

## **NORTH VALLEY FRIENDS ANNOUNCEMENTS | 1.5.21**

### **Wednesday, January 13, 6:30 pm ~ Q&A sessions with Sierra Cascades Yearly Meeting co-clerks Mike Huber and Sara Hoggat- via zoom**

Thank you to everyone who participated in the survey that was created this fall to get a snapshot of where F/friends are in their own personal discernment and questioning about membership with SCYMF. Your honest and thoughtful responses have formed a good foundation for us to move into our next step of discernment.

On Wednesday, January 13th, we will be having a *Question and Answer* session with the co-clerks from SCYMF. Mike and Sarah have graciously agreed to join us, via zoom to help answer questions and wonderings we have about the newly formed yearly meeting.

We will begin this session with a time of centering and worship and then Silas Olsen, Clerk of the Meeting, will introduce the guidelines and expectations for our time together with Mike and Sarah.

The goal of this meeting time is to simply gather information about SCYMF, no decisions will be made during this time. There will be notes/minutes taken and shared with the community following our time together.

Questions? Please contact **Silas Olsen, clerk of the meeting**, or **Noël Carey, clerk of elders**

### **AWESome Kits**

Feel free to swing through the carport tomorrow, Wednesday, from 4:30-6pm to borrow an AWESome kit from Kim Boyd & Emily Cammack.

### **Fodge Baby Shower**

We'd like to invite you to celebrate the upcoming arrival of Liz and Tim Fodge's baby! We'll be hosting a drive-through baby shower at North Valley on Sunday, January 24th from 2:00-3:30pm. Liz and Tim are registered here: [babylist.com/baby-fodge](http://babylist.com/baby-fodge). They have also started a college fund for the baby if you'd like to contribute in that way. Please stop by and say hello if you can so that we, as their North Valley family, can celebrate with Liz and Tim and welcome this sweet baby that will be arriving around February 21st! If you have any questions, ask Amy at [fortmacy@gmail.com](mailto:fortmacy@gmail.com).

### **Unprogrammed Worship, Sunday @ 9:30am**

Unprogrammed worship will meet on Zoom this Sunday. Nate will send the link out on Friday.

### **ReThreads**

The ReThreads dropbox is open again for all gently used clothing. Feel free to use the red building to the left of ReThreads to donate clothes!

### **Middle School and High School - Friday Zoom Fun!**

Join us at 2pm for Friday Fun (Each Friday in Jan. - Feb) on Zoom for connection and virtual party games. Bring your own snack—it would also be helpful for each person to have a phone/tablet and each household to have one additional phone/tablet. (So one youth might need two devices, a two youth household need three, etc.). As always we appreciate pets on screen =) Contact Sammy for the Zoom link.

### **Grownups of Youth Check-In**

Sammy and Rachele would like to host a zoom for all the grownups of our youth. Our goal is to be about 30 minutes to facilitate conversation checking in with how you all are doing parenting in a pandemic, how can our faith communities be more supportive to your families, and our flexible programming vision moving forward. Please [click here](#) for when you could join us on zoom.

### **Fern Roberts**

Fern passed away on December 20th, peacefully in her sleep. She lived to be 100 plus 3 days--a life well lived. The family will make plans for a memorial in the summer.

Cards for the family can be sent to Friendsview, and contributions can be made to the Arthur and Fern Roberts Scholarship Fund (GFU, 414 N Meridian St. #6256, Newberg, OR 97132) or online at [www.georgefox.edu/giving](http://www.georgefox.edu/giving).

<b><u>2020-2021 Budget (July-Jun) General Fund Tithes and Offering</u></b>	
Donations are accepted at northvalleyfriends.org	
Need more info? E-mail Ceress Sanders at ceress.sanders@gmail.com	
<b><u>January 2021</u></b> Budgeted Tithes/Offerings:	<b>\$18,352.50</b>
January 2021 Tithes/Offerings Received through 1.3.21	<b>\$1,050.00</b>
Percent of Month's Projected Tithes/Offerings Received:	<b>5.72%</b>
<b><u>Fiscal Year</u></b> Budgeted Tithes/Offerings To Date (July-Dec 2020):	<b>\$136,000.00</b>
Interim 6 mo Tithes/Offerings Received To Date (July-Dec 2020):	<b>\$123,162.51</b>
Percent of Interim 6 mo Tithes/Offerings Received (July-Dec 2020):	<b>90.56%</b>
<b>Emergency/Benevolent Fund Balance:</b>	<b>\$5,978.19</b>