

Good News



from the **Northwest Region**
of the Association of Unity Churches

Winter 2009

Heart Notes

From your Northwest Regional Chairperson, Philip Arthur Zemke

Blessings and Greeting to all in love and peace:

I am standing at the well of gratitude today. I am drawing from the living waters of thanksgiving which comes from the deep stream of the constant gift of good that the Creator pours forth upon each of us.

As I sat in silent gratitude on Epiphany, January sixth, at the completion of the Season of Celebration of the Light of New Life, I gave thanks for the fullness of the deepened appreciation of our lives as vital Spiritual beings here in Bozeman. We had a great Christmas walk. And I began to see you, my companions in Christ, and the wonderful celebration that you fulfilled in each of your communities. I felt the deep love for your dedication and purposeful serving as the affirmative and harmonious presence of the Divine made manifest for the world. Thank you and all Blessing to, through, and for you.

Living in an increasing consciousness of gratitude has been a gift of greatest measure that I have learned to make real in my years practicing the Unity Way. And it is perhaps the most consistent practice that we as human beings share across our diversity of religions and cultures. Meister Eckhart once said, that in our relationship to God, say-

ing "Thank You" might well be sufficient. An attitude of gratitude is the glue that holds us to the Creator regardless of the ups and downs of life. Thank You is our practice.

In gratitude let us welcome Mary Vail of Tacoma, Washington as our new Administrative Assistant. The duties of the Administrative Assistant are an evolving process. We do know that Mary will serve as the central location for communications, steward of the mailing and phone lists, and initial doorway for website materials. I wish to say thank you to the other applicants for this position, for the process of creative interviews that assisted the process of illuminating what this position will come to be. Each applicant played a role in its creation. The central phone number now stewarded by our Regional Representative Barbara Wilson will be handed to Mary in February following the mid-winter meetings. The details of the Administrative Assistant position and how you may access and utilize it for the benefit of your work will be forthcoming. Thank you Northwest region for your affirmative support in establishing a new level of comprehensive professionalism in how we care for our region together.

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The purpose of this newsletter is to provide a means of clear communication that helps unify the ministries of the Northwest Region.

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I wish to extend another gratitude, this to the devoted team of the Summer Retreat. This team has many members that have served our region for the entire thirty-year life of this event. I give thanks to everyone who has worked upon, presented at, and participated in the Summer Retreat throughout these years. Like all events, the Summer Retreat evolves and has its ups and downs. For the past three years the Summer Retreat has experienced financial shortfalls of ten thousand dollars, seven thousand five hundred dollars, and seven thousand five hundred dollars again, for an accumulative twenty five thousand dollars shortfall. There is no fault to individuals for this, but rather a series of circumstance, and God is in the circumstances always giving us the opportunity to ask "what now Spirit?" The Regional Board, as stewards of the region's financial well-being, and given the current climate of economic flux, have called for a resting time for our financial commitment for this event. The region will therefore not be sponsoring a Summer Retreat this year. We do realize that it is the vision and desires of the people of the Unity movement in the Northwest Region whose voices need to be heard as to what and where and financially how they want a summer event(s) to feed our spirits in the future. Your board is actively creating a survey to gather this information. We will be asking those who attend the Spring Conference at Menucha to assist us as well. We, in this moment, do not know if the summer event(s) will look similar to the past or have a vastly different form, yet Spirit does know and it is ours to listen to Spirit's guidance. As we take the time to rest and renew our vision for our summer event(s) let us begin in appreciation for the work of love and peace of the past thirty years that we are building upon. Thank you

everyone for all of God's successes.

You are, each one of you, God's success. All that we are about in our inspiration, intuition, imagination and intelligence is the Mind of the Cosmic Divine pouring into manifestation that which is the Play of God, the artistic creation of the Holy Mystery.

The Creator creates the Creation that creates the Creator creating. It is always, in all ways, the Creator complete yet not finished with the play of creation. There is nothing to fear in the Universe...Amen.

Love and Peace, Harmony and Health, to you

Philip



Happy New Year from Unity Spiritual Life Center in Yakima, WA!

We have just created a new website for our Center with a slight change in the address. Our new web address gets rid of the hyphen, so it is now www.UnityYakima.org. We are excited about the new format which also allows for easier updating.

Also, I have a question for other ministries. What kind of sound system aids are used in the sanctuary for those with hearing challenges? We would love specific brand and item names if people wouldn't mind sharing. The information can be sent to us at Unity-Yakima@charterinternet.com or to my email at crohret@centurytel.net. Thanks so much.

Peace,
Cheryl Rohret

Northwest Region Representative

Rev. Barbara Wilson

Musings On Leadership

When I was working in the Silent Unity prayer room, I took a call from a woman who was obviously feeling a great deal of emotion. She asked me if Unity believed in death. Wow! My training as a telephone prayer worker was to refer such theological questions to the letter writers' group and tell the person that they would receive a thoughtfully prepared response in the mail. That was my first thought.

My second thought was that this question was only the tip of the iceberg. So instead of punting, I gently explored what was troubling her. Eventually it all came out. She was physically limited and was dependent upon her loving mother's care. Now her mother was dying and she did not know what her future would hold. Once I understood what her concern was, I was able to pray powerfully with her.

It was a beautiful lesson to me on the importance of being fully present and in communication with a person and their needs. But I can't say that I always remember that, especially when it comes to being present to my self and in communication with my own feelings and needs.

It's increasingly obvious to me that, along with my desire to be a contribution to life, I signed up to be a Unity minister to learn how to *own* my power to meet my needs and affect my happiness. Unfortunately, I frequently found it difficult to recognize this, as a church minister, because everything seemed to revolve around me personally. I was drawn into the illusion that I was there to make other people happy. Eventually I realized that there was at least one person who was seriously unhappy with me as a minis-

ter—me! So I left the church.

In my typical fashion, I leaped from the frying pan and into the fire. I accepted the role of regional representative!

When I was a church minister, I heard mainly from the people who loved and appreciated me. The people whose needs I was not meeting usually would share that with someone else. As a regional representative, I am now that someone else. I have yet to get a phone call or letter from someone in praise of their minister, board or congregation. The usual topic of conversation is about upsets and anxieties around what appears "wrong."

Now I can easily see that people's upsets are really not about who we are or are not as ministers. It is about their unmet needs. Even more significantly, it is about their powerlessness to get their needs met.

I appreciate that not every minister, with every congregant, is able to listen in that way. Ministry can make significant confusing demands upon a person. One can lose sight of the ultimate purpose for why we are there. We each may verbalize our purpose somewhat differently, but I suspect that it is to affirm Life and to empower individual lives.

My job offers people another opportunity to be heard when they have apparently hit a wall. Every phone call or letter from a concerned congregant, minister or licensed Unity teacher gives me another opportunity to become present and in compassionate communication. The difference now is that I am learning to first be present to myself and own my power. Then I am better able to honor and respect the person reaching out to me.

It has taken me some time but I now see this job and these concerns

as extraordinary gifts. They support me in remembering that I am a wholly magnificent child of God. I am an expression of divine life with access to infinite intelligence. The power that created me is the same power that enables me to find satisfaction in my daily life.

I am in awe of each individual who contacts me because they do so out of their own deep commitment to Life.

So please, please, please share with me what is troubling you in ministry. You will be doing me a favor. You will be contributing to my growth and empowerment. And I will do my best to return the favor!

Blessings of Peace and Power for 2009!

Barbara

Unitreat Planning Weekend
Friday, March 27, 6pm through
Sunday, March 29th at noon. Held
at Cispus Leaning Center, we col-
laborate and co-create the sum-
mer Unitreat experience. Contact
Chris Castaldi if you would like
to join us. Cost is \$45 plus com-
munity food donation as we col-
laborate on meal planning and
prep for this weekend.

Summer Unitreat - Adult
counselors begin training and
team building Saturday, June 20th
@ 9am. Youth arrive Sunday,
June 21st - we all finish at 1pm on
Friday June 26th. Counselors pay
½ tuition with 5 50% scholarships
available on a first come, first
serve basis for NGU counselors.
This year's tuition is; youth \$220,
counselors \$110, 50% scholar-
ships are \$55.

From The Desk of the Treasurer — Rev. Inge Tarantola

As I write this, I know that the next thing calling for my attention is the menu for Christmas and joyous time with family and friends. I trust you all had wonderful Holy Days and time for reflection. We are blessed.

Looking at our finances, by the end of November we reached the $\frac{3}{4}$ mark of our fiscal year, or 75%. In the budget figures, you will notice a shortfall of \$12,146 year to date. That is primarily due to these factors:

1. Love offerings from churches are at 66%
2. Final figures from Menucha show a shortfall
3. Figures from Crystal Mountain show a shortfall with additional expenses of approx. \$4,000 to be posted next month
4. NGU \$700 prior year expense, \$800 reimbursement coming

As our fiscal year draws to a close it is time once again to look to the future and plan for the 2009/10 fiscal year starting March 1st. I want to hear from you with your budget projections and any questions or suggestions you might have. The team is working on the budget to present to you for a vote at Menucha in April.

I am retiring from full-time ministry in Roseburg and will continue on a part-time basis in Eugene. Please send any requests for reimbursement to my home address listed on the reimbursement form and contact me at my new cell-phone number 541-968-5540. My e-mail remains the same.

In these economically uncertain times, we look beyond appearances to affirm that this is an abundant universe and we let go of fear so we can open to the flow of good. We are grateful for all that is and know that some blessings come in strange disguises. As Myrtle Fillmore replied to a co-worker who was concerned about finances, "*pray that our faith holds out.*"

God's richest blessings,
Inge Tarantola

The Evolving Face Of Prosperity Consciousness

by Ann Armstrong

The Prosperity Task Team was established in 2004 to promote prosperity in the NW Region. Under the leadership of Rev. Georgie Richardson, the Keepers of the Light of Prosperity program was initiated. It was a vibrant program, engendering much enthusiasm and commitment. At one time there were 70 Keepers in over 35 ministries praying daily for prosperity for themselves, their Unity Centers and the NW Region. However, in the past year the program lost its vitality and seemed to have served its purpose. This past summer Rev. Georgie released her commitment to sending weekly e-mail prosperity messages to the Keepers and entrusted each one to continue to expand the prosperity consciousness in their own churches, as well as the Region. The prosperity concept which has evolved in Unity at this time is that of "Thriving Ministries." I encourage each Unity Center to look at the program that the Association of Unity Churches is presenting to see how this fits in with their own goals and intentions to become a vital, thriving Unity Spiritual Community.

Gary Simmons Coming to the Northwest Region in March

Unity of Salem will be hosting Dr. Gary Simmons and his Integral Leadership and Church Growth Workshop the weekend of March 6-7. Everyone is invited to attend this exciting Leadership workshop, however, if you are involved in the Thriving Unity program, you know that attendance at this workshop is needed to satisfy Benchmark 2.

Unity of Salem is committed to the Thriving Unity program and rather than go elsewhere to attend the workshop, we felt that it would be helpful to the whole NW Region if we were to host it here in Salem. The fee for attendance hasn't been established as yet. Our plan is to keep it as low as possible, and the fee will be set according to how many folks are in attendance. The greater number of us sharing the hosting expenses the better it will be for all of us. We will do our best to find homes for you to stay in, if that is your choice, to help you keep your expenses down as much as possible.

If you are striving to meet this Benchmark, then the Minister and at least four members of your Board must attend the workshop. However, you do not have to be part of the Thriving Unity program in order to attend, all ministers, Licensed Teachers, Board members and Lay Leaders are welcome. Would you please drop me an e-mail at blessyourheart44@aol.com, or call the church at 503-364-0156 or 503-364-0235 to make your reservation.

We look forward to seeing you in March.

Sincerely,
Rev. Georgie Richardson

Northwest Region of the Association of Unity Churches
Fiscal Year — 2008 - 2009

Acc #		Proposed Budget	Mar-Nov Actual	75.00% Percent
	Income			
	Offerings from Churches & Others	114,300	75,846	0.66
	Sustaining Programs-Summer Retreat	7,000	-3750	-0.54
	Sustaining Programs-Reg. Conf. Menucha	3,000	-1443	-0.48
	Youth Ministry	10,000		0.00
	Total Income	134,300	\$70,653	0.53
	Expenses			
60018	Cell Phone	600	339	0.57
60000	Bank Service Charges	200	95	0.48
60600	Contract Bookkeeping (b)	5,400	3782	0.70
60015	Earth Care	1,500	-50	-0.03
61710	Equipment Rental Visa Machine	200	32	0.16
61800	Insurance	2,800	2440	0.87
60750	LUT Rep Exp	5,800	2003	0.35
60780/60790	Children's Ministry Exp	7,000	4330	0.62
60800	Office Supplies	100	26	0.26
60900	Postage & Mailings	300	282	0.94
60920/22	Regional Rep Exp	13,700	6059	0.44
60925	Alternate Region Rep	1,000	120	0.12
60930	Tithe (a)	13,400	7150	0.53
60940/45	Salaries (Youth Programs) (b)	40,100	29961	0.75
60950	Y.O. U. Exp	6,500	4430	0.68
60970	Regional Team Exp	7,000	5987	0.86
61750	Field Licensing Program	3,500	1721	0.49
62350	Other Exp (Flowers etc)	800	1426	1.78
62355	Newsletter	800	570	0.71
62360	Uniteens	4,500	4816	1.07
62367	NGU Exp	1,600	2684	1.68
62380	Employee Expenses Payroll Exp.	3,100	2284	0.74
62480	Regional Website	900	400	0.44
63335	SEE Scholarship	1,800	1912	1.06
	Contributions Pioneering Church	3,000		0.00
	Fall Traing	2,500		0.00
	Administrative Support (6 Month Trial)	5,000		0.00
	Judicatory Representative	1,200		0.00
	Total Expenses	\$134,300	\$82,799	0.62
	Net Income/(Loss)			(.12)
				(\$12,146)

In reaffirming the greatness of our nation, we understand that greatness is never a given. It must be earned. Our journey has never been one of short-cuts or settling for less. It has not been the path for the faint-hearted — for those who prefer leisure over work, or seek only the pleasures of riches and fame. Rather, it has been the risk-takers,

the doers, the makers of things — some celebrated but more often men and women obscure in their labor, who have carried us up the long, rugged path toward prosperity and freedom.

~ President Barack Obama
Inaugural Address
 January 20, 2009

2009 NW Unity Regional Conference



April 27 through April 30, 2009
at Menucha Conference Center on the Oregon side of the
Columbia Gorge

Ministries from throughout the region are encouraged to send
their Ministers, Spiritual Leaders, Licensed Teachers and Lay Leaders
to participate in this inspirational and informative conference.

SPECIAL NOTE: Penny Gruver will be ordained on the
closing day of this year's conference

Conference brochures will be
going out toward the end of
January with full details about
the conference, however we've
also included a registration form
below. Rev. David McArthur
will be joining us with a
HeartMath workshop. We will
also have new thought musician
Karen Drucker throughout the
week—sharing her music and a
workshop that is currently titled
"Everything you ever wanted to
know about music, but were afraid to
ask!" Watch for your brochure
with additional information If
you have any questions, contact
Patty Williams, the Conference
Coordinator, at
unitypatty@yahoo.com or by
calling her cell phone at 816-977-
4619.

2009 NW Unity Regional Conference • REGISTRATION FORM
Begins at 4:00 PM on Monday, April 27, and closes at 1:00 PM on Thursday, April 30
Mail to: Regional Conference, c/o West Sound Unity, 1712 Trenton Ave, Bremerton, WA 98310

Name: _____ Email: _____

Church Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

Position in Church: _____ Phone Number(s): _____

I would like to room with: _____ Special Food needs: _____

Lodging request (please circle one):
Single (\$495) Double (\$430) Triple (\$400) Dorm (\$340)

I would also like to support the scholarship fund for Conference in the amount of: \$ _____

Options for commuter and daily registration will be included in the final brochure,
however we encourage you to consider registering for the entire event.

Form of Payment: [] Check Enclosed (payable to NW Unity Region) [] Visa [] MasterCard [] Discover

Card # _____ Exp Date: _____ Security Code: _____

Our Regional Youth Ministry

Blissful and Blessed

Sixteen NGUers from around the region gathered November 14th-16th at Lewis and Clark State Park's Environmental Learning Center near Chehalis, WA. The theme for the wonderful weekend was "Follow Your Bliss." We explored how we experience bliss in our lives, the bliss we want to bring into our lives and how to get past the things that would seem to prevent us from experiencing bliss. For a service project we assembled love bags for each of the participants to give to someone in need so that we may spread bliss into our local communities.

This was the first retreat that we were able to provide someone with a scholarship for registration. And thanks to proceeds from t-shirt sales from this event we will be able to offer a couple scholarships for the spring retreat.

"Follow Your Bliss" was the best NW NGU event I have been a part of in the last five years and I see these retreats only getting better from here on out.

Check out the NGU web page unitynwregion.org/ngu.aspx for pictures of this retreat and information about our spring retreat May 15-17 at Menucha Conference Center in Corbett, OR.

Thanks for all your support.
In love and gratitude,
Nick Muncie-Jarvis



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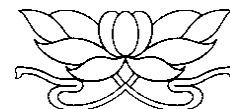
NW Region Youth Ministry Calendar 2009

(Some prices may vary slightly)

- March 20-22 **Kids Camp Counselor Training**
Spokane \$50 + \$190 camp fee = **\$240**
- March 27-29 **Unitreat Staff Plan & Train** at Cispus Center near Randle WA **\$45**
- April 24-26 **YOU Rally** at Cispus Center near Randle WA

1 check for chapter @**\$180** each person
(\$160 postmark by 3/30/2009)
- June 20 Unitreat Staff arrives at Cispus Center
- June 21-26 **Unitreat (Uniteens)** at Cispus Center near Randle WA **\$200**
- June 26 Kids Camp - Counselors arrive at Waskowitz
- June 27-30 **Kids Camp** (Campers arrive)

(NW YOU Service Project) 4 pm Sat. until 1 pm Tues
Camp Waskowitz - North Bend WA **\$210** kids
(\$190 postmark by 6/7/09)
- July 19-23 International Y.O.U. at Unity Village
- August 9-13 YOU Rendezvous at Vernonia OR \$250 includes Leadership Training
- September 25-27 **Fall Youth Ed Directors Leadership** - Seabeck WA **\$185**
- Oct 16-18 **YOU Retreat** at Camp Waskowitz near North Bend WA **\$180**
(\$160 if postmark by 10/1/2009)
- Nov 6-8 **Fall Unitreat (Uniteens)** at Cispus Center near Randle WA **\$140**





Unity Earth Care Northwest

We declare our covenant with God to walk upon Earth for the greatest good of all creation.

Taize Earth Prayer

Precious Spirit, we honor Mother Earth, our planet, our home. You have made us stewards of the land and the abundance of all it holds. We accept this challenge, knowing you are the Source of the lessons we need to live wisely. We remember how the planet looks from outer space and we hold that image in our minds. We protect our Mother Earth.

—Rev. Marilyn Muehlbach

Fruits of the Work – Setting Intention

According to the Webster dictionary, *Intention* is “a determination to act in a certain way: RESOLVE.” Extraordinary results in life become possible when we are fully intent.

I believe our intention in Unity is to make life-affirming choices. It’s an exquisite intention, but remains only words on a page unless those words are translated into authentic action.

If authentic action were easy there wouldn’t be so many “how-to” books on the market! We’ve been conditioned in different ways by our past experiences, which often hampers our ability to recognize our habitual life-negating choices.

Fortunately, spiritual practice, in service to our intention, can stretch us and support our resolve because it engages our awareness and focuses our attention on life.

The Northwest Region’s *Path to Earth Care* is a set of practices that can enhance our ability to make life-affirming choices for our Earth. Those practices are *Pray, Vision, Inspire, Learn, Share, Act, and Renew*. When we participate in these activities as an affirmation of Life, our relationship to Earth and to Life itself is transformed. Try them and see!

—Barbara Wilson

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Contact Unity Earth Care Northwest at
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Visit our webpage at www.unitynwregion.org
go to /Programs/Earth Care

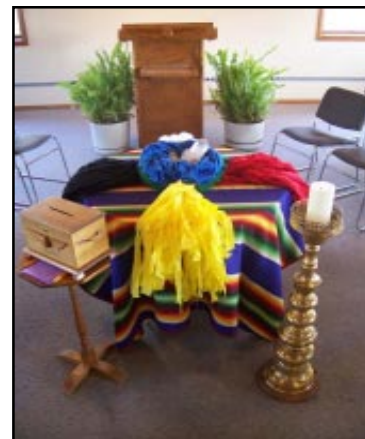
More Fruits – Celebrate Creation with Special Services

When we’re *Inspired*, filled with God’s breath, our natural impulse is to share it! The following special services were developed by the creative ministries in our region to celebrate our Earth home.

Unity Church of North Idaho in Coeur d’Alene observes each Thanksgiving Eve with a Taize service, and the yearly themes have included gratitude for our planet. This service style is a beautiful interweaving of group chants, songs and prayers. Two of Coeur d’Alene’s *Taize Services for Earth* are now available (see the prayer at left).

Since 2003 the region’s Earth Care team has been performing special services based on the “four sacred elements.” Three of these services are now available. We encourage their use for celebrating the changing seasons.

Earth: *Love is the Healer Service*
Water: *Gathering of the Waters Ceremony*
Air: *Prayer Ribbon Ceremony*
Fire: *Burning Bowl Service* (in 2009)



Prayer Ribbon Ceremony at Unity Church of Bozeman

Newly revised, *The Compassionate Universe seven-week series* by Marilyn Muehlbach is also available. Based on the book of the same name by Eknath Easwaran, the series kit includes Sunday talks and meditations, bulletin inserts, affirmation cards, small group materials, and more!

Go to RESOURCES on our Earth Care webpage (see left) to download all of these materials.

Licensed Unity Teacher News - January 2009

By Janet Rhodes, Licensed Unity Teacher Representative

This quarter, I have a lot of information related to the SEE Program and teaching classes for credit.

With the changes in classes, I was wondering how to get a sense of the methods that SEE instructors are using to teach the new ones, such as Charles and Myrtle on Healing and Wholeness, Parts 1 and 2. What I learned is that licensed teachers can take online courses on a love offering basis. Contact esee@unityonline.org for more information.

LUT Annual Reports Due March 1st!

Be sure to obtain a copy of the annual report form and send it in to the Association by March 1st. The form is online at [unity.org](http://www.unity.org) at:

<http://www.unity.org/index.php?submenu=Resources&src=gendocs&ref+LicensedTeacherMain&category=Resources>

You will be able to print out a pdf file and fill in the blanks.

Alternatively, you can email me to send a copy. Or you can go to the licensed teacher page of the Northwest Region's website and copy the form as an RTF file (which can be opened in most word-processing programs). Then you can complete this form on the computer.

When you move, change phone numbers, or change email, please remember to use the form to update the Association's office in Missouri. Also remember to send updates to Janet; see contact information in box.

More Changes to SEE Program

Unity Institute continues to work on the Spiritual Education and Enrichment Program. Here are the most current changes:

- Fee to register for a credit class is \$36.
- Universal Testing started January 1. Starting this month, students taking a class for credit, must take and pass a test developed by SEE. The tests are specific to the class. I understand that tests will be on-line and that SEE will send the student the information needed to log on and take the test.
- NOTE: SEE will not provide copies of the tests to ministers or licensed teachers. They want to keep teachers and ministers from "teaching to the test."
- Syllabi from SEE must be used when we teach a class for credit. This is to ensure that students receive the same information and have the information needed to pass the tests.
- SEE intends to put the syllabi on the web. How-

ever, if they are not on the web (they weren't the last time I checked), contact the SEE extension coordinator by emailing esee@unityonline.org or phoning 816-251-3535, ext 2035.

Clarification Requested on Some SEE Syllabi

I've learned that some syllabi are a bit vague on the learning objectives and some are rather detailed and lengthy, with too much information to teach in 10 hours.

Recently, I sent an email to the SEE program asking if they could provide shorter syllabi with clearer learning objectives. I also asked for more information on how the credit students will receive their scores and how they will receive feedback in the event that they do not pass the test.

SEE forms & Info.

Go online to get the newest forms and information:

<http://unityonline.org/education/see/seeforms.html>

LT's Take classes online-with Donation.

LT Ministry Team Changes

Due to changes in the team structure for the Association, the Licensed Teacher Ministry team's focus will change from proposing policies to assisting the LT Coordinator in admitting students to the leadership program and in evaluating teacher candidates for licensing.

Look for more information later in the year.

One in Truth,

Janet Rhodes, licensed teacher representative

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Statement of Values

As members of the Northwest Region we commit to:

- Creating spiritual community through education and practice of the Unity teachings and principles
- Experiencing unity in diversity as God in expression
- Practicing innovation and creativity in all that we do
- Healing and transforming through the power of love, prayer and Spirit
- Supporting our children and youth on their spiritual journey.

Mission Statement

We love, respect and support each other as we grow and empower our ministries.

Vision Statement

We are a community of powerful, prosperous and successful people committed to Unity ministry.

As a region we pray together, reach out, and care for each other.

Through the sharing of resources and information, and the education and training of our leadership, we encourage ministries to thrive.

We utilize systems, processes, and technology to enhance our capacity to minister with ease and flexibility.

In God, we enthusiastically do together more than we can do alone.

We Offer You:

- Professional peacemaking training
- Our Spring Regional Conference
- Paid Youth Education Consultant who presents workshops/ conferences and trainings within our region
- Paid Youth of Unity (YOU) Consultant who presents rallies, workshops/ conferences and trainings within our region
- Summer Camp for youth and teens
- A Regional Representative
- A Licensed Teacher Representative
- Two SEE scholarships towards becoming a Licensed Unity Teacher
- One regional MEP scholarship awarded to second-year Student
- Regional Trainings for church boards
- Yearly Family Summer Retreat at Crystal Mountain in August