GOOD NEIGHBOR GIVE-AWAY

Thank you! Thank you! You made the event possible with your time, energy, prayers. Whatever criteria used to judge the day, the Good Neighbor Give-Away was a huge success. Neighbors helped out by giving to the event, working the event, taking home treasures from the event. The kitchen crew kept workers hydrated and fed. The Resource Table, brain child of Kate Wilson, was stocked with great things for kids for the summer month. Both Pastor Lee and Talatala Tuirotuma gave energy and presence in the preparation and the day of the event. The dynamo organizer, Grace Lee, kept the donation room ship shape and then directed the unloading of the donation room on Saturday morning with her usual "grace" and instruction. And many, many members of our Little Church on the Corner contributed time and muscle to make it a truly successful day. Remembering last Saturday is a pleasure that keeps on giving. Do you have a story from the event that you would share with others? Please tell someone on the GNG committee anything you observed or heard from people last Saturday that made you feel good to be part of the event. We want to compile some of the "happenings" from that day.







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- One story comes from the beginning: Dennis Lee praised the team work of the early morning crew who moved everything into place. He called it "magical". We would more likely call it a God happening.
- One young girl just had to show everyone her new purse that played music when opened

PLEASE, please, please.... share your stories. We also would like to receive feedback on what worked well and what could be improved.

As we gathered for prayer before the event, Jess Welling remarked: "It takes a village." Yes indeed. God working within a community can work miracles.

-The GNG Committee: Janelle, Alicia, Kitty, Sandre, Salote, Joan, Kate-

WELCOME SADIA!

Our search for a nursery attendant for our youngest participants is over as we welcome Sadia Sheikh to Shoreline UMC. Sadia started April 29th and had one young charge on her first day. Since then, she has had up to three on Sundays and truly enjoys being with our infant and toddlers.

Sadia lives in Shoreline; she is a wife and mother of four and loves working with children. Her credits include the nursing program at Shoreline Community College and many years of caring for and working with young children in early childhood education.

Sadia will staff the nursery from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Sundays to welcome and entertain the infants and toddlers of our parents and grandparents while they enjoy the morning worship.

Stop by and greet Sadia when you arrive on Sunday morning.

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NEWS FROM RECOLOGY

Recology is the recycling and waste company for the City of Shoreline. They shared the following recycling rules for Earth Month, which was in April. But they are good tips to follow all year, and SUMC is adapting them.

Rule #1: No food in the recycle bin!

Recyclables should be clean, empty and dry. But how clean is clean enough? Take a yogurt cup or a peanut butter jar, for example. Give these containers a quick rinse and scrape with a spoon or spatula before tossing in the blue bin. This little bit of extra effort helps prevent food scraps from contaminating the rest of the clean materials you spent time sorting!

Rule #2: Quick tips for identifying recyclable plastic

Don't let the little numbers on the bottom of plastic materials throw you off. Instead, think about your plastics dimensionally. Most 3D plastics can be thrown into the recycle bin (think: milk jugs, laundry detergent bottles, plastic water bottles), while many 2D plastics (think: single plastic shopping bags, chip bags and plastic wrap) go in the garbage.

Rule #3: The 3-inch rule

Recyclables must be at least 3 inches in diameter to be accurately recycled. Items like metal bottle caps, plastic utensils, and shredded papers are not big enough to be accurately identified by machinery at our recycling facility. Instead, shredded paper should be placed in your compost bin, and small container lids* and plastic utensils should be thrown in the garbage.

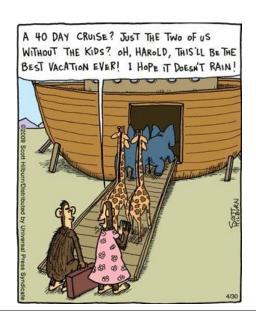
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UPCOMING EVENTS

- The Pacific Northwest Annual Conference is Thursday 6/21 thru Sunday
 6/24. Pastor Lee and several others from the church will be attending.
- Pastor Lee will be on vacation starting Monday 6/25 thru Sunday 7/8. He will return to us on Monday 7/9.
- While Pastor Lee is away, we will have a "Hymn Sing" service led by the Praise Team on Sunday 6/24.
- Rev. Kristin will lead our service on Sunday 7/1, and Meredani will lead us on Sunday 7/8.
- June meetings for Administrative Council and SPRC are cancelled due to Annual Conference and Pastor Lee's vacation.
- No Second Saturday meetings for July and August. We will resume in September.





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