## Local Announcements

**Little lamb's time offering continues every Sabbath.** The children will pick up money from the congregation and take it up front to put into a wood school to raise money for student aid for TVA.

**Mid-week Bible Study!** Pastor Vio invites you to a Bible study meeting at church. Each Thursday at 10:30 am, we will meet to read and study the Word. Everyone is invited! Bring your Bible, invite a friend, and enjoy journeying through God's Word.

**Tualatin Valley Academy** Game, food and more! Pupusa Pickup on the same day Sunday October 27, 3-6 pm. Pupusas is for 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip fundraiser. Sign up through the OR code, online, or reach out to Mrs. Rojas. <u>KARINNA.ROJAS@TUALATINVALLEYACADE,U.ORG</u> Types of Pupusas, beans only, cheese only, and beans and cheese. Cost each pupusa is \$3.75

**The Adventist Book Center's Fall Case Food & Book Sale** is October 3 – November 4, 2024. Sale prices are also good for all delivery locations. You can also go to <u>www.abcflyer.com</u> and click the sale flyer link.

## **Other Announcements**

**Disaster Response Training** on **Sunday**, **October 27**, **9:30 am. Certification Class in Donations and Warehousing Operations.** Registration begins at 8:30 am. The class is from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. The cost is **\$20.00** per person and it covers the Manual, Disaster Response Tshirt, ID Badge and Lunch. Training will be conducted at the Oregon Conference Board Room at Gladstone. If you plan on attending, please register using this

link: https://orad.us/acsgladstoneTraining2024 If you have difficulty registering online, please contact your ACS DR Director, Pastor Dauncey at 971.901.7240 by texting or calling in advance so we can prepare enough materials and lunch. Please register by October 21.

**Portland Adventist Academy Scholarship Fundraiser on November 3.** PAA invites you to our Annual Student Scholarship Fundraiser on Sunday, November 3rd at 4:30 PM. This year's theme is Welcome to the Jungle. Visit our website at <u>paasda.orgauction</u> for details about tickets, ways you can be involved, or options to donate. If you can't be there in person, you can participate online. Thank you for supporting PAA.

**I am really excited about the North American Division's prayer and outreach initiative**--Pentecost 2025. I believe that the Lord is calling us to do something huge and tremendously impactful in 2025. To learn more about this initiative go to the following website: <u>https://pentecost2025.com/</u> Pentecost 2025 is a massive mobilization of Seventh-day Adventist churches in North America: 1. To pray for the Holy Spirit's outpouring and power (starting now in 2024), 2. To proclaim the Gospel with the Holy Spirit's power (in 2025). We have been looking for revival in our church for a long time. This is our opportunity to seek it together and make it happen. As Ellen White wrote so eloquently, "revival need be expected only in answer to prayer." In connection with Pentecost 2025, the NPUC is inviting everyone to pray both privately and corporately for the Holy Spirit during the month of October 2024. Here is a link with all the information you need to participate: <u>https://nwadventists.com/news/2024/09/pentecost-2025-call-prayer</u> Just as a reminder, the Oregon Conference prayer ministries continues to hold ZOOM prayer meetings every third Tuesday at 7:30pm. Everyone in Oregon conference is invited to be part of this! We will be continuing this during the month of October. We are praying for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. https://orad.us/OCPrayerMeeting ID:93041082161 Passcode:235079 Feel free to contact me if you have any questions: Andre.scalfani@oc.npuc.org

**ACS Responds to Hurricanes -** Adventist Community Services (ACS) is on the ground responding to the needs of those affected by Hurricanes Helene and Milton. The NPUC has deployed a team of 7 volunteers including Oregon Conference Disaster Response Director, M. Dauncey to Augusta, Georgia to run and maintain a warehouse there with additional teams from the NPUC including trained OC church members to be deployed in the near future. To donate to the recovery efforts visit **acsdonate.maxcheckout.com** and select DISASTER RESPONSE from the dropdown menu.

**Join Us for the 2024 Follow The Star Season!** We are looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help make this year's Follow The Star, live nativity event a memorable experience for everyone. We need help in the following areas: Set Dressing, Costuming, Actors, Parking Lot Attendants, Hospitality, Childcare, and more! If you are interested in being part of this incredible program, please join us for our Dinner Theater Event on Sunday, October 27 from 4 to 6 pm at the Cafeteria on the Oregon Conference Campgrounds. (19500 Oatfield Rd, Gladstone, OR 97027). This will be a wonderful opportunity to get to know our amazing community and find out how you can contribute to making this event a success. Don't miss out on this chance to be part of something special! For more information, go to: <u>followthestarevent.com</u> Tickets go on sale November 4 at 9 am. Join our team and get early access to tickets! Performance Dates: December 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15. Gladstone Park Seventh-day Adventist Church, 503-655-2614