

Angel Diaz (clerk)
Hernan Diaz
Ken Comfort
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Bill Moormann
Gerardo Ibarra

Local Evangelism

Roger Knox
Bernie Bosnjak

MINISTRY TEAM:**Immigration Advocacy**

Angel Diaz
Cherice Bock
Gerardo Ibarra
Hal Thomas
Jennifer Perez
Jim Fisher
Joel Perez
John Munson
Joyce White
Lynn Clouser Holt
Nancy Thomas
Rachel Hampton

BOARD OF YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Clerk—Leslie Murray (until 2/7/10)

Assistant Clerk—Noël Carey

Recording Clerk—Patti Paz

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—

Scott Cornwall (SM-07)
Patti Paz (SI-09)
Vicki Stave (SM-09)
Haley Krueger (PO-09)

Two Years (2011)—

Janell Woods (IN-07)

One Year (2010)—

Noël Carey (PO-07)
Nathan Swift (SO-07)
Leslie Murray (NW-07)

Ex Officio:

Superintendent of Youth and Young Adults—Rachelle Staley

SUB-COMMITTEE:

Friends Youth Exec. Revisioning

Scott Cornwall (clerk)
Noël Carey
Don Staples
Rachelle Staley
Dan Cammack
Abbie McCracken

STANDING COMMITTEES

FAITH AND PRACTICE COMMITTEE

Clerk—Jeanne Hazel

Members: (R)

Three Years (2012)—

Anna Baker (NW-09)
Corey Beals (NW-09)
Melody George (PO-09)

Two Years (2011)—

Paul Anderson (NW-07)
Jeanne Hazel (SM-07)

FINANCE COMMITTEE (R)

Clerk—Lloyd Pruitt

Members:

Marilee Anglin (SM-07)
Ked Dejmaj (SM-07)
John Johnson (NW-07)
Don Millage (NW-08)

Lloyd Pruitt (PO-07)

Ex Officio:

Director of Finance and Development—Brendon Connelly

NOMINATING COMMITTEE (R)

Clerk—Earl Tycksen

Secretary—

Three Years (2012)—

Salem Area—Wendy Parker

Two Years (2011)—

S. Idaho Area—Judy Magee
S. Oregon Area—Dara Gomez
Portland Area—Julie Peyton

One Year (2010)—

Puget Sound—Carolann Palmer
Inland Area—Ken Royal
Newberg Area—
SW Washington Area—Jan Geil

Ex Officio:

Communications Coordinator—
Bruce Bishop

TRUSTEES

Clerk—Floyd Watson

Secretary—Maribeth Hampton

Members: (R)

Lloyd Pruitt—2014
Bruce Longstroth—2013
Gordon Crisman—2012
Maribeth Hampton—2011
Floyd Watson—2010

CAMPS

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(Under George Fox University)

Executive Director—

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Secretary—Dennis and Jill Houchin

Treasurer—Diane Berreth

Camp Managers—Eric and Janell Woods

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Chair—Sandra Fish

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Treasurer—

Ex Officio:

Executive Director—Ken Beebe

Superintendent—Colin Saxton

Superintendent of Youth and Young Adults—Rachelle Staley

ORGANIZATIONS

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President—Floyd Watson

Vice President—Steve Gulley

Secretary—Ron Staples

Treasurer—Floyd Watson

Business Manager—Dave Hampton

Members:

Three Years (2012)—

Dwight Kimberly
John Macy
Floyd Watson

Two Years (2011)—

Tim Giesbers
Steve Gulley
Roger Watson

One Year (2010)—

Clynton Crisman

Ron Staples

Ron Wolfe

Ex Officio:

Director of Finance and

Development—Brendon Connelly

Finance Committee Clerk—

Lloyd Pruitt

FRIENDS MEN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

President—Ron Mulkey

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Bill Rourke,* Clerk

Finance Committee—

Mike Goins,* Clerk

Personnel Committee—

Dennis Lewis,* Clerk

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Ken Beebe

Karl Birky

Mike Goins

Steve Gulley

David Jeffery

Sally Kingery

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Dennis Lewis

Bruce Longstroth

Bill Rourke

Members (NWYM)

Vicky Stave—Dec. 2012

Colin Saxton—Dec. 2011
Cindy Johnson—Dec. 2010

**Executive Committee*

FRIENDS WOMEN

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Quaker Waggin's Editor—

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Quaker Waggin's Asst.—

Maribeth Hampton

Retreat Co-directors—

Rachel Vanden Hoek and

Karla Allen

YM Banquet—Denise Gilbert

FRIENDS YOUTH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

On a Sabbath break, Sept. 2009-Sept. 2010

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH YEARLY MEETING

Presiding Clerk—Tim Almquist

Assistant Clerk—Olivia Anderson

Recording Clerk—Chris Lee

Conf. Coordinator—Connor Magee

Youth Exchange Representative—

Amy Saxton

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH YEARLY MEETING

Presiding Clerk—Matthew Staples

Assistant Clerk—Haley Allen

Recording Clerk—Felicia Gomez

Conf. Coordinator—Cassie Hwa

GEORGE FOX UNIVERSITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Chairman—Barbara Palmer*

Vice-chairman—Bill Wilson*

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Members (GF Alumni)

Three Years (2012)—

Gordon Crisman

Two Years (2011)—

Charles Mylander

One Year (2010)—

Carrie Bishop*

Stephen Fellows

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Three Years (2012)—

Heather Lewis

Jim Steinfeld

Patricia Anderson

Scott Conant

Brenda Coe

Greg Goodwin

Dave Green

Deborah Martin

Judy Miller

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Truman Stone

Steve Tatone

Bill Willson

Dave Woolsey

Two Years (2011)—

Donald Carter*

Kate Dickson*

Jackson Newell

Barbara Palmer*

Kent Thornburg*

Nancy Wilhite

One Year (2010)—

Keith Galitz*

Fred Gregory

Steve Jabusch

Stan Leach

Jim LeShana

Stan Morse

Vic Peterson

Ex Officio:

Superintendent—

Colin Saxton*

George Fox University President—

Robin Baker*

GFES Regents Chair—

Curtis Strauss*

**Executive Committee*

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Clerk—Steve Gulley*

Assistant Clerk—Barry White*

Secretary—Bill Rourke*

Treasurer—Don Millage*

Members:

Three Years (2012)—

Shari Lane

Ked Dejmaj

Two Years (2011)—

Don Millage

Barry White

One Year (2010)—

Steve Gulley

Bill Rourke

Ex Officio:

General Superintendent—

Colin Saxton

Finance Committee Clerk—

Lloyd Pruitt

**Administrative Committee*

PASTORS ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE

Clerk—Gregg Lamm

Treasurer—Lynn Clouser Holt

QUAKER BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

Contact the Yearly Meeting Office

REPRESENTATIVES TO EVANGELICAL FRIENDS CHURCH INTERNATIONAL—N.A. COORDINATING COUNCIL

Executive Committee: (AC)

General Superintendent—

Colin Saxton

Communications Commission: (Com)

Sherry Macy

Christian Education Commission: (CE)

Jim Teeters

Missions Commission-EFM: (GO)

Dan Cammack

Shawn McConaughy

REPRESENTATIVES TO FRIENDS WORLD COMMITTEE FOR CONSULTATION

Three Years (2012)—

Elenita Bales

Sharon Hayden

Two years (2011)—

Anna Baker

Ken Comfort

Two years (2010)—

Julie Peyton

Orville Winters

VOLUNTEERS ON WHEELS (VOW)

President—LeRoy Benham

Co-Vice Presidents—Dan and Linnea

Stahlnecker

Secretary—Becky Jackson

Treasurer—Janet Lyda

Project Coordinator—John Lyda

Statisticians—

Floyd and Arline Watson

Historians—

Bob and Jan Thompson
Board Members at Large—
Ed and Sandy Dealy

Executive Board Members:

Three Years (2012)—
LeRoy and Paula Benham
Dan and Linnea Stahlnecker
Becky Jackson
Two Years (2011)—
Ed and Sandy Dealy
Gary and Eleanore Fendall
One Year (2010)—
John and Janet Lyda
Floyd and Arline Watson

AREA OFFICERS

INLAND AREA

Clerk—

NEWBERG AREA

Clerk—

PORTLAND AREA

*Clerk—*Julie Peyton
*Recording Clerk—*Rachel Hampton

PUGET SOUND AREA

*Clerk—*Patty Federighi
*Recording Clerk—*Martha Ireland

SALEM AREA

Clerk—

SOUTHERN IDAHO AREA

Clerk—
*Recording Clerk—*Lynne Smith
*Treasurer—*Barry White

SOUTHERN OREGON AREA

*Clerk—*LaRue Kruger
*Recording Clerk—*Earlene Schlosser

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON AREA

*Clerk—*Pam Reeves
*Recording Clerk—*Jan Geil

**RECORDED MINISTERS IN
NORTHWEST YEARLY
MEETING**

May 31, 2009

INLAND AREA

Entiat—

Hayden Lake—

Bob H. Schneiter
Garth Mickelson
Stan Perisho
Maurice Roberts
Ken Royal
Clynton Crisman

Quincy—

Gene L. Smith
Fred Ness
William C. Thomas

Spokane—

Paul J. Puckett
Nick Block

Woodland—

NEWBERG AREA

2nd Street Community—

Gregg Lamm
Bryan Christenson
Ron Friedrich
Tim Tsohantaris

Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos en

Newberg—

Angel Diaz

Netarts—

Jerry Baker
Clair E. Lund

Newberg—

Becky Ankeny
Phil Baisley
Dorothy E. Barratt
Harvey R. Bowen
Everett Clarkson
Duane Comfort
David Conant
Steve Fawver
Bill D. Green
Howard E. Harmon
M. Gene Hockett
Gerardo Ibarra
Roscoe Knight

Gregg Koskela
Howard Macy
Mahlon Macy
Marvin Mardock
M. Alice Maurer
Nicholas Maurer
Karen McConaughy
Roy McConaughy
Steve McKinney
Loren Mills
Quentin H. Nordyke
Mark Ocker
Richard Powell
Dick Sartwell
Phil Smith
Ron Stansell
Hubert Thornburg
Vivian Thornburg
Ron D. Woodward

North Valley—

Stan Thornburg
Lynn Clouser Holt
Paul Anderson
Bruce Bishop
Paul Bock
Arthur O. Roberts
Colin Saxton
Hal Thomas
Nancy Thomas
Earl Tycksen
Aaron O'Neill

Sherwood—

Ken Vanden Hoek
Harold Antrim
Paul Baker
Dan Banham

West Chehalem—

Paul Almquist
David Fendall
Bob Gilmore
David V. Myton
Gary Routon
Dan R. Stahlnecker
David Thomas
Ernest Thompson
Mark Thompson

PORTLAND AREA

Clackamas Park—

Kevin Gilbert
Gerald Dillon
Phil H. McLain
Herbert Sargent
Marlene Watson
Ron Watson

Crossroads Community—

Orville Winters

Hillsboro—

John N. Carr
Janet Gathright

Lynwood—

Bill Moormann
David Liu

Metolius—

Ron Mulkey

Reedwood—

Ken Comfort
Carole Spencer
Irv Brendlinger
Don Duilio
Johan Maurer
Retha McCutchen
MaryKate Morse
Celia Mueller
Roy Twaddell

Tigard—

Dan Cammack
Paul Thornburg
Cleta Crisman
Keith Haisch
Ralph Lohman
Roger Watson

West Hills—

Mike Huber
Trey Doty

PUGET SOUND AREA

East Hill—

Paul G. Meier
Jim Teeters

McKinley Hill—

North Seattle Friends—

Lorraine Watson
Carol Twichel

Olympic View—

Rich A. Miller

Dan V. Nolta
Peninsula—
Jonathan Fodge
Valley—
Doug Wedin

SALEM AREA

Eugene—
Clyde Parker
Gayle D. Beebe
Dave Russell
Marion—

Frank N. Haskins
Don Lamm

Rosedale—
Tim Wenzig
EdCammack

Scotts Mills—
Eric Anglin

Silverton—
Roger Knox
Cathy Knox
Marvin Kistler
Betty Jo Steele

South Salem—
Jim Leonard
Bruce Bibby

SOUTHERN IDAHO AREA

Boise—
Gil S. George
Shawn McConaughy

Caldwell—
Don Brown
Lowell Weinacht

Greenleaf—
Alan Weinacht
Glenn Armstrong
Steven Fine
Rob King

Homedale—
John Beck
Tobey Schroeder

Melba—
Chris Hinderliter
Ron Lowry

Meridian—
Ken Redford
Star—

Whitney—
Vern L. Barnett

SOUTHERN OREGON AREA

Klamath Falls—
Faith Marsalli

Medford—
Mark Burton
I. Marion Clarkson
Gordon McKay

Sprague River—
Talent—

David Howell
Paul I. Miller

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON AREA

Camas—
Caryl Menkhus

Cherry Grove—
Arden Kinser
Dick Edmundson

Rose Valley—
Jeff Dumke

Vancouver First—
Mark Kelley
David Robinson
Steve Wood

MINISTERS RECORDED

MINISTERS RECEIVED

(from other yearly meetings)

MINISTERS RESIGNED

MINISTERS TRANSFERRED

(to other yearly meetings)

MINISTERS TRANSFERRED

(to other denominations)

FRIENDS SERVING ABROAD UNDER NORTHWEST YEARLY MEETING

Bolivia—
Harold and Nancy Thomas

Russia—
Johan and Judy Maurer

China—
Ann Brantingham, Marilyn
Harmon, Dorothy Sherman,
Miriam Voth, Matt Boswell,
Maria Schapman

Hungary—
Karen Swenson

Middle East—
Patrick and Christy Neifert
Children: Ethan and Megan
Barbara Baker

North Africa—
Bill and Betty Kelley

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Austin Brown
Hayden Lake, Turkey
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Action International, Malawi

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*Mission Aviation Fellowship,
East DRC and Uganda, Africa*
Gary and Christine Colfax
*Cambodia, Evangelical Friends
Church: Southwest Yearly Meeting*

Jeff and Kim Culp
China teaching (non-NWYM)

Joy Ellison
CPT, Palestine
Roger and Claudia Gehring
Professionally Speaking, Oregon

David and Patricia Howell
EFM, Ireland

John and Donna Kreutz
Wycliffe Bible Translators, Mexico

Micah Lehman
*Operation Mobilization,
Montenegro*

Jessica Leonardi
Adventures in Missions
Del and Suzanne Livingston
Independent, Washington
Gordon and Suzanne Martin
*Wycliffe Bible Translators,
Canada*
Barbara Morse
Wycliffe Bible Translators, Mexico
Chrissy Muhr
EFM, Rwanda
Lon Osborn
OMS International
Lance Roberts
YWAM, Ukraine
Jerry and Barbara Sandoz
OMS International, Indiana
Jeffrey and Christine Stanfield
World Gospel Mission, Kenya
Andrew and Kim Stave
Lithuania Christian College
Susan Stewart
World Concern, Asia
David and Debby Thomas
EFM, Rwanda
Roy and Jinky Twaddell
EFM, California

DECEASED MEMBERS

June 1, 2008—May 31, 2009

RECORDED MINISTERS

Randall Emry
Lela J. Morrill
Calvin Wilkins

OTHER MEMBERS

Donald Bell
Mary Bloodgood
Roberta Brollier
Cindy Carrigan
Alice Clark
Dorothy Craven
Marjorie Crisman
William Critell
Randall Dicus
Mintha Ellis
Isabel Emry

Minnie Engeman
 Joan Foster
 Ruby Glenn
 Rita Grucza
 Margo Hobson
 Ralph Hofstetter
 Wenona Huff
 Kenneth Hull
 Ruth Hull
 Richard Jensen
 Richard Johnson
 Beverly Kalenda
 Ben McManama
 James Meireis
 Wayne Mouw
 Nadine Mulkey
 James Musolino
 Carl Nagel
 Peggy Newkirk
 Lloyd Osburn
 Mary Lou Outwater
 Wesley Poff
 Winifred Puckett
 Linda Rodrigues
 Helen Senger
 Helen Sheirbon
 Donald Skeen
 Frances Stands
 LaVeta Thompson
 Jason Watts
 Elmer Weitzel
 Marie Weislogel

LOCAL CHURCHES BY AREAS

INLAND AREA (IN)

Anthem*
 Entiat
 Hayden Lake
 Living Water Ministries*
 Quincy*
 River of Life*
 Spokane
 The Springs*
 Woodland

NEWBERG AREA (NW)

2nd Street Community
 Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos
 en McMinnville*
 Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos en
 Newberg
 Netarts
 Newberg
 North Valley
 Sherwood
 West Chehalem

PORTLAND AREA (PO)

City's Edge
 Clackamas Park
 Crossroads Community
 Hillsboro
 Lynwood
 Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos en
 Clackamas*
 Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos en
 Gresham*
 Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos en
 Reedwood*
 Metolius
 Green Plow Coffee*
 Reedwood
 RiversWay Community*
 Tigard
 West Hills

PUGET SOUND AREA (PS)

East Hill
 McKinley Hill*
 North Seattle
 Olympic View
 Peninsula
 Quaker Cove*

Valley

SALEM AREA (SM)

Art House*
 Eugene
 Marion
 Mision Amigos de Cristo*
 Rosedale
 Scotts Mills
 Silverton
 South Salem

SOUTHERN IDAHO AREA (SI)

Boise
 Caldwell
 Casa del Alfarero*
 Greenleaf
 Homedale
 Melba
 Meridian
 Ministerio Hispano Tierra de Regocijo*
 Star
 The Olde Meetinghouse-La Grande*
 Whitney

SOUTHERN OREGON AREA (SO)

Friends Church of the Valley*
 Klamath Falls
 Medford
 Sprague River*
 Talent

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON AREA (SW)

Camas
 Cherry Grove
 Destiny*
 Iglesia Evangelica Los Amigos en
 Vancouver*
 New Life*
 Rose Valley
 Vancouver

MARYLAND

Cross Rhythm
 (During this year, exploring
 relationship for our future)

*Ministry Points

2ND STREET COMMUNITY

Office: 504 E. 1st Street

P.O. Box 1237

Newberg, Oregon 97132-8237

Phone: 503/538-9761

Fax: 503/554-0312

Email: office@2ndstreet.org

Website: www.2ndstreet.org

Meeting Place: Chehalem Center Armory, 620 N. Morton Street, Newberg

Directions: South on Hwy 99W to Main Street. Turn right on Main, follow curve left onto Hwy 240) turn left on Morton Street.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Services—

9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.,

6:30 p.m.—Celebrate Recovery

PASTOR:

Gregg Lamm, lead pastor-teacher (Teresa)

Ministry Staff:

Danielle Buchanan, middle school intern

Melinda Stephens, children's ministries director

Linnea Brooks, worship arts director (Wayne)

Tom Stanwyck, community groups facilitator (Janet)

Chuck Clarkson, equipping pastor (Angie)

Jim Jett, drama ministries (Linda)

Jenn Nelson, drama ministries (Rick)

Becky Emmons, celebrate recover (Jason)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Sue Pruitt

Liz Barr

Nance Stone

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding Clerk—Scott Gratsinger

Elders—Scott Gratsinger

Treasurer—Todd Frey

Friends Women—Kandi Parkinson

Friends Men—Greg Taylor

FY Sponsor—

YM Representatives—Sue Pruitt,

Tom Stanwyck, Dinah Steig

ANTHEM

107 N. 2nd St,

Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814

Phone: 877/304-6849

Email:

contact@boardersforchrist.com

Website: www.boardersforchrist.com

MEETING TIMES:

Call for information

PASTORS:

Chris and Heather Lauri

ART HOUSE

82298 Butte Road

Creswell, Oregon 97426-9312

Phone: 541/895-5128

Fax: 541/895-5128 call first

Email: trevnbetsy@smithsrus.us

Call for directions.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.

PASTORS:

Betsy and Trevor Smith

YM Representatives—Trevor Smith

BOISE

7751 Goddard Road

Boise, Idaho 83704-3121

Phone: 208/375-9580

Fax: 208/375-9581

Email: office@boisefriends.org

Website: www.boisefriends.org

Directions: From I-84, take Cole Road exit north and continue on Cole till it dead ends at Mountain View. Turn left on Mountain View, go through light at Glenwood; the church is on the left.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:30 a.m.

PASTORS:

Brad and Heather Tricola

Joyce Hickerson, care coordinator (Dennis)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Sheryl Seals

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—John Sparks

Recording Clerk—

Elders—Roger Bissell

Education—Tanya Baker

Stewardship—Gary Adams

Statistician—Evelyn Hickerson

MMA Advocate—Joyce Hickerson

Camp Publicity—Joyce Hickerson

Friends Women—Dot Taffin

Friends Men—Steve Olson

FY Sponsor—Heather Tricola

YM Representatives—Charlene

Olson, Lana Thurston

CALDWELL

521 E. Elm Street

Caldwell, Idaho 83605-4871

Phone: 208/459-3390

Email: donbrown39@msn.com

Directions: I-84, 10th Avenue exit, south on 10th to Logan (4-way stop). Left on Logan (one block) to Howard. Turn right, church is on the corner of Howard and Elm.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:50 a.m.

PASTORS:

Don Brown (Alfreda)

Roy Lujan, youth pastor (Joy)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Tim Vance

Recording—Naomi Weinacht

Elders—Tim Vance

Education—Joy Lujan

Missions—Dorothy Koch

Peace and Social Concerns—

Melissa Britt-Makela,

Lucille Davenport

Stewardship—Larry Brown

Treasurer—Priscilla Smith

Statistician—Joy Lujan

Camp Publicity—Don Brown

Friends Women—Alfreda Brown

FY Sponsor—Roy Lujan

YM Representatives—Joy Lujan

CAMAS

1004 NE 4th Avenue

Camas, Washington 98607-1608

Phone/Fax: 360/834-2446

Email: [@camasfriends.org](mailto:camasfriends)

Website: www.camasfriends.org

Directions: From I-5 or I-205, take Highway 14 east to Camas Business Loop exit 12. Take slight right onto NW 6th Ave. Right at stop sign onto NW Adams. Left on 3rd Avenue and continue on 3rd to church parking lot - corner of Ione and 3rd Avenue.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:30 a.m.

PASTOR:

C. Wess Daniels (Emily)

Ministry Support Staff:

Sheryl Seals

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—John Twyman

Recording—

Elders—Carolyn Myers

Education—Evelyn Myers
Missions—Ron Myers
Peace and Social Concerns—
Ron Myers
Stewardship—Jason Twyman,
Treasurer—Joy Williams
Statistician—Joyce Myers
MMA Advocate—
Camp Publicity—
Jason and Jamie Twyman
Friends Women—Evelyn Myers
Friends Men—Ron Myers
YM Representatives—Evelyn
Myers, Joyce Myers, Ron Myers

CASA del ALFARERO

Mailing Address:
2321 Rice Avenue
Caldwell, Idaho 83605-2064
Phone: 208/922-8039
Meeting Place: 21463 W Main Street,
Greenleaf, ID

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.
Wednesday—7:00 p.m.

PASTOR:
Mario Ortega (Jaqui)

YM Representatives—Mario Ortega

CHERRY GROVE

9100 NE 219th Street
PO Box 1300
Battle Ground, Washington 98604-1300
Phone/Fax: 360/687-3159
Email:
office@cherrygrovefriends.org
Web site: *cherrygrovefriends.org*
Directions: I-5, east on exit 11
(Highway 502). Go 4.5 miles to 92nd
Avenue. Church is on the left.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:
Arden Kinser (Janet)
Lauralea Kinser, youth pastor

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Andi Crockford

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Cathy King
Recording—Carolynn Boehm
Elders—Thomas Pritchard
Education—Beth Means
Global/Local Outreach—
Andi Crockford
Peace and Social Concerns—
Jamie Skinner
Stewardship—Rob Woodard
Treasurer—Dan Highley
Statistician—Phyllis Burger
Camp Publicity—Sandi Wooley
Friends Women—Sandra Carner
Friends Men—Arden Kinser
FY Sponsor—Lauralea Kinser,
Brenda Pritchard
YM Representatives—Shelley Geil,
Pam Reeves, Dave Davis

CITY'S EDGE

Mailing address
PO Box 1096
Beaverton, Oregon 97075-1096
Phone: 503/936-7729
Email: *citysedge@gmail.com*
Web site: *www.citysedge.org*
Meeting Place: Meeting at New
Horizons Club House, 12185 SW
Camden Lane, Beaverton, OR
Directions: Hwy 217 to Denney Rd,
go west about one mile; turn right on
Camden Lane (which is before Hall
Blvd). Signs for church are posted
each Sunday.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—10:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTOR:
Dan Banham (Beth)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding Clerk—Sarah Lawson
Recording Clerk—Annette Collins
Elders—Doug Miller
Treasurer—Kathy Nelson
Sunday School Superintendent—
Beth Banham
Friends Women—Phyllis Houston
Friends Men—Gary Houston
YM Representatives—Debbie Day,
Kathy Nelson

CLACKAMAS PARK

Mailing address
PO Box 1843
Clackamas, Oregon 97015-1843
Church:
8120 SE Thiessen Road
Milwaukie, Oregon 97267
Phone: 503/655-7177
Fax: 503/655-1948
Email: *cpfchurch@qwestoffice.net*
Directions: I-205 to Exit 13. West on
Hwy 224 to Johnson Road, south 1/2
mile to Thiessen Road, turn right,
church is on the left.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:
Kevin Gilbert (Denise)
Price Northcutt, associate pastor
(Lorna)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Jerri Johnson

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Phil McLain
Recording—Jerri Johnson
Elders—Brian Morse
Treasurer—Leland Lee
Statistician—Jerri Johnson
Sunday School Superintendent—
Rosalie Garcia
Friends Women—Karla Allen
FY Sponsor—Price Northcutt

YM Representatives—Marianne
Phillips, Marge McLain, Michael
Martin

CROSSROADS COMMUNITY

40618 Old Highway 30
Astoria, Oregon 97103-8638
Phone: 503/458-6846
Email:
crossroadfriends@centurytel.net
Web site:
www.crossroads-friends.org

Directions: Exit Highway 30 at
Svensen which is 10 miles east of
Astoria. Go south 1/8 mile to Old
Highway 30, turn left, go 1/4 mile,
church is on the right.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTOR:
Orville Winters (Marilyn)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Orville Winters
Recording—Marilyn Winters
Elders—Orville Winters
Treasurer—Ellen Crow
Friends Women—Beverly Bergeron
YM Representatives—Richard &
Ellen Crow, Mike & Sheri Posey

CROSS RHYTHM

1024 E. College Pkwy
Annapolis MD 21409
Phone: 410/777-5200
Email: *info@crossrhythm.org*
Web: *www.crossrhythm.org*

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday Worship Service—10:30 a.m.
Wednesday—6:30 p.m.

PASTORS:
Mike Berry (Andra)
Sam Gringas, youth pastor
Brian Cook, college and career pastor

DESTINY

Mailing Address:
33609 I Street
Ocean Park, Washington 98640-5610

MEETING TIME:

Sunday Evening Service—5:30 p.m.
Contact pastor for directions

PASTORS:

Dan and Mindy Burns

YM Representatives—Dan and
Mindy Burns

EAST HILL

22600-116th Avenue SE
Kent, Washington 98031-2375
Phone: 253/859-5060
Website: easthillfriendschurch.com
Directions: Highway 167 to 212th
Street exit. East on 212th to 116th
Avenue (signal), turn right (south) to
church.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—11:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTOR:

Paul Meier (Charlene)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Judy Oliver

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Jim Teeters
Elders—Rebecca Teeters
Education—Charlene Meier
Treasurer—Yvonne Kirkland
Statistician—Paul Meier
FY Sponsor—Jim Teeters
YM Representatives—David Hurd,
Stan Muhr

ENTIAT

2822 Entiat River Road
P.O. Box 516
Entiat, Washington 98822-0516
(UPS: 2848 Entiat River Road)
Phone: 509/784-1342

Website: entiatfriends.blogspot.com
Directions: Eighteen miles north of
Wenatchee on Highway 97. Turn left
at Entiat River Road; 1/4 mile on
right.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Services—
11:00 a.m. (summer—10:00 a.m.),
6:00 p.m. (first Sunday only)
Wednesday—6:30 p.m.

PASTOR:

Luke Ankeny (Heidi)
CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Conard Petersen
Recording—Mary Lou Brooks
Elders—Debbie Harrison
Education—Phyllis Griffith
Stewardship—Phil Harrison
Treasurer—Sarah Petersen
Statistician—Phyllis Griffith
MMA Advocate—Sarah Petersen
FY Sponsors—
Phil and Debbie Harrison
YM Representatives—Debbie
Harrison, Mary Lou Brooks

EUGENE

3495 West 18th Avenue
Eugene, Oregon 97402-3111
Phone: 541/484-9998
Fax: 541/345-8054
Email: efc@efn.org
Web site: www.eugenefriends.org
Directions: I-5, Beltline West exit to
end of Beltline. Left on W. 11th
Avenue to Bailey Hill Road, turn right.
At next light turn left on 18th Avenue.
Go three blocks. Church is on left side
of 18th.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Services—
8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

PASTORS:

Clyde Parker (Wendy)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Jerine Timpe

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Debbie Powell
Recording—Nancy Kayser
Elders—Maxine Bristow
Education—Heather Rudder
Missions—Vicki Stave
Peace and Social Concerns—
Vicki Stave
Stewardship—Karla Rice
Treasurer—Jerine Timpe
Statistician—Nina Hess
MMA Advocate—Ked Dejmal
Camp Publicity—Lynne Lakin
Friends Women—Sue Young
FY Sponsor—Clyde Parker
YM Representatives—Elizabeth
Merritt, Lynne Lakin

FRIENDS CHURCH OF THE VALLEY

c/o 1430 Dick George Road
Cave Junction, Oregon 97523-9602
Phone: 541/592-2562 (primary)
541/592-6432 (alternate)
Email: mkbinker@cavenet.net
Meeting Place: Various homes. Call
Michelle Binker (541/592-2562) or
Lee Eschen (541/592-6432) for place
and directions.

MEETING TIME:

Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Recording—Michelle Binker
MMA Advocate—Michelle Binker
YM Representatives—Lee Eschen

GREEN PLOW COFFEEHOUSE

436 SW 6th Street
Mailing Address:
c/o Pat and Mandy Schmidt
2259 NW Nickernut Ct
Redmond, OR 97756-7696
Phone 541/504-2854
Website: greenplowcoffee.com

MEETING TIME:

No set schedule, call for information

PASTORS:

Pat and Mandy Schmidt
YM Representative—Mandy Schmidt

GREENLEAF

20535 N Academy Road
P.O. Box 428
Greenleaf, Idaho 83626-0428
Phone: 208/459-3896
Fax: 208/459-8843
Email: gfc@greenleafaffriends.org
Directions: I-84 to Highway 19, west
five miles to Academy Road. Corner
of Academy Road and Highway 19.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:55 a.m.
Sunday Worship Services—
8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

PASTORS:

Alan Weinacht (Marjorie)
Adam Bradbury, associate pastor
(Annie)
Jan Hibbs, visitation pastor

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Susan Pemberton

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Jake Lehman
Recording—Wendall Unrau
Elders—Mark Wilkins, David Dixon
Education—Devonne Hibbs
Missions—Veva Jencks
Peace and Social Concerns—
Steve Pemberton
Treasurer—Ken Hibbs
Statistician—Susan Pemberton
MMA Advocate—Alan Weinacht
Camp Publicity—Heidi Belt
Friends Women—Sharon Trunnell
FY Sponsor—Devonne Hibbs
YM Representatives—Veva Jencks,
Laura Holton

HAYDEN LAKE

251 W. Miles Avenue

Hayden Lake, Idaho 83835-9622

Phone: 208/772-7544

Fax: 208/762-2749

Email:

hlfcid@haydenlakefriends.org

Web site:

www.haydenlakefriends.org

Directions: Corner of Highway 95 and Miles Avenue.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Services—

9:00 a.m., 10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:

Bob H. Schneider (Marilyn)

Stan Perisho, pastor to seniors
(Shirlene)

Maurice Roberts, administrative
pastor (Peggy)

Buddy Holton, youth pastor (Tessa)

Sandy Wild, ministry coordinator
(Richard)

Ron and Renae Buck, small groups
coordinators

Jeff May, young adult ministries
coordinator (Kindra)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Marilyn Holmes

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Michael Jackson

Recording—Barbara Puller

Elders—Greg Tefft

Education—Crisy Carlson

Stewardship—Scott Poorman

Treasurer—Diane Berreth

Statistician—Marilyn Holmes

Sunday School Superintendent—
Crisy Carlson

Friends Women—Kitty Bassett

Friends Men—Cal Booth

FY Sponsor—Buddy Holton

YM Representatives—Vivian Riske,

Terri Riske, Vicky Woods

HILLSBORO

332 NE Sixth Avenue

Hillsboro, Oregon 97124-3298

Phone: 503/648-1814

Email: hfc.office@verizon.net

Directions: Highway 26 (Sunset Highway) west from Portland to Cornelius Pass or Shute Road exit. South to Cornell Road; right at Tenth and Main; right at Sixth Avenue, three blocks.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTOR:

Bernie Bosnjak

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Amanda Schull

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Laurie Christenson

Recording—Criss Hanson

Education—Tiz Walker

Missions—Dorothy Neidigh

Stewardship—Prosper Walker

Treasurer—Steven Christenson

Statistician—Bernie Bosnjak

Sunday School Superintendent—

Tiz Walker

MMA Advocate—Ann Garcia

FY Sponsor—Bernie Bosnjak

YM Representatives—Bernie

Bosnjak, Tiz Walker, Laurie

Christenson

HOMEDALE

7434 Highway 95

Wilder Idaho

Phone: 208/337-3464

Email: mlarzelier@hotmail.com

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:

Carl Bennett (Sheri)

Toby Schroeder, associate pastor
(Janine)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Michelle Larzelier

Email: mlarzelier@hotmail.com

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Mikael Parker

Recording Clerk—Bev Bauer

Elders—Frank Tuning

Education—Leslie Nash

Missions—Myrna Tuning

Peace and Social Concerns—

Mary Ann Huskey

Stewardship—Mark Bauer

Treasurer—Martha Emry

Statistician—Michelle Larzelier

Camp Publicity—Shannon Johnson

FY Sponsor—Janine Schroeder

YM Representatives—Myrna

Tuning, Frank Tuning

IGLESIA EVANGELICA LOS AMIGOS en CLACKAMAS

Church address:

8120 SE Thiessen Road

Milwaukie, Oregon 97267

Mailing address:

PO Box 1843

Clackamas, Oregon 97015-1843

Phone: 503/313-3454

Website: amigosevangelicos.com

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday Worship Service—9:30 a.m.

PASTOR:

Luis Gavin

IGLESIA EVANGELICA LOS AMIGOS en GRESHAM

835 SE 162nd Avenue

Portland, Oregon 97233-3216

Phone: 971/322-3218

Website:

amigosevangelicos.com/iamigos

Directions: I-205, Washington/Stark streets exit. At light go east (heading

north, turn right; south turn left) to 162nd Street. Turn right; go two blocks, church is on the right.

MEETING TIME:

Sunday Worship Service—2:00 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Study—7 p.m.

PASTOR:

Hernan Diaz

IGLESIA EVANGELICA LOS AMIGOS en McMinnville

720 Wallace Road

McMinnville, Oregon 97128

Phone: 503-537-6160

Website: amigosevangelicos.com

Directions: Hwy 99W through McMinnville to 2nd Street. Right on 2nd one block, right on Star Mill Way. This becomes Wallace Road. Church is next to tennis courts.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday Worship Service—6:30 p.m.

Thursday Bible Study—6:30 p.m.

PASTOR:

Angel Diaz (Marbellys)

IGLESIA EVANGELICA LOS AMIGOS en NEWBERG

200 S. College Street

P.O. Box 487

Newberg, Oregon 97132-0487

Phone: 503/544-5742

Website: amigosevangelicos.com/ielan

Directions: From 99W turn south onto College St; proceed to 2nd Street. Church on southeast corner.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—12:00 noon

Sunday Worship Service—10:30 a.m.

PASTORS:

Angel Diaz (Marbellys)

Antonio Mandujano, associate pastor
(Maximina)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Jody Cruz

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Elders—Anita Gonzalez

IGLESIA EVANGELICA LOS AMIGOS en REEDWOOD

2901 SE Steele

Portland, Oregon 97202-4526

Phone: 503-314-0159

Website: amigosevangelicos.com

Directions: From I-5 north, follow signs to Ross Island Bridge, then to 99E South (toward Oregon City), look for Holgate St. signs (go right to turn left), go on Holgate to 28th, turn right, go to 4-way stop, turn left onto Steele. Church is on left. From I-5 south, look for signs to 99E south, then as above.

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:
Mario Macias

IGLESIA EVANGELICA LOS AMIGOS en VANCOUVER

2710 NE 65th Avenue

Vancouver, Washington 98661

Phone: 360/326-8185

Directions: From I-5 to SR 500 East to Andresen; turn right to Fourth Plain Blvd; turn right to 65th Ave.; turn left. Church is on the right about two blocks. From I-205 to SR 500 West to Andresen; turn left to Fourth Plain Blvd; turn right to 65th Ave.; turn left. Church is on the right about two blocks

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:
Hernan Diaz

KLAMATH FALLS

1918 Oregon Avenue

Klamath Falls, Oregon 97601-2124

Phone/Fax: 541/882-7816

Email: kffriend@earthlink.net

Website: www.kffriends.org

Directions: Highway 97 south to Oregon Avenue off ramp. Go left on Oregon Avenue 1/4 mile.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—11:10 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.
PASTOR:
Faith Marsalli

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Jeanette Rutherford
Recording—Kathleen Williams
Elders—Karen Oberst
Peace and Social Concerns—
Kate Murphey
Stewardship—Dk'loug Bakke
Treasurer—JoAnne Magee
Statistician—Peggy Reid
MMA Advocate—JoAnne Magee
Friends Women—JoAnne Magee
Friends Men—Ken Magee
YM Representatives—Ken Magee,
Karen Oberst, Marvin Prince

LIVING WATER MINISTRIES

Mailing Address:

PO Box 456

Plummer, Idaho 83851-0456

Phone: 208/651-7532

Meeting Place:

Contact for information.

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—4:30 p.m.

PASTORS:
Caj Matheson (Kim)
Dianne Allen, teaching pastor (Mike)
Terry Butcher, administrative pastor
(Janet)
YM Representatives—Terry Butcher

LYNWOOD

835 SE 162nd Avenue

Portland, Oregon 97233-3216

Phone: 503/252-8415

Email:

secretary@lynwoodfriends.org

Website: www.lynwoodfriends.org

Directions: I-205, Washington/Stark streets exit. At light go east (heading north, turn right; south turn left) to 162nd Street. Turn right; go two blocks, church is on the right.
MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—8:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.

PASTORS:
Bill Moormann (Lisa)
Ramona Moore, music director (John)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Kathy Hefflin

Clerks and Officers:
Presiding—Penny Krueger
Recording Clerk—Kathy Hefflin
Elders—Verna Newton
Education—Kathy Hefflin
Missions—Matthew Krueger
Stewardship—Bertram Frazier
Treasurer—Eleanore Frazier
Statistician—Eleanore Frazier
MMA Advocate—Bill Moormann
Friends Women—Verna Newton
Camp Publicity—Kathy Hefflin
Youth Sponsor—Bill Moormann
YM Representatives—Bill
Moormann, Joe Krueger, Haley
Krueger

MARION

5997 Stayton Road SE

Turner, OR 97392-9749

Phone: 503/769-7915

Email: marionmonthly@aol.com

Directions: I-5 to Exit 25 (Sunnyside-Delaney Rd., Turner Exit), east to Turner on Delaney Road. Right on Turner Road. Through Turner, right

on Marion Road. Right at 4-way stop and go 4½ miles. Left on Stayton Road. Meetinghouse 1/4 mile on left.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTORS:
Donald Lamm (Nancy)
Bill Pruitt, minister of music (Faye)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Louis Brandt
Recording Clerk—Joyce Lueders
Elders—Dora Lingenfelter
Education—Caroll Brandt,
Karen Rose
Missions—Dora Lingenfelter
Stewardship—Charles Rushing
Treasurer—Dora Lingenfelter
Statistician—Dora Lingenfelter
Friends Women—Carey Smith
Friends Men—Eugene Rose
FY Sponsor—Carey Smith
YM Representatives—Caroll
Brandt, Dora Lingenfelter

McKINLEY HILL

259 E 72nd Avenue

Tacoma, Washington 98404-1063

Phone: 253/473-4609

Website: mhfriends.org

Directions: I-5 to Exit 129. East on 72nd Street 1.7 miles. Church on north side of street.

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.

PASTOR:
Tim Burdick (Heather)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Martin Rice
Recording—Dolores Sacha
Elders—RosaLee Steinhorst
Education—Joan Rice, Patsy Wallace
Missions—Dolores Sacha
Peace and Social Concerns—
Debra Brownlee

Treasurer—Martin and Joan Rice
Statistician—Dolores Sacha
YM Representatives—Rosa Lee
Steinhorst

MEDFORD

525 DeBarr Avenue
Medford, Oregon 97501-1626
Phone: 541/772-6926
Fax: 541-772-6930
Email:
terry@medfordfriendschurch.org
Website: medfordfriendschurch.org
Directions: I-5, exit 30, west on Hwy
62 to Hwy 99. Turn right, go one block
to Table Rock Road, turn right. On
corner where Merriman Road
converges with Table Rock Road.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—11:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—9:30 a.m.

PASTORS:
Mark Burton (Patsy)
David Gomez, youth pastor (Katie)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Terry Wilson

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Earlene Schlosser
Recording—Cheryl Nicholson
Elders—Gary Nicholson
Education—Darren Davidson
Stewardship—Stan Schlosser
Treasurer—church office
Statistician—church office
Friends Men—Mark Burton
FY Sponsor—Dave Gomez
YM Representatives—Patrice
Hunker, Earlene Schlosser

MELBA

301 Randolph Road
P.O. Box 116
Melba, Idaho 83641-0116
Phone: 208/495-2549

Directions: I-84 to Garrity exit. Turn
right on Garrity; go to 16th Ave. (by
park), turn left. Follow 16th to 7th
Street. Right on 7th Street, go to 12th
Avenue. Turn left on 12th (which is
also Hwy 45). Turn east on Melba
Road and follow to Randolph, turn
right. Church on right.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTORS:
Chris Hinderliter (Jessica)
Richard Ellis, pastor of Christian
discipleship (Nancy)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Jerry Davis
Recording—Eric Muhr
Elders—Susan McKibben
Education—Jeannie Freeland
Missions—Connie Hinderliter
Peace and Social Concerns—
Connie Hinderliter
Treasurer—Linda Davis
Statistician—Frances Engle
Friends Women—Susan McKibben
Friends Men—Chris Hinderliter
FY Sponsors—Chris Hinderliter
YM Representatives—Richard Ellis,
Stacie Workman

MERIDIAN

1021 West Pine Avenue
Meridian, Idaho 83642-2060
Phone: 208/888-2721
Fax: 208/888-4088/call first
Email: meridianfriends@
meridianfriends.org
Website: www.meridianfriends.org

Directions: Take Meridian Exit 44 off
I-84, north to Pine Ave (5th
stoplight). Turn left, proceed ten
blocks to the church.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:15 a.m. and
11:00 a.m. (9:00 in summer)

Sunday Worship Services—
9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
(10:30 in summer)

PASTORS:
Ken Redford (Tresa)
Patti Paz, junior high youthworker
(Pat)
Chris Tiner, senior high youthworker
(Stephanie)
Becky Lau, children's worker (David)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Barb Morrison

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Cory Smith
Recording—Laura Niswander
Elders—Sherri Sheirbon
Education—Judy Repp
Missions—Jeff Metcalf
Peace and Social Concerns—
Jeff Metcalf
Stewardship—Pat Paz
Treasurer—Cory Smith
Sunday School Superintendent—
Judy Repp
Statistician—Barb Morrison
MMA Advocate—Ron Jerome
Camp Publicity—Kim Evans
Friends Women—Edee White,
Tresa Redford
Friends Men—Roger Brady
FY Sponsors—
Junior High—Patti Paz
Senior High—Chris Tiner
YM Representatives—Sherri
Sheirbon, Patti Paz, Edee White,
Barry White

METOLIUS

575 Hood Avenue
Metolius, Oregon 97741-2336
Phone/fax: 541/546-4974
Email: friendscommunity
@qwestoffice.net
Directions: In Madras, Hwy 97, turn
west on "D" Street. Go four miles to

Metolius. Turn left on 6th Street; go
to Hood Avenue, turn left.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Services—
10:45 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

PASTORS:
Ron Mulkey (Deb)
Rob Willoughby, youth pastor (Jenny)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Teren Wood

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—David Gregg
Recording—Elaine Henderson
Elders—Dan Herringshaw
Education—Kerry Sundberg
Missions—Janice Alexander
Stewardship—Lee Farrester
Treasurer—Sharon Brackett
Statistician—Teren Wood
MMA Advocate—Tom Shuman
Camp Publicity—
Doug and Sara Harris
Rob and Jenny Willoughby
Friends Men—Ron Mulkey
FY Sponsor—Rob Willoughby
YM Representatives—Ron Mulkey,
Jenny Willoughby

TIERRA DE REGOCIJO

521 E. Elm Street
Caldwell, Idaho 83605-4871
Mailing: 1814 Howard Avenue
Caldwell, Idaho 83605-4851
Phone: 208/585-4052
Directions: I-84, 10th Avenue exit,
south on 10th to Logan (4-way stop).
Left on Logan (one block) to Howard.
Turn right, church is on the corner of
Howard and Elm.

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—6:00 p.m.

PASTOR:
Jorge Sileoni (Elida)

MISSION AMIGOS DE CRISTO

Mailing address:

c/o Pastor Gerardo Ibarra
1154 N Jefferson St
Lafayette, Oregon 97127-9210

Meeting Place:

Grant Community School
725 Market St NE
Salem, Oregon

Directions: I-5 to Market St exit. Go west on Market Street to school (on right).

MEETING TIME:

Saturday Service—4:00 p.m.

PASTOR:

Gerardo Ibarra (Lolita)

NETARTS

4685 Alder Cove Road West
Tillamook, Oregon 97141-9355

Phone: 503/842-8375

Fax: 503/842-9356, call first

Email:

netartsfriends@embarqmail.com

Website: www.netartsfriends.org

Directions: From Tillamook—west on 3rd Street, six miles to Netarts, turn sharp right on Alder Cove Road, go 1-1/2 blocks.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:10 a.m.

PASTORS:

Jerry Baker

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Sheryl Byrd

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Joanie White
Recording—Jessica Ernst
Elders—LeAnn Beebe
Education—Sheryl Byrd
Missions—Clair Thomas

Stewardship—Jim Stephenson

Treasurer—Steve Phillips

Statistician—Billie Weston

MMA Advocate—Steve Kerr

Camp Publicity—Sheryl Byrd

YM Representatives—Ken Beebe,
Jessica Ernst

NEW LIFE FRIENDS

New Life Mission: Possible and

The Lord's Gym

2410 Grand Boulevard

Vancouver, Washington 98661-7842

Mailing: P.O. Box 1768

Vancouver, WA 98668-1768

Phone: 360/694-6843

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Email: [info@](mailto:info@newlifemissionpossible.com)

newlifemissionpossible.com

Website:

www.newlifemissionpossible.com

Directions: Take I-5 to 4th Plain exit; go east about one mile to Grand. From I-205 to SR 500 E. St. Johns exit S. Left on 33rd and right on Grand, go about 1/2 mile to church.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Services—10:15 a.m.

PASTORS:

Dave White (Renee)

Bill Smith (Vicky)

Dan Thompson (Kris)

Roni Sasaki, youth pastor (Derek)

Jamie Kingsbury, prison ministry (Shawn)

Larry Jones, prison ministry (Janet)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Vicky Smith, marketing and development director

YM Representatives—Dave White

NEWBERG

307 S. College Street

P.O. Box 487

Newberg, Oregon 97132-0487

Phone: 503/538-8381

Fax: 503/538-0637

Email: office@newbergfriends.org

Website: www.newbergfriends.org

Directions: From 99W turn south onto College St; proceed to 3rd Street. Church on southwest corner.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Services—
9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:

Gregg Koskela, lead pastor (Elaine)

Mauri Macy, pastor, worship ministries (Sherry)

Steve Fawver, pastor, spiritual health and care (Diane)

Pending search, youth ministries

Jo Helsabeck, pastor, women's ministries (Hank)

Michelle Akins, pastor, children and family ministries (Alan)

Karen McConaughy, pastor to seniors (Roy)

Elizabeth Sherwood, administrative pastor (Steve)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Sherry Macy

Denise Lyman

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Phil Smith

Recording—Theresa "Terri" Bowen

Elders—Don Staples

Education—Michelle Akins

Missions—Gregg Koskela

Peace and Social Concerns—
Phil Smith

Stewardship—Scott Winter

Treasurer—Jennifer Perez

Statistician—Denise Lyman

MMA Aid Advocate—Denise Lyman

Camp Publicity—Michelle Akins

Friends Women—Maribeth Hampton

Friends Men—Richard Powell

FY Sponsor, *interim*—Abbie McCracken

YM Representatives—Phil Smith,

Judy Anderson, Lyle Wheeler,

Esther Mae Hinshaw, Pat Landis,

Betty Hockett, John Johnson, Jo

Lewis, Barbara Mann

NORTH SEATTLE

7740 24th Avenue NE

Seattle, Washington 98115-4604

Phone: 206/525-8800

Fax: 206/525-8801

Email:

office@northseattlefriends.org

Website: northseattlefriends.org

Directions: I-5 exit 171, east on 80th Street and right on 24th Avenue NE.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:

Lorraine Watson

Patty Federighi, director of quilting
Ministry (Doug Daily)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Laura Couch

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Walt Dews

Recording—Arlyene Dews

Elders—Jan Wood

Missions—Donna Eggen

Peace and Social Concerns—

Sharon Hayden

Stewardship—Paul Rogers

Treasurer—Doug Daily

Statistician—Lorraine Watson

MMA Advocate—Arlyene Dews

Camp Publicity—Lorraine Watson

Friends Women—Patty Federighi

Friends Men—Eric Palmer

FY Sponsor—

John and Olivia McIntyre

YM Representatives—Patty Federighi, Carolann Palmer, Sharon Hayden

NORTH VALLEY

4020 N. College Street
Newberg, Oregon 97132-9183
Phone: 503/538-5340
Fax: 503/538-5141
Email:

office@northvalleyfriends.org
Website: northvalleyfriends.org
Directions: Two miles north of
Newberg on Hillsboro Highway 219.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.
Unprogrammed Worship—9:30 a.m.

PASTORS:
Stan Thornburg (Cathy)
Lynn Clouser Holt, education and
spiritual formation pastor (Jon)
Leslie Murray, youth pastor (Nathan)
Kim Boyd, children's ministry
facilitator (Bryan)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Jennie Harkema

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Scot Headley and
Kathleen Gathercoal
Recording—Beth Woolsey
Education—Kim Boyd
Elders—Bruce Bishop
Missions—Vonnice Burton,
Anna Baker
Peace and Social Concerns—
Debbie Headley
Stewardship—
Treasurer—Keith Baker
Statistician—Keith Baker
MMA Advocate—Mike McBride
Camp Publicity—Leslie Murray
Friends Women—Joy Howell
Friends Men—Earl Tycksen
YM Representatives—Anna Baker,
Paul Anderson

OLYMPIC VIEW

201 Brown's Point Boulevard NE
Tacoma, Washington 98422-2521
Phone: 253/927-9151
Email: ovfc@harbornet.com
Website: www.ovfc.org

Directions: I-5 to exit 143 (320th
Ave). West on 320th until it ends at
Hoyt; turn left on Hoyt for 2-3 miles
(street name changes); turn right on
Brown's Point Blvd (across from
Howard's Corner Grocery). Stay
right at the "Y." The church is on the
right across from the fire station.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

INTERIM PASTOR:
Dan Nolte (Judy)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Geraldine "Gerry" Sugden

Clerks and Officers:
Presiding—Bill Smith
Recording—Mike Halliday
Elders—Ed Sullivan
Missions—Gerry Sugden
Peace and Social Concerns—
Jim Hawthorne
Stewardship—Dan Nolte
Treasurer—Paul Bowder
MMA Advocate—Don Chelgren
Camp Publicity—Gerry Sugden
Friends Women—Gerry Sugden
Friends Men—Jerry Sugden
FY Sponsor—Major Inskeep
YM Representatives—Delonna
Halliday, Major Inskeep, Sharon
Sullivan

PENINSULA

Peninsula Evangelical
Friends Church at Agnew
1291 N. Barr Road
Port Angeles, Washington 98362-8490
Phone/Fax: 360/452-9105
Website: www.pefcpa.com

Directions: Take Hwy 101N through
Sequim to stoplight at Carlsberg
Road, turn right. Go to stop sign and
turn left on Old Olympic Hwy. Go
three miles, church is on left corner of
N. Barr Rd.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTOR:
Jon Fodge (Judy)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Becky O'Connor

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Bob Caldwell
Recording—Martha Ireland
Elders—
Education—
Missions—
Peace and Social Concerns—Judi
Fodge
Stewardship—Bob Caldwell
Treasurer—Linda Tyler
Statistician—Betty Ceike
Sunday School Superintendent—
Judi Fodge
FY Sponsor—Jonelle Fodge
YM Representatives—Jonelle Fodge

QUAKER COVE FRIENDS

c/o Earl Giessen
16331 Allen West Rd
Bow, WA 98232-9749
Phone: 360/757-6262
Email: giesser@netzero.com

Meeting Place:
Quaker Cove Retreat Center
14694 Gibraltar Rd
Anacortes, WA 98221
Directions: Take I-5 to exit 230, go
west on Hwy 20 for 13 miles. Sign will
read: West 20-Oak Harbor, Port
Townsend Ferry. Turn left. Continue
on West 20 for 1/3 mile. Turn left on
Gibraltar Road. Go 1.7 miles and
turn right at the Quaker Cove sign.

MEETING TIME:
Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.

CONTACT:
Earl Giessen
360/757-6262

QUINCY

902 H Street, S.W.
Quincy, Washington 98848-1374
Phone: 509/787-3222

Meeting Place:
810 10th Ave SW,
Quincy, WA 98848
Directions: Ten miles north of George
(on I-90). Left, at stop light to 10th St.
SW. Left, one block to church.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:
Gene Smith (Theresa)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding Clerk—Howard Pellham
Recording Clerk—Theresa Smith
Elders—Gene Smith
Education—Theresa Smith
Treasurer—L. Eugene Staley
Statistician—Theresa Smith
MMA Advocate—Fred Ness
FY Sponsor—Theresa Smith
YM Representatives—Howard
Pellham, Sharleen Watts,
Theresa Smith

REEDWOOD

2901 SE Steele Street
Portland, Oregon 97202-4526
Phone: 503/234-5017
Fax: 503/239-9453
Email: news@reedwood.org
Website: www.reedwood.org
Directions: From I-5 north, follow
signs to Ross Island Bridge, then to
99E South (toward Oregon City), look
for Holgate St. signs (go right to turn

left), go on Holgate to 28th, turn right, go to 4-way stop, turn left onto Steele. Church is on left. From I-5 south, look for signs to 99E south, then as above.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—11:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—9:30 a.m.

PASTORAL TEAM:
Ken Comfort (Tonya)
Tyler Hale, youth pastor (Julie)
Barry Frisby, children and families pastor (Susan)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Capi Reed

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Kara Newell
Recording—Tonya Comfort
Elders—Mary Lou Keeran, John Price
Education—Susan Frisby, Susan Hathaway
Missions—Brad Hathaway
Peace and Social Concerns—Adam Carlson, James Leeman
Stewardship—Scott Burg
Treasurer—John Wilkin
Statistician—Kara Newell
FY Sponsor—Tyler Hale
YM Representatives—Carrie Hutchinson, Kara Newell, Elizabeth Price

RIVER OF LIFE

3263 E. 12th Avenue
Post Falls, Idaho 83854-8988
Phone/Fax: 208/773-5014

Directions: I-90 east of Spokane, take Exit 7, turn left. Turn left at Hwy 41, turn left at 12th Avenue, 1/2 mile on right, corner of 12th and Cecil.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTORS:
Mike Slothower (Carmen)
Brian White, youth pastor (Jill)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Sophronia Selby

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Education—Bonnie Anderson
Treasurer—Barry Zimmerman
Camp Publicity—Harry Selby
Friends Women—Sophronia Selby
Friends Men—Mike Slothower
FY Sponsor—Brian White
YM Representative—Vic Peterson

RIVERSWAY COMMUNITY

Mailing Address:
c/o Jason Minnix
10175 SW Winter Land
Beaverton, OR 97008-5404
Phone: 503/803-6643
Website: riverswaycommunity.com
Meeting Place: Changes—call first

MEETING TIME:
Saturday—5:00 p.m.

PASTORS:
Jason Minnix (Gena)
Darla Samuelson, associate pastor (Rick)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Darla Samuelson
Elders—Elaine King
Treasurer—Elaine King
YM Representatives—Gilbert George, Jason Minnix

ROSE VALLEY

1437 Rose Valley Road
Kelso, Washington 98626-9664
Phone: 360/425-3222
Fax: 360/577-8075
E-mail:

office@rosevalleyfriends.org
Website: rosevalleyfriends.org
Directions: I-5 to Exit 36 (Longview-Carrolls). Take Old Hwy 99 south

toward Carrolls; turn left on Rose Valley Road, 2.5 miles.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Services—9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

PASTORS:
Mark Kelley (interim)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Shana Jabusch

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Ken Sparks
Recording—Bobbi Hieb
Education—Susan Gann
Missions—Mary Lou Long
Stewardship—Diana Loback
Treasurer—Lillian Jabusch
Statistician—Bobbi Hieb
Camp Publicity—Janet Powers
Friends Women—Joan Wagner
Friends Men—Larry Herlocker
FY Sponsor—Brad Libby
YM Representatives—Ed Hoyer

ROSEDALE

452 Hylo Road, SE
Salem, Oregon 97306-9104
Phone: 503/364-2716

Directions: From I-5 Fwy, take Exit 248 (Turner/Sunnyside); west on Delaney one mile to stop; north on Sunnyside; west on Hylo Road, 1 1/4 mile.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—11:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—9:30 a.m.

PASTORS:
Tim Wenzig (Terri)
Dan Reimer, associate/youth pastor (Ellie)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Marie Cammack
Recording—Missy Elder
Elders—Dan Meireis
Education—Marie Cammack
Global Outreach—George Crosiar

Local Outreach—Terri Wenzig
Stewardship—George Crosiar
Treasurer—Lucretia Crosiar
MMA Advocate—Lyle Elder
Friends Women—Ellie Reimer
FY Sponsor—Dan Reimer
YM Representatives—Nicki Carr, Lucretia Crosiar

SCOTTS MILLS

Church: 520 Grandview Avenue
(UPS: 5993 Crooked Finger Road)
P.O. Box 56
Scotts Mills, Oregon 97375-0056
Phone: 503/873-5526
Email: thazel@teleport.com
Website: scottsmillsfriends.org
Directions: From Highway 213, travel east on Mt. Angel/Scotts Mills Road approx. three miles to Scotts Mills. Turn south on Grandview Avenue, two blocks to the church.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:
Paul Cammack (Ruth)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Mary Howard

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Jeanne Hazel
Recording—Mary Howard
Elders—Wanda Jenkins
Education—Bernice Muilenburg
Missions—Chris Laing
Peace and Social Concerns—Paul Cammack
Stewardship—Ted Hazel
Treasurer—Ted Hazel
Statistician—Jeanne Hazel
Sunday School Superintendent—Margaret Doran
MMA Advocate—Chris Laing
FY Sponsors—Emily Henderson
YM Representatives—Jeanne Hazel, Wanda Jenkins

SHERWOOD

23264 SW Main Street
PO Box 340

Sherwood, Oregon 97140-0340

Phone: 503/625-7879

Email:

scfc@sherwoodfriends.com

Website: sherwoodfriends.com

Directions: Turn south off Highway 99W on Sunset (alongside the YMCA). Follow Sunset to second stop sign. Turn left on SW Main Street. Church is two blocks on right.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:30 a.m.

PASTORS:

Ken Vanden Hoek (Rachel)

Harold Antrim, associate pastor
(Marilyn)

Frank Canepa, children's pastor
(Debbi)

Amy Watson, youth pastor

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Anita Eck

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Dave Brown

Recording—Randall Brown

Elders—Lee Weislogel

Education—David Schlarbaum

Missions—Randall Brown

Peace and Social Concerns—

Reneé Carlson

Stewardship—Sandra Wagner

Treasurer—Tim Wenrich

Statistician—Harold Antrim

MMA Advocate—May Wallace

Camp Publicity—David Schlarbaum,

Rachel Vanden Hoek

Friends Women—Christine Brandt

Friends Men—Ken Vanden Hoek

FY Sponsor—Dave Crisman

YM Representatives—Mildred

Minthorne, Debbi Canepa, May
Wallace

SILVERTON

229 Eureka Avenue
P.O. Box 338

Silverton, Oregon 97381-0338

Phone: 503/873-5131

Fax: 503/873-6681

Email:

silvertonfriends@verizon.net

Website: www.silvertonfriends.org

Directions: I-5, in Salem, take Market Street exit to Lancaster Drive; north on Lancaster to Silverton Road. After entering Silverton continue straight (street becomes McClaine Street), right at Main Street, left on Eureka.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:

Roger Knox (Cathy)

Deborah Climer, children's pastor
(Curtis)

Betty Jo Steele, congregational care
pastor (Mark)

Gene Mulkey, ministry coordinator

Elise Tittle, adult ministries
coordinator, (Cordell)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Karen Williams

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Kevin Ortega

Recording—Nancy Britton

Elders—Curtis Climer

Education—Scott Cornwall

Missions—Joe Lynne Rader

Peace and Social Concerns—

Kevin Ortega

Stewardship—Mark Steele

Treasurer—Karen Williams

Statistician—Karen Williams

Sunday School Superintendent—

Deborah Climer

MMA Advocate—Mark Rediske

Friends Women—Deborah Climer

Friends Men—Doug Zade

YM Representatives—Ardis Drain,
Deborah Climer, Cathy Knox

SOUTH SALEM

1140 Baxter Road, SE

Salem, Oregon 97306-1528

Phone: 503/364-7476

Fax: 503/364-7712

Email: jamespike1@hotmail.com

Website: southsalemfriends.org

Directions: I-5 to Exit 252 (Kuebler); west to Commercial Street S.; south on Commercial to Baxter Road; west on Baxter two blocks.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTOR:

Jim Pike (Sharon)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Dan Kluver

Recording—Mary Kluver

Elders—Eric Hunt

Education—

Stewardship—Dan Kluver

Treasurer—Cindy Jury

Sunday School Superintendent—

Barbara Dalziel

Statistician—Cindy Jury

Camp Publicity—

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(6000 block of Maple). Church is on corner of Maple and Dalke.

MEETING TIMES:

Educational hour—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Services—

Unprogrammed—8:45 a.m.

Programmed—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:

Nick Block (Susan)

Sarah Peterson, youth pastor (Keith)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Jeannette Eaton

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—

Recording—Sarah Peterson

Elders—Dwayne Williams

Missions—Becky Williams

Peace and Social Concerns—Norm

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Directions: Hwy 97 to Chiloquin.

Turn east through Chiloquin and follow the Chiloquin/Sprague River highway for 24 miles to Sprague River. Turn at sign on hwy pointing to church - one block from sign on highway.

MEETING TIME:

Sunday School—10:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:

Tim Henry (Tonya)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—

Recording—Tonya Henry

Treasurer—Natalie Coons

YM Representatives—Tim Henry,
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of Third Street and Star Road.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:

Brent Bly, pastor (Christina)

TJ Warren, youth pastor (Denae)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Dave Davenport

Recording—Audra Hiller

Education—Sandi Hazen

Peace and Social Concerns—

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Treasurer—Gary Hazen

Statistician—Audra Hiller

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west onto Valley View Road; cross
South Pacific Hwy; turn right on
Talent Avenue; two blocks on left.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—11:00 a.m.

PASTOR:

Syd Wyncoop (Kathy)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Donna Colfax

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding—Joe Colfax

Recording—Ruth Renskers

Elders—Larry Looper

Education—LaRue Krueger

Missions—Donna Colfax

Peace and Social Concerns—

Pat Anderson

Stewardship—Ralph Kruger

Treasurer—Paul Miller

Statistician—Marie Jackson

Friends Women—Darrel Dawson

Friends Men—Owen Kruger,

Ralph Kruger

FY Sponsor—Dara Gomez

YM Representatives—Larry Looper,

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901 M Avenue

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Directions: From the west, take exit
259 (Hwy 30); go to 2nd St, turn right
and go to M Ave; turn left, one block
to 901 M Ave. From the east, take exit

261 (Hwy 82 - Island Ave), go west
into town, cross Washington (4-way
stop) then angle to the right which
becomes N Ave; turn left on 3rd St to
901 M Ave.

MEETING TIME:

Sunday Worship Service—5:00 p.m.

PASTOR:

David Arnold (Carla)

YM Representatives—David Arnold

THE SPRINGS

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Davenport, Washington 99122-8574

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MEETING TIME:

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Ed Marston (Lois)

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Tigard. I-5 to Exit 291—follow signs
toward King City. Located on corner
of Durham Road and Hall Blvd.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday School—11:10 a.m.

Sunday Worship Service—9:40 a.m.

Pastors:

Dan Cammack, pastor (Tami)

Don Walters, associate pastor (Mary)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:

Barb Thornburg

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding Clerk—Karla Minthorne

Recording Clerk—Rachel Green

Elders—Bob Monroe, Laura Jones

Education—Phil Thornburg

Missions—Kermit Olson,

Elaine Goodwin

Stewardship—Roger Watson

Treasurer—Dave Green

Statistician—Andy Crisman

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820 Blackburn Road

Mt. Vernon, WA

Directions: I-5 North to Exit 226.

Turn west onto Kincaid Street. Turn
south onto 1st Street. Turn west onto
Blackburn Road. Mount Vernon
Christian School is on south side of
the street.

MEETING TIMES:

Sunday Worship Service—10:30 a.m.

PASTORS:

Doug Wedin (Debra)

Erik Boehm (Angela)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:

Presiding Clerk—Greg Geleynse

Treasurer—Thomas Hohmann

YM Representatives—Erik Boehm

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MEETING TIMES:
Small Groups—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship—10:30 a.m.

PASTOR:
Doug Balzer (Jan)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Sheryl Doty

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Duane Delano
Recording—Sheryl Doty
Elders—Nick Abraham and Karen Cooper
Education—Jan Younce
Missions—Judie Sharpe
Peace and Social Concerns—Mel Kern
Stewardship—Judy Crosby and Dan Younce
Treasurer—Sylvia Coughtry
Statistician—Karen Zoller-Vest
Friends Women—Donna Stephenson
FY Sponsor—Julia Kinney
YM Representatives—Karen Zoller-Vest, Lila Kern, Mel Kern

WEST CHEHALEM

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Directions: From Newberg - Highway 240 west five miles; turn north (right) on Dopp Road for one mile. At stop sign, turn west (left) on North Valley Road. Church is 1/4 mile on left side of road.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:45 a.m.

PASTORS:
Paul Almquist (Nancy)
Brian Slagle, youth pastor (Amanda)

MINISTRY SUPPORT STAFF:
Jan Bell
CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Ed Fegles
Recording—MarDee McDougal
Elders—Jan Bell
Education—Darlene Gibbs
Missions—Elisabeth Harney
Peace and Social Concerns—Lon Fendall
Stewardship—Paul Lewis
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Statistician—MarDee McDougal
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YM Representatives—Ross Howard

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MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—10:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—10:00 a.m.
PASTORS:
Mike Huber (Erica)
Noël Carey, youth pastor
(Ron Crosby)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Wilbur Wood
Recording—Julie Peyton
Elders—Dover Norris-York
Education—April Messinetti
Peace and Social Concerns—Kay Ellison
Stewardship—Ralph Gilliam
Treasurer—Mitch Bixby
Statistician—Michael Huber
MMA Advocate—Doreen Crail
Camp Publicity—Barbara Reynolds
YM Representatives—Rachel Hampton, Barbara Reynolds, Wilbur Wood

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Boise, Idaho 83705-3455
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Directions: Take Exit 53 (Airport/Vista) off I-84, north on Vista to Palouse (seven blocks), west (left) at Palouse to Kerr (five blocks).

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—11:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service—9:30 a.m.

PASTOR:
Vern Barnett (Wanda)

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Gilbert Sinclair
Recording—Beverly Smith
Elders—James Montgomery
Education—Wanda Barnett
Missions—Laura McIntosh
Peace and Social Concerns—Stewardship—Laura McIntosh
Treasurer—Janice Sparling
Statistician—Kelley Smith
MMA Advocate—James Montgomery
YM Representatives—Wanda Barnett, Vern Barnett

WOODLAND

1989 Woodland Road
Kamiah, Idaho 83536-9405
Phone/Fax: 208/935-2244

Directions: Highway 12 to Kamiah. Cross bridge and turn left. Follow Woodland Road for 12 miles, staying left on main road at all junctions.

MEETING TIMES:
Sunday School—9:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship Services—11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

PASTOR:

CLERKS AND OFFICERS:
Presiding—Steve Tuning
Recording—Pamela McIntire
Elders—Phil Puckett
Education—Anna McIntire
Missions—Verla Simler
Stewardship—Frank McIntire
Treasurer—George Hunt
Statistician—Georgia Lamm
Sunday School Superintendent—Bonnie Puckett
Friends Women—Sharon Espinola
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