

Faith in Action Coalition

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Providence Newberg Medical Center
George Fox University Christian Services
Newberg Ministerial Association
NorthWest Senior and Disability Services
First Presbyterian Church
Newberg Friends Church
Zion Lutheran Church
St. Michael's/San Miguel Episcopal Church
North Valley Friends Church
Joyful Servant Lutheran Church
Chehalem Valley Baptist Church
Newberg Public Library
West Chehalem Friends Church
AARP/Oregon
2nd Street Community Church
Church of the Nazarene
GodSong Community Church
Family Life Church
Grace Baptist Church

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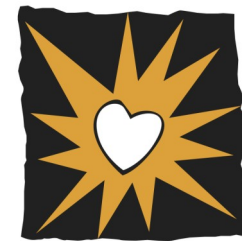
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2009 Annual Report

Mission

Faith in Action coordinates volunteers to help people who face challenges related to health or aging.

Message from Advisory Board Chairperson

In this year when so many things have diminished in value, Faith in Action has shown that not all things that have value are monetary. The excellent staff, the invaluable volunteers, and the generous donors without whom we could not be have only appreciated in value. Thanks to all who have worked to make this such a good year.

Carol Sherwood

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Jill Smith, Deana Vandenhoeck, Kathy Watson

Our Faithful Friends cont.

Friends cont.

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Delores Spanbauer in honor of Carol Nims
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Opal Wright

Faith in Action extends thanks to many others who provided in-kind services or goods throughout the year to support these programs, and to Providence Health & Services for the generous donation of office space.

Our Faithful Friends cont.

Bronze gifts cont.

Bill and Ann Dolan
Mike and LuWauna Douglas
Bob and Sandi Ficker
Lew and Kay Goslin
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memory of Crystal Riley
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Amy Natzke
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scesa in
memory of Kyle Scesa
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Friends (gifts under \$100)

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Leta Hickman
Robert and Mary Andrews
James and Evelyn Annala
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Holly and Jerry Austin
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memory of Maxine Rietmann
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bauer
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of Maxine Rietmann
Lisa Blackburn
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Theresa Bowen in memory
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Mr. and Mrs. David Brandt
Patricia Bryant
Mrs. Richard Campbell in
memory of Richard Campbell
Yvonne Carr
Janice Coleman in memory
of Maxine Rietmann
Stacey Cook
Dolores Coulombe in memory
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Donna Cowan
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Theдора Davis
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Don Fivecoat in memory of
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Robert and Darlene Hoskins in
memory of Maxine Rietmann
Sharon Hubbell in memory of
Leta Hickman

2009 Year in Review

Faith in Action kicked off our 14th year of service in 2009 with the annual coalition meeting at Family Life Church. Throughout the year a strong core of trained volunteers helped people who face challenges related to health or aging.

One of the changes in 2009 was the initiation of background checks, in order to comply with recent state legislation, on all volunteers who help elders one-on-one in their homes. We continue to do reference checks on all volunteers. This careful training and screening results in a cadre of quality, caring volunteers. Volunteers were recognized at a tea in April at Joyful Servant Lutheran Church. Wally Russell received the Volunteer of the Year Award for his role as a Strong for Life coach. We also recognized volunteer Ellen Hansen for her outstanding service by submitting her as a nominee for the Governor's Award.

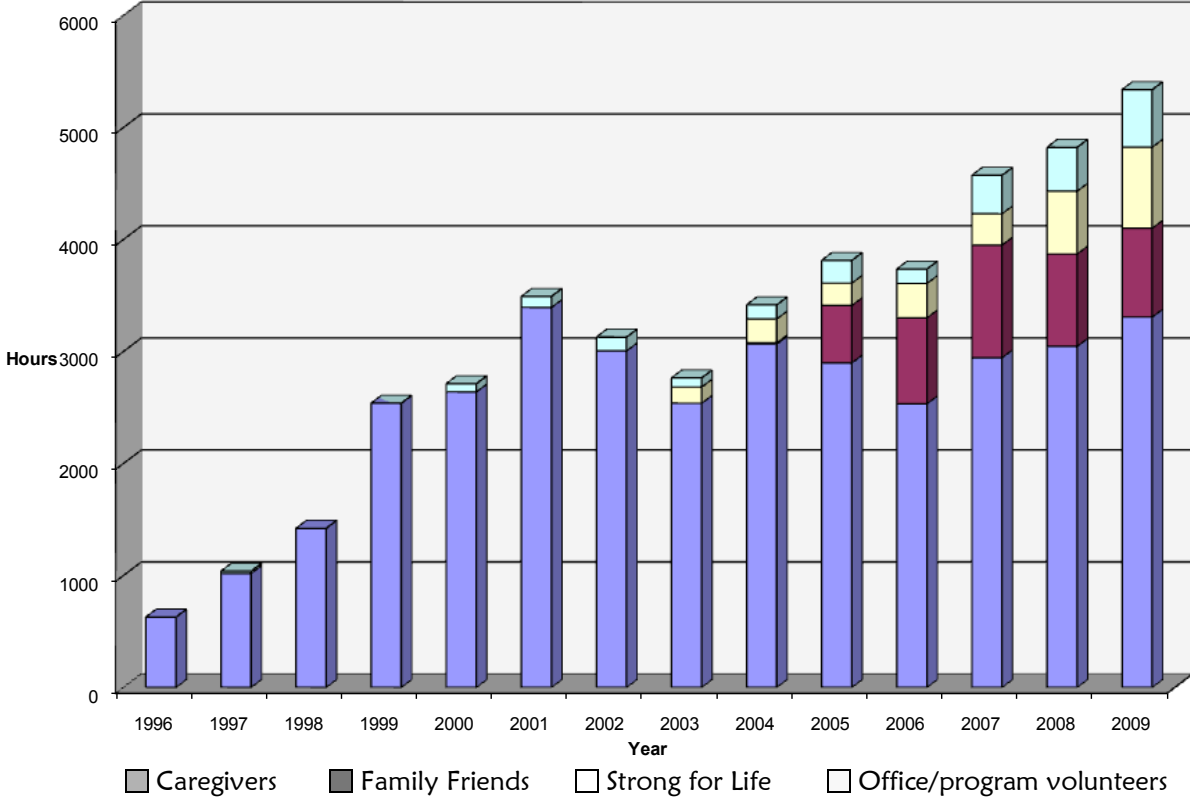
Strong for Life added three new locations for fitness groups in 2009. Family Friends held its annual picnic in August for children and families in that program. In addition to trained individual volunteers, Care Crews made up of church and school groups, service clubs, and families made quick work of large projects for older adults. We participated in George Fox University's Serve Day in September, held Neighbor to Neighbor Day in May, and a Family Volunteer Day in November.

Even in a struggling economy, individual giving remained strong for Faith in Action. Fundraising events – Faithful Friends Dinner, Hope for the Children Golf Classic, and the Sing Along Messiah – all did well. A small group gathering hosted by board members at Kelly Hagglund's in December proved to be a successful way to reach new donors.

Our program continues to network with other Faith in Action programs around the country. Kathy Watson serves as treasurer of the Oregon Faith in Action Network and Jan Irish is a director on the board of the Faith in Action National Network.

Our Faithful Friends

Hours of Volunteer Service



Number of Participants

	2006	2007	2008	2009
Caregivers				
Volunteers	89	91	108	117
Recipients	147	143	157	159
Family Friends				
Volunteers	25	26	31	26
Children	18	23	22	20
Strong for Life				
Volunteer Coaches		5	12	17
Participants		39	100	133

Platinum (gifts over \$1000)

- First Federal
- Mike and Jeanne Gougler
- Mid Willamette Valley United Way
- Gregg and Judy Selander in honor of Bob and Jan Irish
- Andy and Lisa Waldal
- Dean and Pat Werth

Gold (gifts \$500-\$999)

- Brown Tarlow Bridges & Palmer PC
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook
- First Presbyterian Church
- First Presbyterian Church Deacons Fund
- Mike and AJ Goins
- Robert and Janet Irish
- Martha Jahnke
- Jean Lewis
- Newberg Friends Church
- Newberg Ministerial Association
- NorthWest Senior & Disability Services
- Providence Newberg Health Foundation
- Providence Newberg Medical Center
- Gregg and Angie Stevens
- Spike and Melissa Sumner
- Sheri Walker
- West Chehalem Friends Church
- Daniel and Susan Zabel
- Zion Lutheran Church

Silver (gifts \$250-499)

- 2nd Street Community Church
- A-Dec
- Attrell's Funeral Chapel
- Bruce and Barb Breitling
- Sonya Chapman
- Kenneth Dana
- Mary Sylvia Davis
- Mark and Shannon DeLong
- Foxdale Homes, Inc.

- Friendsview Retirement Community
- George Fox University
- Dr. and Mrs. Stephen Gilroy
- Robert Grove
- Dolores Hesedahl for Strong for Life
- Jesse Hinds
- Mr. and Mrs. Tony John
- David and Jeri Johnson
- Dr. Stan and Ramona Kern
- Kyle Kern, DMD
- Newberg Steel and Fabrication
- Mark and Kay Passmore
- Barry and Sue Post
- Provider Mangement LLC
- Harriet Rasaka, in memory of Lawrence J. Rasaka
- Gregg and Judy Selander
- Carol and David Sherwood
- Frank and Fran Vanderzanden
- Visiting Angels Living Assistance Services
- Julie and Walter Want
- Want & Emery CPAs
- John and Sally Woodyard
- Roger and Judi Worrall

Bronze (gifts \$100-\$249)

- American Family Insurance, Ben Jaquith
- Larry and Judy Anderson
- Gloria Attrell in memory of Leta Hickman
- Robin and Ruth Baker
- Eleanor Ballard
- Eric Bergquam DMD
- Teresa Blummert
- Chris Brecke DDS
- Kathryn Budny
- Marjorie Campbell
- Caravan Coffee
- Dr. Stephanie Cha
- Compass Builders LLC
- Blanche Craig
- Kathryn Dodele

Financial Report

	2008 Actual	2009 Budget	2009 Actual
Expenses			
Program	24,281	27,607	22,195
Salaries/benefits	159,335	166,559	161,907
Indirect expenses	1,800	1,800	1,800
Fund development	4,510	4,500	4,311
Total	189,926	200,466	190,213
Revenue			
Individuals/Business	15,729	19,000	20,238
Faith Community	4,384	4,000	3,875
In-kind	16,740	17,240	15,240
Providence Newberg	49,353	89,000	60,178
Grants	4,125	10,000	0
Contracted Services	8,624	6,800	10,624
United Way	9,762	9,000	8,552
Events and Sales	81,209	47,000	71,625
Total	\$189,926	\$202,240	\$190,322

Program Outcomes

Family Friends

- 100% of Family Friends felt well supported and pleased with the volunteer assigned to them
- 88% of families have less stress because of their Family Friend
- 88% of families felt the program had improved their child's social, emotional, and psychological well-being

Faith in Action Volunteer Caregivers

- Prior to FiA services, 74% of older adults were concerned about their ability to live independently in their own home. After having support from FiA 97% felt less concerned about remaining independent and 90% said they had a better quality of life.
- 100% of recipients said they enjoyed their time with volunteers and would recommend FiA to others.

Volunteers

Arianna Ackerman	Jackie Hamlin	Jim Long	Maureen Rogers *
Alan Akins	Ellen Hansen *	Bonnie Lookabill *	Patricia Runyon *
Ray Amsinger*	Megan Harding	Chris Lumsden	Wallace Russell *
Teresa Arnold	Karl Harn *	Larkin Madden	Connie Schaberg *
Kathleen Ayers	Elizabeth Harney *	Nancy Manley	Cortlyn Schmitt
Ruth Baker*	Richard Harney *	Steven Manners	Bruce Schultz
Willetta Baker	Margene Haworth *	Diana Marlin *	Elsie Seese *
Doug Bartlett*	Zoila Heinzman *	John Martinez	Charlotte Seth
Arlen Benson*	Joanne Herbst	Nelson Massey	Ursa Shaw
Lisa Blackburn	Shannon Hill *	Lynn Molander	David Sherwood *
Angela Blake*	EstherMae Hinshaw*	Terry Molander *	Carol Sherwood *
Michelle Bornfleth	Roger Hirsch	Brent Montgomery	Alice Shupe
Kathleen Brandt*	Amanda Hodson	Karen Nakayama *	Samantha Skillman *
Marilyn Buchanan	Jasmine Holliday	Jack Neff *	Linda Smith
Kellie Buckwalter *	Stewart Holmes	Colleen Nichols	Maryann Smith *
Ross Budreau	Esther Hunter	Jim Niday	Louise Sperling *
Donna Buhrow	Sandra Huntington*	Karla Niday	Angie Stevens *
Lynne Carnevale	Robert Hurford *	Carol Nims *	Sara Stewart
Sue Chambers *	Kathleen Husvar	Elfriede Noss *	Michelle Storm
Stacey Cook *	Bob Irish	Sean O'Halloren	Victoria Streit *
Dianna Crawford	Christine Irwin *	Pam Olberding *	Janet Syska
Christy Dodge	Michael Jennie	Sharon O'Malley *	Jackie Thompsom *
Ann Dolan *	Fern Johnson *	Lucille Osborn *	Ashley Tilden *
Ernie Drew *	Evelyn Jungwirth *	Jeff Peck	Nena Urciel King
Erlene Fivecoat	Monica Kelly	Lisa Peck	Deana VandenHoek *
Eric Funasaki *	Lucy King *	Ryan Peck	Fran Vanderzanden *
Melissa Getsinger *	David Knierim *	Danielle Perry	Ashley VanMeter *
Gwen Graff *	Sandy Knotts *	Denise Pia	Mitsi Vondrachek *
Maria Granado *	Amy Landes *	Donna Read	Vernon Whitehurst *
Cindra Gray	Taylon Levy	Debbie Reid *	Vanessa Williams *
Jolene Griffith *	Rick Lipinski *	Ed Rieks*	Bertha Wilson *
Nancy Grove	Harry Litzenberg *	Lorraine Rieks*	Emma Wilson
Mandy Hall	Donna Long	Paulina Rodriguez	Elisabeth Winbush*

Volunteers with a an * after their name volunteered more than 20 hours in 2009. In addition to these trained, one-on-one volunteers, many others helped with such things as newsletters, events, and workdays. Organizations which volunteered include 2nd Street Community Church, Boy Scout Troop #262, GFU James Project, Girl Scouts (Robyn Cram), Jacob Baker HS Group, Kiwanis, LDS Church, Newberg Christian Church, North Valley Friends, Providence Rehab, and Youth Quake Middle School. Our thanks to each and every volunteer!

Faith in Action coordinates volunteers to help people who face challenges related to health or aging.

Caregivers

Volunteers help older adults with light housekeeping, yard work, minor repairs, meal and library book delivery, transportation to appointments, provide respite for family caregivers, and make friendly visits

- Handy volunteers fixed 3 fences, cleaned and repaired 10 gutters, installed 2 grab bars, built 2 wheelchair ramps, fixed 4 faucets, along with 15 other maintenance requests.
- 33 new volunteers trained, 14 of them under the age of 25
- 365 volunteers participated in Care Crews on 20 different days resulting in 1130 hours of service
- An average of 53 people per month received services
- An average of 74 volunteers (individually or as part of a group) participated each month
- 887 requests filled to help older adults

Family Friends

Volunteers befriend a child with special needs due to a chronic health condition or disability, offering love, companionship and support to the entire family.

The Family Friends summer picnic for children with special needs, their families, and the program volunteers who serve them drew nearly 50 people. Erlene Fivecoat, a Family Friends volunteer, planned the event and was helped by 11 others who provided giant bubbles, portraits, water games and toys, and a dog show.

- 29 children and families were matched with a Family Friend during 2009
- 8 new volunteers trained for a total of 26 screened, trained volunteers who worked to serve children and families in the Family Friends program

Strong for Life

Volunteers coach older adults in an easy to follow exercise routine designed to improve strength, function, and balance, and to reduce falls.

- 3 new fitness groups were added for a total of 8 groups exercising in our community
- 59 new participants
- 139 participants enrolled with an average of 78 active participants each month, which is a 29% growth over previous year
- 14 volunteers coaching in 10 different classes

Services for family caregivers

CarrierLink - Letter carriers watch for an accumulation of mail or any other signs of distress so that *Faith in Action* can notify emergency contacts. CarrierLink provides security for individuals living alone.

Caregiver Support - Support groups offer a time of sharing and problem solving for individuals caring for loved ones. Volunteer Donna Buhrow facilitates the support group for parents caring for a child with special needs. It meets for coffee monthly at Family Life Church. Jan Irish facilitates the support group for those caring for an older adult. It meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday at Providence Newberg Medical Center.

Resource Library - A lending library in the lobby of the *Faith in Action* office offers over 100 books and videos for family caregivers to borrow.

Referrals - Staff direct people to other resources when there are helpful services and information available elsewhere in the community.