

NCC News October 27, 2019



A Weekly Newsletter of Nu'uanu Congregational Church



Town Hall Meeting – Oct. 27



On **October 27, 2019** we will be having our first Town Hall meeting to introduce "NEXT STEPS," since our New Beginnings process began. We will introduce you to Hoku'iwa; Josh Hayashi will describe to us the "Next Steps" process and how we will figure out what Nu'uanu Congregational Church is "called" to do. It is a very exciting

time, and we need all of you to be there to be a part of it. The Town Hall meeting will follow our morning worship service in the choir room.

All-Church Fall Clean Up – November 9

Many hands are welcomed to help spruce up the church for the upcoming Advent season on Saturday, **November 9**, starting at 8:30 a.m. We are always appreciative of Troop 201's support and partial position in the clean up. I upon will be served at



participation in the clean up. Lunch will be served afterwards in Kosasa Hall.

Obata Endowment Fund Applications Due

The Obata Endowment Fund will be taking applications until **October 31, 2019.** Please make sure that you have it in the office before 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, 10/31/2019. Thank you.

Lectionary Study

The Lectionary Study has resumed on Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. with a light supper at 5:30 p.m. See Pastor Wally, if you are interested in being part of this group. Good food, great fellowship, and insightful learning! All are welcome!

You're Invited

Advent is the time of the year wherein we prepare for the incarnation, when God appeared in human flesh in the person of Jesus of Nazareth. The church is blessed by some wonderful, beloved hymns that help us prepare. During Advent, we will be studying on Wednesday evenings four of these remarkable hymns. We will be guided by the study book *O Come*, *O Come*, *Immanuel* written by Mary Louise Bringle and Beverly Howard. Mel Bringle, by the way, is a friend from grad school at Emory.

The study will begin on **Nov. 27** (yes, I know it's before Advent begins) and will be on consecutive Wednesdays thereafter for four weeks. We begin with supper at 5:30 and the study concludes at 7:30-ish. It's fun, good fellowship, and great learning. Let us know if you're interested in attending by contacting Paula at nccadmin@hawaiiantel.net or 595-3935.

Flu Immunization Clinic – Nov. 3 at 10:30 a.m.

If you have not received your flu shot yet this year, this is an excellent opportunity to get that taken care of after church **next Sunday**.

- Vaccinations will be done by CVS/Longs pharmacists certified in intramuscular vaccination protocol.
- In addition to the flu shot, there are other vaccines available to help protect us from illness. These include immunizations for pneumonia, measles, mumps, & rubella, whooping cough, and hepatitis A & B. If you want any vaccinations other than the flu shot, you will need to fill out a form, so that Long's will know what else they need to bring to the clinic.
- In most cases, the vaccinations are absolutely free through insurance (except Kaiser and TriCare).
- A \$5 off \$25 coupon for Long's will be provided for every flu shot administered.

The clinic will be held in room 206.

Support Grant Lee

A trust fund entitled "Revocable Discretionary Supplemental Care Grant S.C. Lee" (R.D.S.C. Grant S.C. Lee), has been established. If anyone would like to make a donation to help with health care for Grant who lives with Parkinson's disease, please make checks payable to: R.D.S.C. Grant S.C. Lee Trust and mail to Pearl City Community Church, 933 Lehua Avenue, Pearl City, HI, 96782 (Attention: Geri Ihara). Grant served as NCC's Associate Pastor of Christian Education, 1971-1981.

Give Aloha

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Kadomatsu Pre-Sale



Pre-sale orders are currently being taken for Troop 201's Annual Kadomatsu Sale. See Paula in the church office or contact Patti Asato (contact information below), if you would like to pre-order a beautiful kadomatsu arrangement, specially hand-crafted by the hard-working Scouts of Troop 201. Presale ends **December 6**. Please make checks payable to "BSA"

Troop 201." For questions, please contact Patti Asato at (808) 386-0690 or T201.Kadomatsu @gmail.com.

36" X-Large Fancy, \$100	36" X-Large, Standard \$75
26" Large Fancy*, \$50	26" Large, Standard \$35
14" Small Fancy*, \$40	14" Small Standard, \$25

^{*} Fancy plates will vary and be available on sale day on a first come, first served basis.

Pick up on Sunday, December 22. Pre-sale only 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Extra sales 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.