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Graduation Recognition June 1, 9:00 and 10:30 services

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DISCIPLE

Dr. Priscilla Pope Levison,

Assistant Director of Theology and
Assistant Director of Women's Studies & Theology
at Seattle Pacific University,

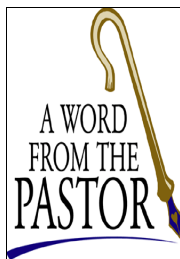
Host to the video portion of Disciple V: *Jesus in the Gospels*
will be guest preacher and present our

Recognition of Disciples Graduation

Sunday, June 8

9:00 and 10:30 services

“The Christian Life as Journey”



Last month we looked at the way Marcus Borg discusses the three primary stories of the Bible in his book *Meeting Jesus Again for the First Time*. We concluded that article by saying that if we see all three as being informative in our faith (exodus, exile and priestly) and not limiting our imaging the

Christian life to just the priestly, then we have a more holistic approach to the scriptures. **If we look at the three images as a whole there are four elements that they all three share.**

First, all of them are stories about suffering and/or being at a distance from God. **Second**, all of them make powerful affirmations not just about the human condition, but also about God. They portray God as intimately involved with human life. There is a power that wills our liberation, a light shining in the darkness that invites us home from exile, a compassionate presence that accepts us just as we are, even though we may not yet know that ourselves. **Third**, all of them are thus stories of hope. **Fourth**, all are stories of a journey. It is a journey leading from bondage and exile. It is a journey of liberation and homecoming. It is a journey toward God that is also with God. Thus we have three macro-stories for imaging the religious life, each addressing a different dimension of the human condition. Some need liberation; others need homecoming, and others need acceptance. But, beneath their difference, the stories all image the Christian life as a journey whose central quality is a deepening and transforming relationship with God.

The New Testament has a journey story of its own – the story of discipleship. The meaning of the word disciple is the initial clue. While we often use it to mean to be “a student or a teacher,” it really means to be “a follower after somebody.” Disciple-

ship is a following or journey with Jesus. The story is not just about the past, but also about us. As a journeying with Jesus, discipleship means being on the road with him. It means to be an itinerant and a sojourner. To journey with Jesus means listening to his teaching – sometimes understanding it, sometimes not quite getting it. That journey is in his company, in his presence in which there is joy. It means eating at his table and experiencing his banquet. This meal is an inclusive banquet, including not just me and not just us, but those we tend to exclude. It means being nourished and fed by him.

Journeying with Jesus also means to be in a community, to become part of the alternative community of Jesus. Discipleship is not an individual path. It is the road less traveled; yet it involves being in a community that remembers and celebrates Jesus. Though this is not the only role of the church, it is its primary role. John Shea’s apt description of the church is “*Gather the folks, tell the stories, break the bread.*”

Any discipleship involves becoming compassionate. “Be compassionate as God is compassionate” is the defining mark of the follower of Jesus. It is the fruit of life in the Spirit and the ethos of the community of Jesus. Thus we have what I would call a *transformist* understanding of the Christian life, an image of the Christian life that is rich and full. It is a vision of the Christian life as a journey of transformation exemplified by the story of discipleship. It is an image of the Christian life not primarily as believing or as being good, but as a relationship with God. That relationship transforms us into more and more compassionate beings, “into the likeness of Christ.” Meeting that Jesus—the living Jesus who comes to us even now—will be like meeting Jesus again for the first time. I hope if you have been excited about this series, you will want to read the whole book!

Pastor Jim Lewis

Peace With Justice Sunday – June 1st

Peace with Justice Sunday witnesses to God’s demand for a faithful, just, disarmed and secure world. Half of the funds from the day’s special offering are used for Peace with Justice ministries in our PNW Annual Conference and the other half are used by the General Board of Church and Society, which oversees the same ministry for our entire denomination. The 1988 General Conference established **Peace with Justice Sunday** as the first Sunday after Pentecost; however, with the Confirmation of our youth on that day, we will instead have a focus and special offering on Sunday, June 1st. Please support this important ministry of our church.

Pentecost/Peace Doves Fly!

Many thanks to the many who took part in folding the doves that now hang in the sanctuary and narthex. And the team that made them fly are: Marilyn Johnson, Norma Gale, Ruth Tervol, Laurie McGhee, Glory Mikkelson, Betty Warner, Marianne Davis, Lane DeLarme, Asher DeLarme, Brandt DeLarme, June Remick (Pastor Shirley's sister), Don Craighead, and Miki Craighead.

In Memory of Barbara Morris

Just a word of personal thanks for your competent care and kindness to my sister Barbara. The memorial service was exactly right for us, reflecting the great love and respect we have for Barbara, focusing on her lovingness and talents under girded by her strong faith the shared humor and love really did reflect her life. I appreciated your candor and your guidance of the family toward hospice care.

Blessings on you always and on your wonderful and supportive congregation.

Warmest regards,

Merrillann Hutchinson



Thank you to the members of PUMC for your care, calls, cards, and concerns after my hip replacement surgery. Especially many thanks for your prayers. They have all been a huge morale booster. Hoping to be able to return to church soon.

Richard Beaubien

Thank you prayer shawl ladies:

Thank you for the prayer shawl. Pastor Jim presented it to me in the hospital. It came at the perfect time for going home to keep warm and has continued to be a great comfort to me.

Richard Beaubien



New Adult Members Received and to be Received


We welcomed three new adult members to our congregation on Sunday, May 11th. **Janis Cupp** transferred from the Summit UMC. She especially is interested in ministry that involves worship. **Megan Ernst** joined by letter of transfer from the Trinity Lutheran Church in Tacoma. **Jamie Smith** joined by confession of faith. Both Megan and Jamie are interested in Adult Ministries with a special focus on young adult activities.

We will have one final opportunity to join while Pastor Jim Lewis is with us. If you are interested in joining on **Sunday, June 15th** please contact either Pastor Jim or Pastor Shirley. What a great way to celebrate Father's Day!

Thank This Serviceman

Notes of encouragement are welcome, to Becky McCord's son stationed in Iraq:

PFC McCord, Joseph
A Co Task Force 1-6
Camp Taji
APO AE 09378



Say a prayer for...

- Jim DuBey—recovering at home
- Steve Roberts—recovering from hip replacement
- Randy Peacock had surgery May 28
- Marion Bye—broke her hip
- Tanner Mitchell (Confirmand from Sumner UMC) hit by a car
- Don Anderson in Rainier Vista
- Allie Johnson—very weak, at home
- Dorothy Michaelis in Rainier Vista
- Preservation of all our servicemen
- Serving in Iraq are: Kelly Kindig, Jason Brown and Joe McCord

Women's Book Club

Hope to see you all on June 27 when we look at *March* by Geraldine Brooks. We always have an interesting discussion and great fellowship. Bring a friend. We meet at 7 pm in the Cottage.

JANE HARVEY CIRCLE

You are invited to share in the fellowship of the Jane Harvey Circle and a Salad Potluck Supper.

On June 4, 2008 at 6:30 P.M. we will meet in the Fireside Room where we will bring a salad and a story to share about a "VERY IMPORTANT PERSON" in your life. The story could be about a Grandparent, an Aunt or Uncle, a Youth Leader, or a Parent that made an impact on your life.

We will discuss the upcoming rummage sale for the Family Renewal Shelter to be held on July 26th – the Armory Dinner on July 30th – Coffee Hour on June 29th and August 24th and our leadership for next fall. Do come and enjoy the "fellowship of friends", and "doing good".

Many Blessings,

Lisa, Sherry, Nancy and Ruth

All Church Conference Sunday, June 8th

Come early!

The Church Council has requested an All Church Conference on Sunday, June 8th at 10:00 am (between the services) for the purpose of the election of officers. Since our church officers go from July 1st to June 30th each year, this is the time for making these important decisions on the laity who will lead our church's ministry into the coming year. We urge those at the 9:00 to remain after the service and those who attend at 10:30 to come a half hour earlier that morning.

Retirement Celebration June 22, 2-4 pm

Clear your calendar and plan to be here Sunday afternoon, June 22nd, to give Pastor Jim Lewis a proper send-off.



Confirmation 2007-2008

Eatonville

Cheyenne Bailey
Joe Kilts

Orting

Jeffrey Straughn

Parkland

Caitlin Crane

Puyallup

Kari Dutcher
Ashley Ellis
Kylie Engelking
Brandon Henrie
Allison McCormack
Celia Peacock
Teresa Zavala

Puyallup: Light of the Hill

Jordyn Barger
Arden Borden
Alyssa Burns
Rachel Burns
Ally Miller
Mark Newberry
Jessica Powell
Amy Smith
Henson Smith
Kalina Wickham

Spanaway

Chris Aumua

Sumner

Gerardo Guzman
Tanner Mitchell
Curtis Voss

Lakewood

Chelsea Harbottle
AJ Harper

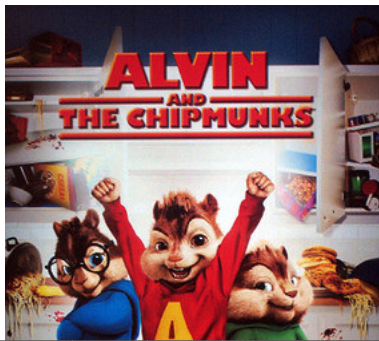
June 1—14, 2008

June 1 Sunday	June 2 Monday	June 3 Tuesday	June 4 Wednesday	June 5 Thursday	June 6 Friday	June 7 Saturday
<p>8:15 am Graduation Breakfast</p> <p>9 & 10:30 am Worship Services</p> <p>4:00 pm Music Festival Sanctuary</p> <p>4—6 pm Youth Team VBS Planning Room 7</p> <p>6:00 pm Adult only Mission Team Room 10</p> <p>6:30 pm combined Youth Group Wesley Hall</p>	<p>7:00 pm Worship Ministries Room 7</p>	<p>10:30 am Lay Leadership Conference Rm</p> <p>11:00 am Yoga Fireside Room</p> <p>7:00 pm Worship Committee Conference Rm</p>	<p>9:00 am Lectionary Conference Rm</p> <p>6:00 pm Music Team Sanctuary</p> <p>6:30 pm Beginnings Cottage</p> <p>6:30 pm Jane Harvey Circle Salad Potluck Fireside Room</p>	<p>11:00 am Yoga Fireside Room</p> <p>1:00 pm Cancer Support Fireside Room</p> <p>6:00 pm Handbells Room 5</p> <p>6:30 pm Theology at the Pub Milton Tavern</p> <p>7-8:30 pm City of Puyallup Fireside Room</p> <p>7:30 pm Chancel Choir Sanctuary</p>	<p>7:00 pm Family Movie Night <i>ALVIN and the Chipmunks</i> Wesley Hall</p>	<p>8:30—3:00 Beginnings Fireside Room</p> <p>9—12 am Work Party</p> <p>6—10 pm Young Adult BBQ Outdoors, weather permitting</p> <p>6:15 pm Disciple I Cottage</p>
June 8 Sunday	June 9 Monday	June 10 Tuesday	June 11 Wednesday	June 12 Thursday	June 13 Friday	June 14 Saturday
<p>9 & 10:30 am Worship Services</p> <p>10:00 am All Church Conference Election of Officers Wesley Hall</p> <p>12:00 pm Whitney Ad Council Cottage</p> <p>6:30 pm combined Youth Group Wesley Hall</p>	<p>12:30 pm Library Committee Conference Rm</p> <p>7-9 pm Children's Health Forum Wesley Hall</p>	<p>11:00 am Yoga Fireside Room</p> <p>7:00 pm Finance Committee Conference Rm</p> <p>7:00 pm Outreach Cottage</p>	<p>9:00 am Lectionary Conference Rm</p> <p>6:00 pm Music Team Sanctuary</p> <p>7:00 pm SPR Conference Room</p>	<p>11:00 am Yoga Fireside Room</p> <p>6:00 pm Handbells Room 5</p> <p>6:30 pm Church Council Fireside Room</p> <p>7:30 pm Chancel Choir Sanctuary</p>		<p>7:30 am UMM Breakfast Hangar Inn</p> 

Family Movie Night: *Alvin & the Chipmunks*

**Friday,
June 6, 7 pm
Free Admission**

Bring an adult to stay with you. If you want, bring snacks/drinks—maybe “chipmunk food” for us chipmunk lovers!



Youth News

Events Calendar	
May 31	10-noon, Setup for Graduation Breakfast
June 1	8:15am Graduation Breakfast; 4-6pm Mt. Zion Mission Team VBS Planning Session, 6:30 combined Youth Group
June 8	Combined Youth Group
June 15	4-6 pm Mt Zion Mission Team VBS Planning Session. No Youth Group.
June 16-20	Annual Conference Pages
June 22	4-6 pm Mt. Zion Mission Team Last Things
June 25	6:30 pm Packing the Vans
June 26	4 am Mission Team Departure
July 6	6:30 pm Ice Cream Sundae's w/ Mountains of Whipped Cream Fun to welcome Paolo Berney & our 6 th grade graduates.

Mt Zion 2008

Please pray for us as we prepare & go.

Adult & Youth Mission Teams to New Orleans June 26-July 4, 2008

Why we go:

Mission: Continue in partnership with sister church, Mt. Zion UMC

Mission: Be part of God's renewing work in the city of New Orleans

Mission: Grow in our own discipleship to Christ and closer to God

Mission: Learn more about myself and others of God's people

Next Events:

June 1, 4-6pm Youth Team plans VBS

June 15, 4-6pm Youth Team plans VBS

June 22, 4-6pm Adult & Youth Teams for Last Things

June 25, 6:30pm with luggage to pack the vans

June 26, 4am departure: SeaTac, Houston, New Orleans!

YOUNG ADULTS

(ages 18-33ish)

☐ **Theology at the Pub** Next meets **June 5, 6:30 pm**, at the Milton Tavern, no host eats and beverages, bring burning questions or theological stumpers, or just come to hear what others might have to say.*

☐ **Saturday, June 7 BBQ, Volley Ball, & Bonfire at Puyallup UMC** with adults from around the Conference.

Who: You, and other young adults.

What: BBQ, Volleyball, and Bonfire.

Where: Puyallup United Methodist Church @ 1919 W Pioneer Ave, Puyallup, WA 98371



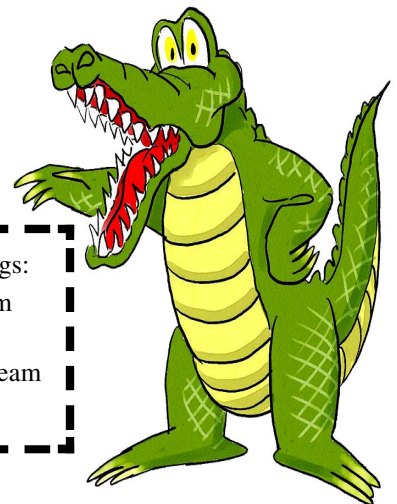
Bring Your Own Meat and a side dish to share. Drinks will be provided

☐ **Climb a Mountain, Build an Orphanage: Hiking-Camping-Mission-Extravaganza! August 15-17** Mt. Adams multi-ability hiking, eating, worship, friend-making, and more! Patrick can tell you more**. (See page 7)

☐ **Rafting the Deschutes River August 29-September 1**, hosted by the Snohomish UMC. Watch for more info or contact snohomishumc@earthlink.net

* To get on the e-mailing list for Young Adult notices, contact Monte Windsor at monte@montewindsor.com

**Patrick Scriven, Conference Youth & Young Adult Coordinator, has more information on Conference Events. Contact him at 206-304-9284 or pscriven@pnwumc.org



Adult TeamS Meetings:	
◆	Adult-Only Team 6 pm June 1st
◆	Youth Leaders Team 4 pm June 8th

Lay Leadership

The Lay Leadership Committee has been actively working on calling people to ministry in many different areas for the coming year. We hope to be ready for the 10:00 am All Church Conference on June 8th. We are still in need of persons who have the passion and willingness to serve in some of the following ministries of our congregation. While the needs may have changed somewhat by the time you receive this, our current needs include: persons for both the **Children's and Youth Councils**; several additional people on the **Outreach, Social Justice, and Inviting ministries**; one more person for the **Trustees**, several for a new **Building Committee**; a member at large to the **Finance Committee** and the **Memorials Committee**. If you have a question about what any of these areas of ministry do, please contact the Chairperson, Pastor Jim, or members of the Lay Leadership committee: Marianne Davis, June Packer, Brenda Morrow, Diane Windsor, Carrie Boulet, Don Fankhauser, Laura Sequeira, Cindy Roggow, Ken Davis, Rosemary Eckerson, and Bruce Osborn. Thanks for offering your gifts in ministry for the coming year!

Welcoming Our Guests

The EDGE Ministry is blessed to have two new members. Sherri Williams will be training as our newest Minister, working with the experienced teams as they demonstrate our hospitality. And Kerry Wright is filling the EDGE Support position. She will make sure the Starter Kits for our guests are ready each Sunday and have a supply of cookie gift bags ready to be delivered to new guests. These are very important opportunities for the church and our thanks go to both!

Opportunities for Special Gifts

With Memorial Day having just been celebrated it is a reminder that there are many special ways to remember your congregation. Different gifts are appropriate for different individuals or families. Some of those include the following: **Giving of Appreciated Property** like stocks, bonds, real estate or mutual funds; Giving a gift on which you continue to get the income during the rest of your life and then

the balance goes to the church through **charitable gift annuity or charitable remainder trust** which have significant tax benefits, giving unneeded **life insurance**; **memorial gifts** for special persons who have touched your life; wise tax planning that help you give a gift to the church and this allows you to **pay less on your taxes**; expressing your gratitude for God's gifts to you, or a cash gift to show your faithful support for the ministries of the church. If you would like further details about these possibilities, we can direct you to persons who can answer your question. Call one of the pastors or a member of the Endowment Ministries.

What is the Parsonage Endowment?

The church used to own a parsonage which was the senior pastor's housing. In 1998, the Trustees voted to sell that home to our pastor who lived there. Our Conference rules state the funds are to be invested with any proceeds to be used to support the budget's housing allowance payments made to the senior pastor. So each year a portion is transferred to the Current Fund to help cover that cost.

About one half of this fund is invested in a socially responsible mutual fund.

The value of this endowment at year-end was \$146,400, and \$6,925 was transferred to the Current Fund to help with the 2007 cost of Pastor Jim's housing allowance.

Young Adults Serve

A Hike-a-Thon to Mt Adams August 15-17 will benefit the establishment of a new boys orphanage in Africa. Consider sponsoring a hiker or, if you're an adult under 33, don your hiking boots and gather some sponsors. You can even create your own group for a local hike to help raise funds. Contact Patrick Scriven at 206-304-9284 or pscriven@pnwumc.org.

**New Dew Bibles?
Yes!
Coming Soon.**

Issues for Kids: Health Insurance and Access to Health Care

In our last article regarding health care and healthy kids, we dealt with the alarming statistics that predict a health care crisis for children and their families. Many families do not have adequate insurance coverage for their children; the rising costs of health care and limited access all contribute to this crisis.

Not having health insurance affects 73,000 children in Washington State (4.4% of the child population)...and 15,000 children just in Pierce County! Due to efforts by advocacy groups, legislators and the governor ALL children under the age of 19 in Washington State will soon (2009) have an opportunity to have health insurance coverage. For some the insurance will be free; others will pay on a sliding scale.

The Washington State Legislature passed, and the governor signed into law Senate Bill 5093, Washington State Child Insurance Program, which will provide all children under the age of 19 with health insurance from the state if families have no other affordable options. This program, called Cover All Kids, is a phased-in approach.

Families need to know the details of the program, such as eligibility (who qualifies), what services are provided and reimbursed by insurance, finding who administers the program, who to contact to apply, where it is available, what documentation is needed to apply, how to find a doctor/provider to access services.

Just having health insurance coverage does not guarantee that our children will have access to care and a "medical home". A "medical home" is defined by the American Academy of Pediatrics as a

source of health care that is continuous, comprehensive, coordinated, and family-centered. A very important component of a medical home is the delivery of preventive health care at well child visits where children are assessed for their medical, developmental and social-emotional needs

Even with health insurance, families encounter barriers within the health care system. For some families the cost of transportation, childcare needs, or taking time off work prove daunting when accessing the system either for acute care or preventive care. Driving long distances to find care, finding a provider who will take government assisted insurance, and not knowing what services are needed or offered are other barriers.

The Social Justice Committee will be hosting a special panel presentation on June 9, 2008 (7-9 PM) at the church to learn more about the Cover All Kids program and discuss the issues from a state and local perspective. The panel will be made up of advocates, a local physician and school nurse who will share their perspectives on why this is an important issue, what the implications are of our kids lacking health care, what resources are available in the community. There will be time for questions and discussion with the audience on this important issue for our families. Informational pamphlets and materials will be available on parenting, health, nutrition, and available programs. Refreshments and childcare will be available.

Please join us for this event. If you know any families who might be interested, please invite them to join us for the evening.

Congo Container #5 is on it's way!
"Praise God! May 21 Kristen Joyner took a couple pictures, and watched our container depart for the terminal. Thank you all for a tremendous effort!
The Hope For the Children of Africa task force also thanks everyone involved in this container project!
Annual Conference

Lectionary Verses
June 1
Genesis 6:11-22, 7:24,8:14-19
Psalms 46
Romans 1:16-17, 3:22b-28(29-31)
Matthew 7:21-29
June 8
Genesis 12:1-9
Psalms 33:1-12
Romans 4:13-15
Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

Installation to Office

2 pm Saturday, May 31

You are invited to a very special event. A service of Installation and Welcome of Sharon Moe as the District Superintendent for the Tacoma District, Saturday, May 31, 2008 at 2:00 pm at the First United Methodist Church, 621 Tacoma Avenue in Tacoma. Following the service there will be a time of greeting and refreshments, plan on visiting the District's new office there.

First United Methodist Celebrates

Concerts, lectures, and an art exhibit are planned to welcome the community into the new building in Tacoma:

June 1, 3:00 pm, listen to Gamelan Pacifica, bringing the mysterious and ancient sounds of Indonesia. A gamelan orchestra is as interesting to see as it is astonishing to hear. Words to describe it fall short: hypnotic, engaging, ethereal, sparkling. One thing is certain, it is deeply resonant music that will bathe our transformed space in sound. Suggested donation, \$15. www.gamelanpacifica.org.

June 4, 7:30 pm, Jamal Rahman, Sufi Speaker and author of *Fragrance of Faith*. will celebrate the soul with stories, poetry, and changes, drawing on the wisdom of Sufism. Suggested donation, \$10. www.jamalrahman.com.

June 15, 4:00 pm, Music and Nonsense. Founder of Children Sing for Peace, Mary K. McNeill will sing with us and play with us and help us discover that we are all singers and that a joyous celebration is only a humming tune, a tapping foot, or a finger snap away. This concert is appropriate for all ages. Suggested donation: \$10. www.childrensingforpeace.org.

Jubilaté! Summer Festival

The Rev. Dr. Margie Brown, biblical humorist & sacred storyteller, will be the keynoter & workshop leader at the *29th Jubilaté! Summer Festival*, July 14-19 in Spokane. Informational postcards have gone out to every church this week. Early Bird Registration deadline is May 31st. Registration forms and information can be accessed at www.gbgm-umc.org/jubilate!/

China Earthquake UMCOR Advance

United Methodists are encouraged to give generously to UMCOR Advance #982450, International Disaster Response, China Earthquake. Gifts to the China Earthquake response will go towards the Amity Foundation who is preparing to provide blankets, food and plastic sheets to families who have been made homeless. Once the initial needs have been met, the Amity Foundation will begin the process of rehabilitation, rebuilding houses, schools and clinics destroyed by the earthquake. They will also ensure that people have access to clean water by rehabilitating damaged water and irrigation systems.

Your contribution can be made to PUMC with the Advance number on the "for" line and we will forward it to the Conference Office.

Myanmar Recovery

To help in the recovery of Myanmar since the devastating cyclone damage, use Advance #3019674 on your contribution.

Interfaith Youth Camp

August 24—29 at Camp Seymour for girls and boys entering grades 7-9 in the fall. Puget Sound Interfaith Youth Camp is a collaborative effort of Associated Ministries, Interfaith Works, and members of many faith traditions.

Most of the time campers swim, kayak, create art, hike, play sports and games, and sing around the campfire. What differs is the time spent talking and learning about one another's religions, beliefs, and customs. Campers have been a mix of Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Baha'i, Unitarian, Native American, Atheist, Quaker, and other religions or spiritual affiliations. An adult faith leader for each religion also participates. Proselytizing is not permitted.

Interested? Visit www.soundinterfaithcamp.org for more information and to download a camper application. Cost is \$100 for the week and no one is turned away for lack of funds. Applications are due by June 15.



WHOSE CHILD WILL HAVE HEALTH CARE?

Free discussion open to the public

Monday, June 9, 2008, 7-9 pm
At Puyallup United Methodist Church
1919 West Pioneer Avenue, Puyallup

- Why should every child have access to health care?
- What are the implications of the “Cover All Kids” law?
 - What resources are available to me and other?
 - Ample opportunity to ask questions

PANEL


Teresa Mosqueda, WA State Children’s Alliance
Cindi Simmons, Outreach, Tacoma-Pierce County Health Dept.,
Ovidio Penalver, M.D., Puyallup pediatrician
Beth Bailey, RN, MSN, School Nurse, Puyallup School District

Free

Open to the public

Childcare available, through 4th grade
Light refreshments provided

Materials available on parenting, food, nutrition and healthcare resources
Further information, contact the church at 253-845-0547 or umcpuy@qwest.net



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Vision Statement

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