



A Welcoming, Come-As-You-Are, Christ-Centered Community Church

Agate Windows Newsletter

And I will make thy windows of agates Isaiah 54:12



What's Happening at YCPC - January 2020

Monday, January 6, 12:00 Noon, Lunchtime Lectionary Study Resumes
(Except for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday on Monday, January 20)

Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m., Leta's Legacy Quilters

Friday, January 10, 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Red Cross Blood Drive

Saturday, January 11, 6:00 p.m., Annual Mid Winter Pizza Party

Friday, January 24, 10:30 a.m., YCPC Book Group

Saturday, January 25, 2:00 p.m., Organ-Aided Reflections by Jon Nestor

Sunday, January 26, 10:00 a.m., Jazz Worship Service

Friday, January 31, 6:00 p.m., Families Together

NOTE: Students of University Fellowship Church will be holding their retreat at YCPC over the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Weekend.

Friday, December 20, 6:00 p.m., Families Together Ornament Night

Ornament Night began with a delightful program of the YYFAP kids singing Christmas songs. And then there was the “usual” fantastic evening of a community meal, ornament making, tree decorating and Santa!! Many thanks to everyone who makes Ornament Night so special each year (including clean-up)!



Celebrating Christmas with the Yachats Homeschool Group

The Yachats Homeschool Group (YHG) students had their Holiday Variety Show on Friday, December 20. And—as they do for many holidays during the year—they baked cookies and delivered them to the residents of Sea Aire Assisted Living . . . where they also sang Christmas carols and songs.



Friday, January 10, 11:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

YCPC Fellowship Hall

Red Cross Blood Drive

If you are eligible, please plan to donate blood here at YCPC on January 10.

To schedule your appointment please call Sue Finlayson at 541-547-4532.

OR

Sign up online at redcrossblood.org

(Use sponsor code: YachatsCommunity)

ANNUAL MID WINTER PIZZA PARTY!!

Saturday, January 11, 6:00 p.m.

Join us in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, January 11, at 6:00 p.m. for a fun evening of Papa Murphy pizza and good company. Suggested donation:



\$4.00 for adults and \$1 for children

\$2.50 for salad only

We hope to see you there!

Questions? See DJ Novgrod

Next Book Group Discussion . . .

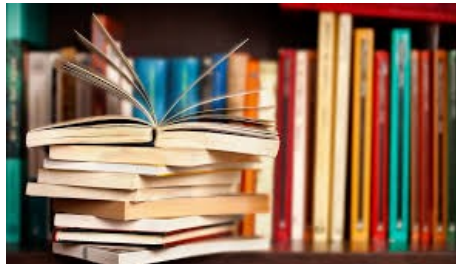
Friday, January 24, 2020, 10:30 a.m.

Mary Emma Parks

This month, you may read anything you like and be ready to recommend either a book or an author for the reading list in 2020. We will meet to hear your nominated selections. If you have time to read more than one book, bring a couple of recommendations. We may not be able to hear “book reports” about all recommendations you suggest, but we can certainly put them on a list and send them out to interested people!

Note: January 24 is the fourth Friday—one week later than normal—as some of us have another function scheduled on our regular meeting date.

The Book Group invites all who love to read to join us Friday morning, January 24, 2020, at 10:30 at the church. We’d love to see new faces. There will be coffee, tea, and a treat provided.



The Earth Care Committee meets on the first Friday of the month at 3:30 p.m. All are invited to attend our meetings. We would like to welcome our newest participant, Myron Eckhart.

We are planning an informative workshop to be held Saturday, March 14, at 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

We anticipate participation by the Yachats Homeschool Group. The topic will be “Plastics.” We have a PBS video to share on this topic with discussion following. There will be ideas on reduction of single-use plastic, including recycling, re-use, alternatives to plastic, and much more.

We are enthusiastic in this journey as we work together at YCPC and in our community to become better stewards of this beautiful planet. Please look for our new bulletin board, which will soon be located in the Fellowship Hall. It will have some new and insightful ideas to keep the conversation going.

From Your YCPC Earth Care Team

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