



FOREST GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Messenger

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THE VOYAGE Navigating Deeper Waters August 2nd through September 6th

We are born, we live, and eventually we die. Is it possible to live out our days having never really experienced the voyage that God intends? What does that voyage look like, and how do we ensure that we've truly lived it?

Drawing upon the imagery of ships and seafaring, and the stories of three very different voyages in the Bible -- those of Noah, Jonah and Peter -- Pastor Dan will help us to see, in fresh ways, how we can embark on the voyage we were made for, and how we navigate through the storms, into the deep waters, and ultimately arrive safely at the far side of the sea.

If you long for a vibrant spiritual life, and you're ready to leave the shallow waters behind, you won't want to miss this **upcoming sermon series** ... The Voyage!

Submitted by *Pastor Dan*

WORSHIP OUTDOORS

On Sunday, Aug 9th, we will share in worship in a slightly different setting. God has blessed our congregation with a beautiful facility (tool) in which to worship. God also provides for us a beautiful outdoor setting. We will be sharing in worship outdoors that day near the play area. Door fliers will be going out to the neighborhood, inviting them to join us. The theme will be Hawaiian, and as we know the style in the Islands is casual. So come casual and if you have Hawaiian attire, feel free to wear that. Aloha and Mahalo.

Submitted by *Patti Rose*

FAMILY FIESTA WEEK (Formerly Day Camp)

The newly formatted Family Fiesta runs **August 10th - 13th with a celebration the evening of the 14th.**

Registration information is available at www.forestgroveumc.org and also on the counter in the church office. Each day begins with a snack available by 2:45 p.m. for early arrivers - stated start time is 3 p.m. Activities begin at 3:15. Parents and other interested adults are invited to a Bible study from 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. in English led by Pastor Eric Conklin; and in Spanish led by Pastor Dan Wilson-Fey. Dinner for children and staff begins at 5:45 and for Bible study participants at 6 p.m. The day will close with a gathering from 6:30 - 7 p.m. Child care will be available from 4:30 - 6:30.

It will be important for adults to register so we can give a reasonably accurate count to the cooks. There's space to register on the registration form or you can give your name to Liz in the office or to Rhoda by email or phone. We're aiming to have registration numbers in by August 1. There will also be an ice cream social Sunday afternoon, August 9 when you can bring the actual paper work and socialize with one another and staff.

Friday evening will include a celebration meal at 5:30 and all kinds of sharing about the week with music, projects, slide show, story, worship. Please set aside this week. The evening is scheduled to end at 7:30.

Oh yes, the theme! All activities will focus on the theme of "Who is Your Neighbor?"

Submitted by Deacon, *Rhoda Pittman Markus*

Dear Members and Friends of Forest Grove UMC:

As this newsletter is being prepared, I am on vacation. I commend to you Emily's report of our trip to Greensburg; she did an awesome report, did an awesome job leading, and expresses well my sentiments on the trip. Second, I am grateful to introduce those who have joined our church in June. They're below.

Looking forward to the "Family Fiesta" (formerly Day Camp) and our outdoor worship service August 9th!

Pastor Dan

NEW MEMBERS JUNE, 2009

Sharon Adame works as a Human Resources Information System Administrator. She is an amateur photographer, and gave several mounted photographs for our Silent Auction last spring. She enjoys reading and writing, and has had a poem published in an anthology of women's poetry. She also enjoys gardening and watching birds at her backyard feeder. Her skill and enthusiasm make a great addition to the Second Saturday garden party.



Sharon's daughter Christine (Cricket) joined our church with her on June 21. We're very glad you're here, Sharon!

Christine (Cricket) Luczkow has looked in several denominations for a church home, and she tells us that she finally feels at home in Forest Grove UMC. She enjoys books, especially stories of the No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency. She is a baker who adapts recipes to make them healthier. Cricket lives with her mother Sharon Adame, and is a full-time mom to her son, **John Luczkow**. John is an expert on Bionicles and Transformers, and helps his grandmother in the garden. This year he is growing his own patch of carrots. We're glad you and John find a home among us, Cricket!



Mary Peloquin was born in Forest Grove almost 100 years ago, and was raised in the Evangelical Church. She attended what was then the Normal School in Monmouth, and her first job was teaching in a one-room school at Mountain Home, north of Newberg. Mary has also worked in manufacturing at Tektronix, and farming in and around Gaston. She remembers with satisfaction her large vegetable garden, where she raised produce to give away to friends and family. These days she still has a garden, but



others tend it for her. She spends her time reading and crocheting afghans and sweaters for her 15 great-grandchildren. She donated an afghan for our Silent Auction last spring. Mary's son Gerry Peloquin also attends our church with his wife, Shirley. Welcome, Mary!

Carolyn Dau moved to Forest Grove last summer to be closer to family, and joined us June 21st as an Associate Member. She was born and raised in Orchard Park, New York, and retains her membership in the Presbyterian Church where she has been a member for 60 years. Carolyn's greatest love has been horses and riding. For 20 years she taught Therapeutic Riding as an instructor certified by NARHA, the North American Riding for the Handicapped Association. She is retired now, and enjoys gardening and sewing. We're glad to have you with us, Carolyn!



Ian Rice comes to us from Ashland, Oregon, where he was a member of the United Methodist Church. Ian tells us that during two whirlwind weeks in the early summer of 2007 he married Christie Shaw, took a one-week honeymoon to Alaska, passed his senior final exams, and moved to Beaverton. He enjoys camping, fishing, and social activities with friends, especially the Tabbs. He works as a Compensation Analyst for U.S. Bank in downtown Portland. Welcome, Ian!



Christie Rice met Ian when they were both freshmen at SOU. When she transferred to WOU their friendship continued over the distance, until they married in 2007. Christie is now a student at Pacific University, majoring in history, and hopes to graduate in the spring of 2011. She enjoys photography and scrapbooking. She did some sports photography this summer for our Circuit Riders softball team, and the team photo is her work. She and Ian keep up an active social life, especially with their friends the Tabbs. It's a joy to welcome you, Christie!

FROM THE ALTAR TO THE WORLD

I have been reading in the current issue of *Alive Now*, as I'm sure some of you have been. Its theme is 'Imagination.' I'm glad to see such a discussion. One of the things I discovered in this issue is that the reflection questions are no longer there. You have to go online to get them. In doing that I immediately came across an article about a youth delegation to Nicaragua. The writer and the youth were concerned about the plight of families living in the dump in Managua, Nicaragua. The youth wanted to do something to save them. She just couldn't imagine how. What happened is that she began to take the youth seriously and imagine the impossible. She stopped saying "But" and started saying "why not."

You can read the rest of this story beginning on page 44 of the July-August "Alive Now." The good news is that Project Chacocente has helped to transform the lives of several of the families – a project birthed because of the ability of that youth group to imagine and challenge their leader who had trouble seeing the possibilities.

Why am I writing about this? I so often see good church folks spending a lot of time talking about injustices in the world – some of them in hometown communities. But, like the youth worker, they are not able to see that a small group, an individual, a local church can bring about substantial change in the world. We need to learn from youth and other visionary leaders that folks just like us have the power to transform the world.

What does imaginative risk taking problem solving look like? I put forth a couple of examples. **Our Bishop, Robert Hoshibata** really believes that it is possible to end hunger in Oregon and Idaho and expects us all to put forth effort toward bringing that about. It's daunting, but it is indeed possible. Similarly, **Forest Grove resident Eric Canon** passionately believes that it is possible and necessary to end homelessness in this community. It, too, is daunting, but it does not stop him. It must have felt impossible to rebuild the morning after the **tornado destroyed Greensburg**, but the imaginative hearts of that community were not put off and are giving birth to a new creation.

Imagination is not about things that are not real, as some suppose. It is a powerful ability to look beyond what is readily apparent and sift through a variety of imaginative possibilities, finding the one that is workable in any given situation. Blaisé Pascal, mystic and pioneer mathematician, is quoted, also in *Alive Now*, in making clear that intuition and imagination are the key to life forces that rational thinking can never attain. What might Forest Grove UMC do if we do not allow the voice of reason to quench the fire of imagination?

I'm for the power of **imagination**. Are you? What are we willing to put our imaginative powers to work on?

Your servant in Christ,
Submitted by Deacon, **Rhoda Pittman Markus**

TIME TO GROW CAMP AND RETREAT MINISTRY GATHERING

You are invited to attend a "resourcing" meeting for our "Time to Grow" camp and retreat ministry for the great states of Oregon and Idaho! Become a part of something that can touch and change the lives of all generations, inside and outside the United Methodist Church. Rekindle that camp "fire" in your heart and bring your fun-filled stories and ideas to this "Remember When" party. We want you to bring pictures from any camps or retreats you have attended over the years to share with everyone.

What: Time to Grow Camp and Retreat "Remember When" gathering

When: Aug. 9th at 3-4:40 PM

Where: The Springs at Tanasbourne @ 1950 NW 192nd, Hillsboro, OR 97006

Why: To bring excitement and resources to all our fabulous camp and retreat centers across the states of Oregon and Idaho



Refreshments will be provided! RSVP at 1-800-593-7539 ext. 32 or email us at timetogrow@umoi.org

Submitted by **Sue Brenner**

ANNUAL CONFERENCE REPORT—PART II

Following up on last month's report of the Annual Conference session's gathering June 11-14 in Salem, here are a few more highlights:

- Conference members met several times in small "Discipleship Groups" where personal sharing and interaction happened.
- Bishop Hoshibata talked about "signs in our churches".
- A concerted effort to abolish the death penalty was discussed.
- The Western Jurisdiction of our church will have one less Bishop beginning in 2012; Conference boundaries will be redrawn.
- Max Wilson-Fey was a Page and he and Noah Wilson-Fey and Emily Tabb spoke to the entire Conference about youth matters.
- LeRoy Gamble and Ted Oakberg represented you well at the Conference – ask them about their experience!

Submitted by *Pastor Dan*

ARE YOU "GREEN?"

Pastor Dan is going to be doing a sermon series this fall on the "Green" theme: the ways in which we are caring for God's earth and resources by conserving, reducing, reusing, and recycling. Beyond Waste Management recycling containers, what are you doing at your home and at work that is more sustainable and "green?" Hearing about any little steps taken by you, your family, or your work place, would be most appreciated. You can call the church office or e-mail Pastor Dan at danfgumc@teleport.com

Submitted by *Pastor Dan*

ANNIVERSARY AUGUST 30TH

Jan and Luther Schrock cordially invite the congregation to share in their 50th Wedding Anniversary celebration during Fellowship Time after church on August 30th.

Submitted by *Jan Schrock*

CHURCH COUNCIL SEES GOOD THINGS HAPPENING

At their July 15th meeting, here are some of the things they lifted up as positive and hopeful around the church:

- the youth from the mission team telling in worship July 12 where they saw God on the trip
- 3 people said it was the best worship service they've ever attended
- Ian Rice's positive presence and outlook at our church's softball games
- the enjoyable, inclusive and encouraging atmosphere the softball games, team, players, and coaches engendered
- Meagan Potter being such a blessing to the youth group
- Dulce Gonzalez and Alexis Gardener's presence at the Garden Party in July

Submitted by *Pastor Dan*

MUSLIM VISITORS & POTLUCK AUGUST 16TH

On Sunday August 16, we will have Muslim visitors, Wael Khalifa and Salma Ahmad and others as well. Following the Church service we will share a potluck lunch (no pork, ham, bacon or hotdogs, please). Then we will have a presentation on Muslim beliefs and a question and answer period. Please join us.

Lois and I met Wael at an interfaith Thanksgiving service in November, 2007. He was wearing an adult Boy Scout uniform and is a leader with the Boy Scouts. He is currently trying to start a troop sponsored by Portland area Muslims.

I have long had an interest in making some Muslim friends and recently reconnected with Wael. We have had lunch together and I have visited Bilal Mosque in Beaverton, where I met Shahriar Ahmed and Salma Ahmad. The Muslims I have met are delightful, God-loving people. We have much in common, and they honor Jesus as an important prophet.

We have also been invited to visit Bilal Mosque for evening prayers. The date has not been set, but it will be after Ramadan, the Muslim month of prayer and fasting (August 21 to September 19).

Submitted by *Ted Oakberg*

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OPERATION SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Forest Grove School District sponsors Operation School Supplies every year to collect backpacks and fill them with school supplies for needy students in the district. We have started collecting supplies for the new school year and would appreciate any help you can give. The need is great. Over 60 percent of our students qualify for free or reduced lunches. The appreciation is also great. Below are comments from a few students who have received the backpacks and from staff members who have been grateful to have this resource to help their students:

Quotes from kids

"WOW! What a great back pack. It is my favorite color and cool. My mom said I could not get one like this because they cost lots. AndI get all these school supplies too?"

"I get to keep all this stuff? Thank you so much. Now I won't be embarrassed."

"Who gave you these backpacks? They must really like kids. Thank you so much."

"I felt happy to have new supplies to start school."

Quotes from staff

"I have children that go home not knowing if there will be enough food for them to eat each night. Their parents work hard trying to make ends meet, but there is just not enough money at the end of the day for school supplies. When I give the children these supplies, I let them know that someone took the time and money to buy the supplies and cared enough to share them with us. I then remind them that someday they will be able to do the same for someone else in need."

"It is such an important gift to a child when they have the supplies they need on the first day of school. Children are so proud when they are able to bring in their own backpack with their own supplies to school, they are able to focus on a year of learning. For these children it is a big deal, when most of us take this small gesture for granted. Thank you for your generosity toward our kids."

"This is awesome that we have these supplies for our needy children. This will help them fit in much easier and feel more confident when coming to class. Please tell whoever donated these school supplies, thank you for caring about our students...that they do make a difference."

"The kids' faces light up when they walk out of my office with new supplies. They love the smell of their new binders and feel a sense of control when they have all the gear they need to start a successful school year."

Here is the list of items needed for *Operation School Supplies*.

- Backpacks
- Fiskar round tip child's scissors
- Fiskar pointed scissors
- #2 pencils
- Pink erasers
- Pencil top erasers
- Hand-held pencil sharpeners
- Ballpoint pens (blue or black ink)
- Ballpoint pens (red ink)
- Yellow highlighters
- White school glue
- Glue sticks
- Crayola crayons (16-64 count)
- Washable markers
- Colored pencils
- Watercolor paints
- Spiral notebooks (one subject)
- College-ruled notebook paper
- Wide-ruled notebook paper
- Mead composition books
- 2" three-ring binders
- 3" three-ring binders
- Pencil pouch for 3 ring binder
- Dividers
- Pee-Chee folders
- Wooden rulers
- Protractors
- 3.5" computer disks

Donations can be dropped off at the district office, 1728 Main Street, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday, or bring them to church.

SECOND SATURDAY GARDEN PARTY

August 8th will be the second Saturday of the month and we all know what that means - a garden party at Church. Bring your gardening tools; everything else is furnished. Start at 8:30 AM and finish no later than noon. Goodies will be available.

Submitted by *Margaret Hoerber*

ANNUAL CONFERENCE REPORT PART III

As I look back at my Annual Conference experience and think what our congregation might want to know, I come up with three things.

1. The thrust of the conference was “Boldly Making Disciples”.

How can we as people of Christ make a difference in the world? It is not only the big things that count but the people-to-people contacts, and not just how we live our own lives but reaching out to the needy of the world. Local churches must be ever mindful we are one of the disciples.

2. Churches must be open to change.

We must involve all generations and especially our youth in our church services. Without youth, churches will cease to exist. We must nurture and give youth more time to participate in the working of the church. We need to know what it is that keeps them coming and wanting to be a part of the process, even if it doesn't fit the mold that many of us are accustomed to (Like the Mission Trip Service).

3. Worship at Conference

Anyone could benefit from attending any of the Conference Worship Services: The Memorial/ Communion Service, Retirement Service and the Ordination Service. It would be worth the time and trip to attend any one of these services -- they are outstanding!

Submitted by *LeRoy Gamble*

HELP!

We recently discovered that our insurance policy does not cover drivers over 70. This leaves us with a big gap in our bus driver list. Please call **Lois Oakberg** at 503-357- 8129 if you can help out.

UMCVIM OREGON TEAM GOING TO URUGUAY

A team of eleven people from northwest Oregon, including *Pearl* and *Harold Jensen* from FGUMC, will be going to Uruguay on the 15th of September and returning the first of October. Glen Waltman is the Team Leader and he will be preaching at Forest Grove on July 26th. The Oregon team will be joined in Uruguay by teams from New York, Maryland, and Pennsylvania.

The teams will participate in two different building projects at separate locations in Uruguay. One project is to start construction of a new cabin, 1,000 square feet, at a retreat park outside of Paysandu. This retreat is being used by churches in the area and it is planned to have it used by other organizations so that the retreat park will become financially self sufficient. The cabin will accommodate two separate groups. The Oregon team will work on this project.

The second project is located at the Methodist Church in Mercedes. Presently, church members bake a bread product and sell daily to people in the area. Income from the sales supports a food program for needy children. This project will start building a new, larger kitchen, in the back of the church, to support an increase in production.

We are asking for donations for this mission project to buy building materials. Travel and living costs for the mission members have already been provided, so these requested funds will go directly for building supplies. Donations are needed by mid August so that the materials can be purchased in Uruguay before the teams arrive in mid September. We thank you for your support.

Submitted by *Pearl and Harold Jensen*,
503-842-0026 Jensen.tillamook@earthlink.net

THEREFORE GO...

The theme we used during our time in Kansas was “Therefore go...”. Each day, Meagan, would begin our day with devotion, scripture, and a challenge. She would challenge us not only to stretch ourselves physically but emotionally and spiritually. Some of these challenges included “Therefore go...and show love in a way you haven’t thought of before, get your hands dirty, make someone smile”, and so on. Meagan’s ability to make God applicable to our experience was incredible. Throughout the day, especially toward the end of the week, we would remind ourselves and each other of her meaningful devotions which helped us get through the long work days.

As I was trying to decide where to go for this year’s Mission Trip, I asked some of the youth what they were looking for in a Mission Trip. Their response was to feel like they were making a difference in someone’s life and the work was purposeful. They said they had enjoyed the previous two Mission Trips to UM Camps, but they wanted something more. From that moment on, I felt God was in control of this trip. Details started falling into place, we received support from the Youth Ministry Team and the congregation, generous churches were offering to help us get from Point A to Point B, and things just felt right. The moment we arrived in the Wichita Airport and saw the Cheney UM youth with signs greeting us, we knew this was going to be a life-changing and unforgettable experience.

We were able to touch lives just by being in Greensburg and being willing to do just about any job they asked. We listened to stories about “that night” when the tornado hit, heard people’s triumphant joy that their family was safe despite losing everything, and the faith they all have in God. OUR lives were touched by ice from a kind woman who saw us working in the heat, warm chocolate chip cookies while painting a basement, cold ice pops during a break from raking a yard, and the friendly townspeople thanking us for the work we were doing as they drove by. It is hard to describe the experience we had, or how we felt like we were home in Greensburg and at the Greensburg United Methodist Church.

God also had a hand in all that were on the trip. Each person contributed to the experience and each person there was supposed to be there. Four adults seemed like too many but Jerry, Dan, Meagan, and I each have different skills and abilities we were able to contribute. Jerry was unbelievably patient and showed us what relentless work ethic looks like. Dan brought his ability to connect with people we met and allowed us to hear stories and get to know people on a whole new level (not to mention getting us a tour of the Courthouse before the Grand Opening). Meagan contributed her positive attitude, willingness to do just about anything, and shared her faith with us during devotions. I offered my nurturing qualities and tried to create an unforgettable experience.

The youth blessed us with their individual characteristics as well: Dulce showed her ability to work hard and offered her maturity and tolerance. Max blessed us with his “go with the flow” attitude and did not complain once, even while working with an injury. Alexis delighted us with her calm demeanor and willingness to work. Alyssa kept the spirits high with her beautiful smile and ability to make people feel good. Fletcher kept us all sane by his jokes, and entertained with evening programs. Taylor brought energy and her wonderful laughter. John charmed us with his manners and fed us with his delicious meals. Chante blessed us with her beautiful voice and contagiously fun personality. Noah continually surprised us with his humor, but at the same time wowed us with his faith.

Thank you, Forest Grove United Methodist Church family, for making this trip a possibility; for giving us an experience we will never forget, and allowing God to work through us!

Submitted by: *Emily Tabb*

WESLEYANS MEETING SEPTEMBER FIRST

All women are invited to join us for our first meeting of the fall on Sept. 1st, at **6:00 pm**. As is our custom, the September meeting will be a **potluck supper**, followed by a short program; dessert will be provided. Bring a dish to share and y'all come!

Submitted by **Patty Davie**
503-357-3185

CUPCAKE SUNDAY

Cupcake Sunday - coming in September! If you think that Brownie Sunday was fun, plan on coming on September 13th for Cupcake Sunday. All you Methodist cooks, get on your baking hats and select a unique and unusual cupcake recipe (or a tried and true) and make a dozen or so and bring some in to share with your church family! Questions? - check with Janet Hummel, janet.hummel@verizon.net

Submitted by **Janet Hummel**

BARBECUE SEPT 13TH

September 13th is the Sunday School Kickoff and Grandparents' Day! Everyone is invited to come for burgers & hot dogs & all the fixings.

For more information, please contact Jan or Luther Schrock at 503-357-8709 or ljschr@aol.com.

Submitted by **Jan Schrock**

HAVE YOU MOVED?

Please be sure that the church office has your new address as soon as possible. Thank you.

Liz Swenson
Church Administrative Assistant

BIRTHDAYS

Mable Compton	August 2 nd
Linda Powers	August 2 nd
Sue Brenner	August 2 nd
Carole Heun	August 5 th
Christa Bond	August 8 th
John Heun	August 11 th
Dale Heun	August 13 th
Deborah Weekley	August 13 th
Dan Gustafson	August 15 th
Tom Rannells	August 16 th
Jacquie Haney	August 16 th
Randy Cobb	August 16 th
Alwyn Hites-Clabaugh	August 18 th
Ben Pritchard	August 21 st
Noah Wilson-Fey	August 22 nd
Dick Brenner	August 27 th
Garry Zabel	August 27 th
Bob Francis	August 28 th
Chase Tabb	August 28 th
David Rose	August 30 th

ANNIVERSARIES

Dave & Laurie Bond	August 1 st
Ken & Martha Tunall	August 14 th
Dale & Carole Heun	August 18 th
Glen & Lynn Anderson	August 28 th
Jan and Luther Schrock	August 30 th
Frank & Ella Collins-Colcord	August 31 st

SERVING IN AUGUST

Liturgists	TBA
Altar Guild	Lois Oakberg
Bus Coordinator	Lois Oakberg, 503-357-8129
Bus Driver Team	Marilyn Carr, Fred Raycraft, Delva Johnson & Loretta Evans
Ushers: August	Arleigh & Donna Berget Robert Nickerson & Ann Ulum
Greeters: August	Ted & Lois Oakberg Dale & Carole Heun
Coffee Coord.	Janet Hummel
Fellowship Time	
August 2 nd	The Hummel Family
August 9 th	Robert Nickerson & Ann Ulum
August 16 th	Volunteers needed
August 23 rd	Ken & Nancy Bond
August 30 th	The Schrock Family
Nursery Attendant	Lindsay Tovey
Childcare Coord.	Delva Johnson
Web Master	Jenny LaCombe
Kitchen Elves	Ann Ulum & Robert Nickerson
Sound and Media	Steven Wong
Tape Ministry	Media team
Parish Nurse	Patti Rose

CHURCH PILLAR – VICTOR ALBRO

Vic has been a generous member of FGUMC since the early 1940's when he moved his young family (Marion was 4 years old and Jim was only 6 weeks old) to Forest Grove to join the *News Times*.

His parents had moved from New York to Iowa, where Vic was born in 1915. Though he learned later that "Albro" is of Italian origin, Vic's parents would say nothing of his heritage. "That was a mistake; I wish they had told me."

Vic grew up in Iowa and fell in love with a lovely young woman, Julia. When Vic was offered a job with the *Times* in Coos Bay, he and Julia were married in their preacher's home and then left that same day for Oregon.

Vic worked later in Salem and Walla Walla, WA. When he and Julia came to Forest Grove, there were only 2 houses for sale in the entire city. They settled on 15th Avenue. When son Jim married, the young couple bought the house across the street from Vic and Julia. Jim died from cancer at age 52. Marion is still active with our children and youth.

Vic retired as superintendent of the back room from *F.G. News Times* when he turned 70. He now lives at Jennings-McCall and still attends FGUMC faithfully as he has for more than 65 years.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Forest Grove United Methodist Church is to welcome all people, wherever they are on their journey of faith, into nurturing relationships with Jesus and with one another, through worship, small group fellowship and service to others.

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