



# UPDATES FROM NWCN

## NORTHWEST CHRISTIAN NETWORK

### Oregon Christian Camp & Event Center

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A ministry of the Christian Churches and Churches of Christ

*"In matters of faith,  
unity. In matters of  
opinion, liberty.  
But in all things love."  
Thomas Campbell*



Join us at the **2025 Elder/Pastor Conference** on January 25th at 9 AM in Pioneer Hall.

#### Clarify Your Mission. Deepen Discipleship. Extend Your Impact

Don't miss this one-day workshop to build-up, equip and inspire the leadership in your church family.

Registration fee includes coffee, snacks and lunch:

Individual: \$25.00 per person/ Group rate: \$95.00 (4 from one church. \$20.00 for each additional person)

9 AM to 3 PM, Saturday, January 25

For more information, visit [NwChristianNetwork.com](http://NwChristianNetwork.com)

#### LOOKING BACK & LOOKING AHEAD: Report from Dianne McIntosh

In 2024 we began a church prayer campaign on Facebook. Every few days churches are listed by name with encouragement to pray. This is foundational to a healthy body of Christ in the Northwest.

NWCN hosted different equipping events that worked to give Christian leaders tools and encouragement as they navigate ministry in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Other events offered times of refreshing, encouragement and personal growth. The big event of the year, the week of convention, brought Christians together for a week of healing, hope and learning. The Northwest Christian Network Camp and Event Center in Turner hosted over 10,000 people for different camps, retreats, family gatherings and leadership training events.

In the historic, 1891, Tabernacle huge fans were installed on beams bringing much needed airflow and cooling.

Looking ahead let's continue to be serious about praying for the Church. In this new year plan on participating in events, retreats, workdays and the week of convention. Being present together for seasons of equipping, refreshing, renewal and growth builds a stronger Church. At NWCN we are committed to connecting, celebrating and equipping the Church in the Northwest. *Thank you for your continued support!*

#### Good News for An Anxious Nation

##### The Unity Project: February 22, 2025 10 AM-3 PM

This year's Unity Project is focused on addressing the anxious atmosphere being generated by our polarized political climate.

While results of elections change from year to year, the one constant is the anxiety everyone feels about what is going to happen next. What will happen with *them* in power? What will happen if *they* regain power?



Our culture is consumed with anxiety about who holds the reigns of power. The Good News of Jesus Christ, however, ought to give us peace in the midst of that anxiety—peace grounded in the confidence that it is God who provides for us what we truly need, that God is working through *his people* to accomplish his will regardless of who is in charge.

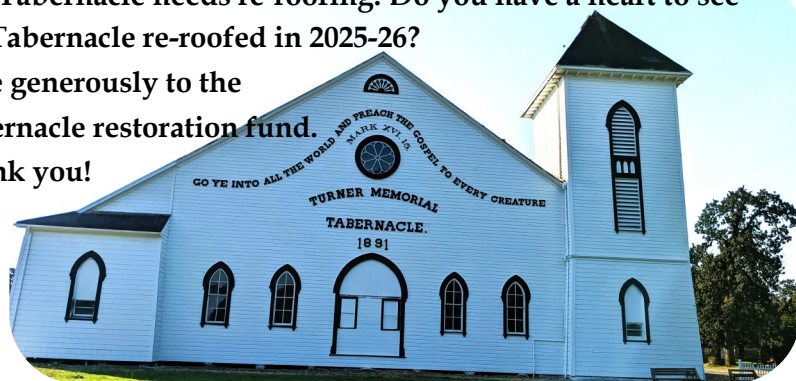
At the Unity Project we will dig into what the scripture teaches about our political anxieties and how we can answer them, for ourselves and for our neighbors, with the grace and truth of Jesus Christ.

**Matthew Holmes**—Senior Pastor, Turner Christian Church

Register online at [NwChristianNetwork.com/unityproject](http://NwChristianNetwork.com/unityproject)  
Cost is \$25 per person (includes lunch, snacks & supplies)

#### The Tabernacle needs re-roofing! Do you have a heart to see the Tabernacle re-roofed in 2025-26?

Give generously to the  
Tabernacle restoration fund.  
Thank you!





## Discover Beauty in Dry Places God's Compassionate Invitation

"I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland." ~Isaiah 43:19b, NIV

**2025 Women's Retreat: April 4-5, 2025**



The 2025 Women's retreat will offer a variety of workshops related to the theme: Discover Beauty in Dry Places: God's Compassionate Invitation.

Presenting workshops this year are women who have faced their own desert experiences and worked to respond to God's compassionate invitation in their own difficulties.

These speakers come from a variety of perspectives: floral designer, musician, educator, artist, therapist, writer/editor, author, missionary and businesswoman. God helped each of them discover beauty in the dry places of their lives...and their stories will encourage you to do the same.

Find out more at [NwChristianNetwork.com/women-s-retreat](http://NwChristianNetwork.com/women-s-retreat)

*Thank you for your generous giving in 2024. Below is a financial snapshot of the calendar year. Please email the office if you have any questions.*

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Calendar Year 2024 Income & Expense

### INCOME

GIFTS	\$49,770
FACILITY RENTALS	\$146,500
NWCN EVENTS	\$52,843
DESIGNATED FUNDS	\$21,376
MISC	\$2,205
TOTAL INCOME	\$272,694

### EXPENSES

ADMINISTRATION	\$13,074
FACILITIES	\$27,677
INSURANCE/TAXES/FEES	\$22,133
UTILITIES	\$42,795
NWCN EVENTS	\$40,961
LABOR	\$96,193
DESIGNATED FUNDS USED	\$21,376
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$264,209
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<b>\$8,485</b>

**"For where your treasure is,  
there your heart will be also."**  
Matthew 6:21

## Seniorfest! MAY 15, 2025

Keynote speaker at this year's Seniorfest: **George Johnson**  
**Theme: "Never Stop Planting"**

**Seniorfest is a joy-filled day of connection, growth and renewal.**

Cost is \$25 per person. Registration includes: coffee, snacks, lunch, music, workshops and speakers. The day begins at 10 AM in the Tabernacle.

Register online at [nwchristiannetwork.com](http://nwchristiannetwork.com)

### Gifts in Memory...Thank you!

#### Irene Douglass

Don & Jeanette Campbell

#### Jerry Carter

Ann Cecil

Melissa Braun

Betty Gregory

John & Dianne McIntosh

Randy & Joan Mogen

Frank & Virginia Musgrave

Karla Steele

Ted Stock

#### Gladys Gregory

Betty Gregory

#### Lynn Gregory

Betty Gregory

Randy & Joan Mogen

#### Robert Gregory

Betty Gregory

Annalee McIntosh

Randy & Joan Mogen

#### Irv Johnson

John & Dianne McIntosh

Randy & Joan Mogen

#### Jim Keefe

Melissa Braun

Betty Gregory

Arlene Macauley

John & Dianne McIntosh

Randy & Joan Mogen

Frank & Virginia Musgrave

Rebecca Rudberg

#### Hilda Huff

Betty Gregory

#### Irvin Johnson

Randy & Joan Mogen

Betty Gregory

#### Ray & Louise Pulsifer

Dorothy Grover

#### Jerry Rudberg

Becky Rudberg

#### Al & Elsie Tiffin

Ward & Margaret Hill

#### Gifts in Honor

**Peggy & Dean Stephens**

Betty Gregory

#### Carolyn Keefe

Rebecca Rudberg

# Only Jesus

NORTHWEST CHRISTIAN CONVENTION  
**JUNE 24 - 29, 2025**

Get more information and register online at [www.NwChristianConvention.com](http://www.NwChristianConvention.com)

2025 EVENING SESSION SPEAKERS:  
**MATTHEW & MELISSA STOCK**  
CAMBODIAN MISSIONARIES