





November 2011

Newsletter of SHORELINE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



Combined Worship Service & Potluck

Sunday, November 20

12noon

Please come and join the celebration as we give thanks for the many blessings GOD has given our three Fellowships at Shoreline UMC. The combined Worship begins at 12noon followed by an International Potluck.

> Bring your favorite dish to share and an appetite.... OH! You might want to bring some non-perishable food for the Food Bank.



SHORELINE UMC Hosting Seattle District Worship Service Tuesday, November 29 at 7 pm

Shoreline is the 5th Seattle District church to HOST the Worship Service series. Advent is the theme of our service. This is an opportunity to meet and share the paths we walk toward fulfilling our visions as individual churches. All Clergy and Lay people within the Seattle District are invited. Please bring finger food, such as cheese, crackers, cookies, bread, etc. to share after the service.







The church of Mary Magdalene, in down-

town Seattle, serves a population of homeless and formerly homeless women. The women at Shoreline have contributed to this ministry by serving either breakfast or dinner three times a year. On September 24 the Church of Mary Magdalene celebrated 20 years of ministry with worship, food, awards and recognition for the many people who have been instrumental in continuing this special ministry. Anita Proudfoot participated as a vocalist. Our district superintendent, Pat Simpson, who led the congregation from 1997 to 2006 also participated in the worship service. The women from



ALL CHURCH CONFERENCE

The All Church Conference (formerly know as Charge Conference) was held at Woodland Park UMC this year. The reason for moving it to Woodland Park was that we were grouped together with Woodland Park, Crown Hill, Magnolia, Ravena, and Green Lake UM Churches.

The meeting began at 4 PM and ended at 6 PM. The first hour consisted of all six churches gathering in the Sanctuary. Joanne Brown, Pastor of Tibbitts UMC, gave a presentation on small Groups and their importance in the growth of the church.

The second half the six churches broke off into their own groups. Shoreline was represented by more than 20 people. We confirmed the re-certification of Meredani, and Peni, as Certified Lay Speakers. We attended to other annual business. We have extra All Church Booklets in our church office, if you would like to read the reports.

The New Directory is in the final stages of preparation and will soon go to the Printer.

The December Newsletter will have all the information concerning the Christmas Season. Please be sure to get your articles ready and submitted no later than November 30.

The deadline for articles for the December newsletter is November 30

SHORELINE TIDINGS: A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF Shoreline United Methodist Church 14511 25th Ave. NE., Shoreline, WA. 98155 Phone: 206-363-3040
Prepared by Sharon Shope with articles furnished by members and information from the wider church family. Articles and other items are invited. Deadline: Last week of each month.