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#### **NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER 2021**

#### ANNUAL PROJECT LOVE FOOD DRIVE

The Annual Project Love Food Drive is happening on November 14th we will have a food drive to fill the Project Love storehouse.

We want to FILL the stage so <u>FULL</u> that Pastor will have no room to preach! Each year we make food baskets for people in our congregation and community who need a helping hand.

We hope that this can be a family event where we can all have fun by making an <u>extra</u> sacrifice of food.

We hope that this food drive will not only help at the holidays but will give us a full pantry to start the winter. *Project Love can always use everything,* but the most needed **this year** is non-sugar cereal, jam, canned pumpkin, canned fruit, cake and brownie mixes, frosting, brown sugar, canned cranberries, oil, dried beans, rice, and personal hygiene products.

Specialty items for the holidays: Turkeys, hams, potatoes, yams, apples, oranges, pumpkin pie filling. (We will mark perishable items and put them in the freezer or cooler.) Help make this miracle take place, bring your food drive items, put them on the stage, and watch Pastor Trey, see if he still has room to preach!!!

\*\*Just a reminder, we cannot use partially opened items, also please check the expiration date of all items donated.







# Cowboy Fellowship at Powell Butte Christian Church

Cowboy Fellowship is EVERY Saturday night in the Historic Chapel at 7pm.

November- 13, 20, 27 No service Nov. 6th.

#### PBCC Nursery Still Needs a FEW MORE Volunteers!

Looking to get involved? Join our team of incredible nursery volunteers!
Contact Nursery Ministry Director,
Krissa Harris, at (541) 777-084. (call or text).





No matter how long it's been since your loved one died, grief can make the holidays a painful time. But, there is HOPE! Join us for an encouraging seminar that will help you survive the holidays and discover new reasons to enjoy them again. Candle lighting to follow.

Wednesday, November 10, 2021 6:00 – 8:00 PM Powell Butte Christian Board Room RSVP to Ann A.

#### Lord's Acre 75<sup>th</sup> Edition Cookbooks go on Sale November 6, 2021



Our 75<sup>th</sup> Lord's Acre Edition cookbooks will be available for purchase on Saturday, November 6<sup>th</sup> during our Lord's Acre celebration. We will begin selling them at 9:00 am and wrap up about 2:00 pm, if we have not sold out prior to that time.

This is a special edition that includes 542 recipes, a laminated 3 ring binder and tabbed dividers.

The cost is \$20 per book. We apologize in advance that we will <u>not</u> be having pre-orders.

We will have two stations for your convenience:

<u>Craft Hall</u> – a table will be located by the stage. You can pick up your cookbooks there and pay for them at the cashier's location, along with your other purchases. <u>Great Hall</u> (outside the sanctuary). You can purchase the cookbooks directly at this station.

We ordered a limited amount so don't miss out on this great gift item for the holidays!



#### **Missionaries & Missions PBCC Supports**

AWANA - Jerry & Angie Berheim Central Christian School - Men's Bible Study Child Evangelism Fellowship - Jim and Lorella Monroe Christian Motorcycle Association - Cliff & Terri Roper Dynamic Church Planters - Paul & Cathy Becker Fellowship of Christian Athletes - Randy Hutchins Frontiers- A Mission to Reach Muslims- Narnia Frontiers Third Culture Kids -Kaycee Robinson Gideons -

Grace Networks - Cash & Lisa Lowe

Pregnancy Resource Center- Prineville
KMI Kingdomwork Ministries Intl'- DC Lundy
K & K in Uganda - Powell Butte Christian Church
McKinley Indian - Wayne and Vallerie Goodman
Medical Teams International Dental Van
Mission 4 Mexico Perspectives - Ann Andrews

Pioneer Bible Translators - Dwayne & Helen Rainwater Project Love - Tom, Mindy, Pam, DC, & Linda Samaritan's Purse - Operation Christmas Child

# "PBCC Ladies Christmas Celebration Tea" December 4, 2021, 2-4 pm PBCC Main Sanctuary

The Ladies of the planning committees are happy to share the details of our "Christmas Celebration Tea" coming December 4, 2021. Here are the details:



- a Christian Comedian Entertainer from Sacramento, CA
- Age Appropriate: 12 years and up
   Our younger

children will be blessed with a very special presentation from our speaker, Cecile, in Kingdom Kids the very next day during the 10:30 church service.

- PBCC Ladies and invited guests, planning to attend, MUST have a ticket to come to the "Tea". Signups and tickets will be handed out during and after church services November 7th, 14th, and 21 st. remember to get your ticket(s).
- There will be Christmas decorations on each table. We will seat six ladies around the tables to provide distance for everyone. Random seating!
- For dessert, we will be asking several PBCC ladies, who are attending, to bring a pie or cake the Friday before to the kitchen in the Fellowship Hall. We will be serving individual desserts wrapped up for you to choose. Coffee, tea, and water will be available. We will be using all paper goods and plastic ware.
- Set-up will be Friday, Dec. 3rd from 2-4. Anyone interested in helping we will welcome you with happy faces.

- · Clean-up following the event.
- Each lady attending will receive a beautiful bookmark with our Women's Ministries events coming 2022. Also, please look at our shadow, box across from the office, advertising our event.
- Soft Christmas carols will be playing during the fellowship time before our speaker.

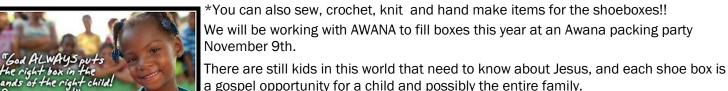
Any questions about our Women's Ministries event, please contact Cindy F. Blessings, Cindy

#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Operation Christmas Child will be happening as usual this year! Grab a box or 2 or 10 and fill!! Please find a WOW item (see brochure for ideas) and school supplies are something some kids need and cannot attend school without school supplies. Then fill up with hygiene items, toothbrush, (no toothpaste is allowed), bar of soap in original wrapper, washcloth. You can add age appropriate toys, clothing etc. Anything that can fit in your box can go!

Remember NO CANDY and NO shampoo, bubbles or anything liquid, (again see brochure for DO NOT PACK ITEMS). You can also include a picture, your address or email address, sometimes you can hear back from a family if they are able. (Pictures are some of the favorite items kids receive!)

Start filling your shoeboxes NOW!



Boxes available NOW in the GREAT HALL and FELLOWSHIP HALL.

Please consider how you can bring in a gift filled shoebox!

PBCC Collection Date is Sunday November 14

Ouestions?? Contact Jeanne in the office, or call 541-548-3066





#### CHRISTMAS CONCERT

You are invited to a part-concert, part-sing-along on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, at 6pm.

Pastor Trey will once again be at the piano, playing many of our Christmas favorites. And, of course, all will be encouraged to sing along for most of the numbers presented that night. So mark you calendars now and plan on coming out for a delightful evening of songs of the season.



#### **NATIVITY NEEDS**



We are still in need of someone to step into the supervisor position for our Live Drive-Thru Nativity for this year. This position involves someone who can organize and oversee the whole process from beginning to end, as well as manage a large number of people in a productive and positive way. If you feel like this is something you might be able to do, please contact Pastor Trey immediately at 541-480-7082, or by email at pbcc@powellbuttechurch.com, to find out more about the position.

#### ADVENT READERS FOR DECEMBER

pbcc@powellbuttechurch.com.

It is always such a treat to have couples and families step up to help us celebrate the Advent (the Coming of Christ) Season in our Sunday morning services throughout the month of December. Pastor Scott will be equipping the readers this year with scripture and devotional readings to present at the 8:30, 10:30, and 11:30 services each week from November 28 through December 19. If you and your spouse or you and your family would like to be involved, please contact Pastor Scott at



AERRY& JOIN US FOR COCOA, COOKIES & CAROLING

> Powell Butte Christian Church Sunday, December 12 at 4pm

> > RSVP Krissa H



#### "Team Feed" is here and serving many children, families, and community folks!

We are feeding them and they are coming. PBCC has begun a new mission to provide a meal for our Awana children on Tuesday evenings. This will be an addition to the meals that are being provided for the middle and high school students on Wednesday nights. The AWANA and Forged Youth programs are very beneficial for our young people.



Every Tuesday before AWANA Club we are serving a free dinner for AWANA kids, families and others in our community. As of the end of October we have served 343 meals on AWANA night and 80 meals on Forged Youth night. Praise God for the volunteers and faithful hearts that have stepped up to make this ministry come to fruition thus far.

Each week of AWANA, we will have a nutritious meal available, **served between 5 – 5:45pm**, free of charge\*. We hope that this will (among other things) help AWANA families who find themselves "flying low," trying to get their children from school and to the church for AWANA. This same menu will be prepared for our Forged Youth kids on Wednesday evenings as well.

The team that will be preparing and serving the AWANA meals on Tuesday evenings are asking families to consider how they might be able to help – either on a weekly basis, a bi-weekly, or even monthly on a rotation. We're looking for:

Set-up Team Members (4pm)

Prep Team Members (4pm)

Child care helpers (4-6:00 pm)

Servers (5-5:45pm)

Clean-up Team Members (5:45-6:30pm)

Shoppers (various times)

The Mission Meal ministry meals on Tuesday evenings will follow the AWANA year calendar. The Forged Youth meals will continue being prepared and served on Wednesday evenings (as we have done this past year) and follow the public school calendar. Helpers are already in place for the Wednesday evening meals.

If you would like more information, or to let us know of your desire to participate, please contact Ronda at (520) 289-5725 or by email at <u>pbcc@powellbuttechurch.com</u>.

\*The meal is absolutely free, but donations are always accepted to pay it forward for other families to be able to eat a hot meal on a weekly basis.

**Coming soon...**look for the food donation board in both the fellowship and great hall. You will have an opportunity to help provide the ingredients necessary for our weekly meals.

#### November 2021 Menu

#### Nov. 2 (AWANA, families, congregation and community folks)

Spaghetti feed

Garden Salad

Bread sticks

#### Nov. 9 & 10

Taco Bar

**Beans** 

Spanish rice

#### Nov. 16 & 17

Chili

Cornbread

Garden Salad

#### Thanksgiving Week

#### **AWANA & Youth do not meet**

Nov. 30 & Dec. 1

BBQ Hamburgers & Hotdogs

Chips

Cheese slices, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles

Garden Salad



#### **Getting to Know Your NEW Pastor- Scott B.**

I was born in California, but moved to Bend when I was five-years-old. My dad worked for Bend Title Company and later Brooks Resources. My mom worked for SAIF Corporation. I have one brother, four years younger, who lives in North Carolina. Even though my family did not attend church, we would join most of Central Oregon in attending the Lord's Acre celebrations at Powell Butte Church, little knowing that someday I would be a part of the staff here. As a high school student, I was invited by a friend to the Youth Group at First Baptist in downtown Bend. The Youth Pastor, Dave Douglass, met with me once per week to share Bible verses and the Gospel with me. I accepted Jesus in to my heart, and that decision provided a pathway for my life with no looking back! I graduated from Bend High in 1983, and I went on to college at Oregon State where I began working with youth ministry at my church there. I felt I owed my salvation to youth ministry, and I wanted to give back. I've worked with students ever since then in one capacity or another. At Oregon State, I was a cadet in the Air Force ROTC program and was commissioned as an officer in 1987 when I graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Classical History (Greece and Rome). I went on to flight school at Mather AFB, California for a year, and then was assigned to fly C-141 cargo planes. While in the Air Force, I furthered my college education by obtaining a Master's in Business Administration (MBA) degree through Touro University.

In the Air Force, I flew C-141 cargo planes to six continents, taught flying on T-43 navigator trainers as a flight instructor, and ran the wing commander's staff at two bases. I had the great opportunity to be immersed in the cultures of over 70 countries while flying, working for Senator Bill Bradley of New Jersey, and working for and meeting with President Bill Clinton as an operations officer in Joint Task Force Shining Hope where our task was a humanitarian mission to support refugees fleeing Kosovo for Albania. During my last seven years in the Air Force, I was promoted to Major and served as the staff officer who ran the command post for five different generals on two bases. I served as an administrator managing a staff of 25 airmen in 24/7 wing commander operations centers of Randolph Air Force Base in San Antonio, Texas and Beale Air Force Base in Northern California.

Although the Air Force was my full-time profession. I never let go of my passion of serving my home churches through youth ministry. In Texas, I had the great honor of being on the ground floor of a new type of youth ministry at Wayside Chapel EFC. We introduced 250 students to a discipleship model of ministry by dividing all students into small groups with adult leaders. We took out the games and provided a straight-forward study method approach to learning scripture. As a result, our youth ministry grew from 250-400 students in just over a year. I also served as a volunteer for the church's youth choir ministry where we took our choir of 50-60 students into county youth detention facilities all over Texas to spread the Gospel to youth who had made some poor choices in life. To this day, I'm still involved in the lives of many of the students from Texas who are now in their 40s! Also in Texas, I was an active member of formal Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) training seminars for over seven years where we studied the Bible through intense scripture lessons and lectures—by far, the best Bible training I've ever received. I also had the great opportunity to receive formal training for several years through Youth Specialties, a youth pastor publishing and training company. For two years, I was able to serve on their leadership teams for youth pastor conventions and DC/LA where I spoke to over 6,000 students about their role in the Body of Christ! When the youth pastor at Wayside branched out to a new church plant of our church, he brought me along where I began a youth ministry as the youth pastor of 25-30 students for over a year. Unfortunately, I had to leave Texas when I was transferred to Beale AFB in California, but God was still in charge! I was placed next to the head chaplain of the base during our weekly staff meetings with the general. After the chaplain heard of my experience, he asked me to start a youth ministry though the base chapel. Within a year, we had over 50 students attending regularly for youth group, Bible studies and events. God is amazing!

Since leaving the Air Force, I've pursued my passion for youth by becoming a teacher. I returned to Oregon State and picked up another Bachelor's Degree in Secondary Education and another Master's Degree in Teaching. I found great fortune when I was hired to be a teacher at Crook County Middle School in Prineville. Prineville was always a second home for me since my grandparents lived there for years and are buried on the hill. I have since taught eighth grade for six years as an English Language

#### Continued...

Arts teacher (yes, grammar counts) and for two plus years as a seventh grade Social Studies teacher. I was surprised and humbled when Pamplin Media Group, an Oregon newspaper conglomerate, recognized my efforts when they named me as the Amazing Educator for Crook County in 2021! Although middle school students can be challenging, I wouldn't consider teaching any other grades! Their energy, sense of humor, curiosity, and age of self-discovery make them an exciting group of people to be around. Plus, they're just plain goofballs full of entertainment value! Outside of school, I have also been a volunteer for Crook County's YoungLife and Fellowship of Christian Athlete ministries. I plan on continuing my relationships with students through those ministries as my profession changes once again by accepting the call to be your new Associate Pastor.

With every aspect of my life, I believe God has led me to this point in time at Powell Butte Christian Church and in my life! I'm ready to serve Him as I've always served, but in a new capacity. Although my passion for youth has not diminished, I believe my dedication to spreading the Gospel of Jesus throughout Central Oregon and beyond has placed me here and now. I'm excited to see how God will use me in new ways as I combine my administrative and ministry experiences together professionally for the first time. I'm also completely humbled at the task before me. We love, worship, and serve an awesome God, and my prayer is that my plans don't get in His way; that my agenda is His agenda! 1 Cor 10:31 says that no matter what we do, we should do it all for the glory of God. Although my formal title has changed from hey dude, to Major, to Mister, and now to Pastor, my heart title will always aim to be servant. In that spirit, I can't tell you how amazed and excited I am to be able to serve our great God alongside the truly wonderful people at Powell Butte CC! Since I was a child, I have been fully aware of the great legacy the founders of this church have left us. When I sat and prayed in the historic chapel alone a couple of weeks ago, the Holy Spirit pressed on my heart the shepherding responsibility of being the answer to many prayers that have been made in that beautiful room for nearly a century now. The church may be 77 years old, but I'm convinced that our story has only just begun! Let us serve Him together with distinction and honor bringing glory to His name!

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#### From the desk of Suzan Beam, Life Skills Ministry Youth Coach



#### **School Problems in Adolescents**

by

<u>Sharon Levy</u>, MD, MPH, Harvard Medical School Last full review/revision Sep 2020

School constitutes a large part of an adolescent's existence. Difficulties in almost any area of life often manifest as school problems.

<u>Learning disorders</u> may manifest for the first time as school becomes more demanding, particularly among bright children who previously had been able to accommodate for their areas of weakness.

Sometimes, mild <u>intellectual disability</u> that was not recognized earlier in life causes school problems. Behavior problems that developed earlier in childhood, such as <u>attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder</u>, may continue to cause school problems for adolescents.

Particular school problems include

- Fear of going to school
- Absenteeism without permission (truancy)
- Dropping out
- Academic underachievement (particularly a change in grades or a drop in performance)

Between 1% and 5% of adolescents develop <u>fear of going to school</u>. This fear may be generalized or related to a particular person (a teacher or another student—see also <u>Bullying</u>) or event at school (such as physical education class). The adolescent may develop physical symptoms, such as abdominal pain, or may simply refuse to go to school. School personnel and family members should identify the reason, if any, for the fear and encourage the adolescent to attend school.

Adolescents who are repeatedly truant or drop out of school have made a conscious decision to miss school. These adolescents generally have poor academic achievement and have had little success with or felt little satisfaction resulting from participation in school-related activities. They often have engaged in high-risk behaviors, such as having unprotected sex, taking drugs, and engaging in violence. Adolescents at risk of dropping out should be made aware of other educational options, such as vocational training and alternative programs.

School problems during the adolescent years may be the result of

- Rebellion and a need for independence (most common)
- Mental health disorders, such as <u>anxiety</u> or <u>depression</u>
- Substance use
- Family conflict
- Learning disorders
- Behavior disorders

As adolescents begin to seek more freedom, their desire to do so may clash with their parents' desire to keep them safe. Adolescents rebel in various ways, such as refusing to attend school or drinking alcohol. Adolescents who are anxious or depressed may refuse therapy or stop taking their prescribed drugs. All of these challenging behaviors can cause problems within the family and at school.

#### **Diagnosis of School Problems in Adolescents**

• Learning and mental health evaluations

In general, adolescents with significant school problems should undergo complete learning and mental health evaluations.

#### **Treatment of School Problems in Adolescents**

• Treatment of cause

School problems, especially when related to learning or attention difficulties, should be addressed by clinicians, working together with school personnel and parents. If a learning disorder or intellectual disability is present, appropriate services should be provided through an individualized educational plan (IEP). Environmental changes and sometimes drug therapy can be of great help to struggling students.

If you or your son or daughter are interested in seeking support from this ministry, please contact Suzan at *pbcc@powellbuttechurch.com*, or leave a message with Jeanne at the church office.



### SCHEDULE



#### 18th Annual 10K RUN | 5K WALK

Pre-register by Oct. 30th \$25. After Oct. 30 and day of race \$30.

Race Begins 9:00 (Registration at 7:00)



Choose From Homemade: Rhubarb, Apple, Cherry, Pumpkin, Peach, Strawberry-Rhubarb, Oregon Berry, Marionberry, Mincemeat and Many Cream Filled Varieties!

#### MEAT SALES 9:00 Located in the school cafeteria

#### BAKERY 9:00

Located in the worship center. Whole pies & cinnamon rolls - \$15

## COUNTRY STORE

Located in the school gym. Crafts western, garden, candy, novelties, antiques & more!

#### CONCERT 10:30

Located in the worship center

#### **BARBEQUE 11:30**

BBQ dinner consisting of pit roasted beef, lamb & ham. Baked potato, beans and all the fixins \$12 per person

# COUNTRY AUCTION — 1:00 —

Located in the school gym. Includes quilts, afghans, comforters, hay, firewood and other donated items

# Please join us for our 75TH ANNUAL Sords Acre Day!

#### Saturday, November 6, 2021

POWELL BUTTE CHRISTIAN CHURCH (& Powell Butte School) 13720 SW Highway 126 Powell Butte, OR

#### 75 Years! Here's what started it all...

At a Church Board Meeting on April 27, 1947, it was decided to call a meeting to work out a plan whereby they might be able to raise money for a church building. The motion was made that, "We as a church enter into the program as follows: The Powell Butte Lord's Acre Project". The idea was adopted from the Farmer's Federation in South Carolina who initiated "The Lord's Acre" to help members of African-American churches to finance their needs. Originally, each farm family was to donate the yield from one acre of land to the Lord's work – thus the name "Lord's Acre". The funds from the first few Lord's Acre sales were used to construct & maintain our historic sanctuary, but from the beginning at least ten percent of the proceeds went to missions.

Lord's Acre has drawn many honored guests over the years. Many politicians took advantage of the large crowds & made appearances.



Senator John F. Kennedy, his wife Jackie & Mrs. Lonnie (Nola) Yates with the quilt she made for the auction that was purchased by the Kennedys.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

powellbuttechurch.com 541-548-3066 Call for Race Entry Form

# **OVEMBER 2021**



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
	1 Elders Mt. 6:30pm	2 8am L. A. Bean Prep Mission Meal 5pm Awana 6pm	3 9am Pie Shells Rolling dough NO Youth Group	4 7:30 am Cinnamon Rolls	5 8 am Pumpkin Pies 2 pm Cream Pies	6 75TH Annual Lord's Acre 8am-2pm	
7 Worship Services*  Fall Back	8	9 Mission Meal 5pm AWANA 6pm	10 Men's Bible Study 7am Women's Bible Study 9am Youth Group 6pm	VETERANS DAY GOT Mt. 6:30	12 OFFICE CLOSED	COWBOY CHURCH	
14 Worship Services* Fill the Pantry and Operation Christmas Child Sunday	15 Ladies Quilting 9am Board Mt. 6:30 pm	16 Ladies Quilting 9am Mission Meal 5pm AWANA 6pm	17 Men's Bible Study 7am Women's Bible Study 9am Youth Group 6pm	18	19 OFFICE CLOSED	COWBOY CHURCH	
21 Worship Services*	22 Ladies Quilting 9am	23 Ladies Quilting 9am Mission Meal 5pm AWANA 6pm	24 Men's Bible Study 7am NO Youth Group	Thanksgiving	26 OFFICE CLOSED	27  COWBOY CHURCH 7pm	
28 Worship Services*	29 Ladies Quilting 9am	30 Ladies Quilting 9am			*Worship Services: Saturday Night Cowboy Church - 7pm		

November Birthdays





SUNDAYS:

8:30am In person and online

10:30 am In person and online

Don't see

Mission Meal 5pm

AWANA 6pm

your birthday or anniversary listed here? Call the office at 541-548-3066 and give us your birthday and/or anniversary so we can