



NCC News

June 2, 2013



A Weekly Newsletter of Nu'uanu Congregational Church

Celebrating Grads, Dads, and Sunday School Teachers



Sunday, **June 16** is Graduation Sunday! During worship, some of our graduating high school seniors will speak, as we recognize the accomplishments of all graduates. We will also give thanks for the dedication of our Sunday School teachers and honor all of our fathers.

After worship, we will have a grand celebration of BBQ goodies and water play! We have arranged for a “professional” water slide from “Most High Jump Inflatable Rentals” to be available for the keiki and the keiki-at-heart. Of course, we’ll have an abundance of good food throughout the water play time. We have also invited the families from The Children’s Center, Inc. Let’s make them feel welcome!



Board of Christian Nurture

NCC Summer Weekend Getaway

Our Family Camp at Mokuleia will be **July 5 to 7, 2013** (2 nights). You will enjoy hotel-type accommodations furnished with beds, showers, bed and bath linens, buffets prepared by the Mokuleia Camp personnel and a BBQ by NCC coordinators. Fellowship and fun intergenerational activities are planned, or you can choose to simply unwind with a book/meditate in the cool breeze by the ocean. All of this for \$125 per adult, \$50 per student. If unable to "staycation" the weekend, come for the day for \$25. Sign up now, after Sunday worship services or e-mail **Ruth Gushiken** at ruth.gushiken@gmail.com or phone 343-1164. Head count is needed by **June 28, 2013**. Questions? Please ask any Board of Christian Nurture member.



Ruth Gushiken and Sandy Satogata

Chutney and Jam Sale



Mark your calendars! **Donald and June Ikeda's** delicious mango chutney and jams will go on sale Sunday, **June 30**. All proceeds will go toward the College Summer Internship Program. Thank you, Don and June, for your continued support and generosity!

HCUCC ‘Aha Pae‘aina

The 191st ‘Aha Pae‘aina will be held in Kona and hosted by Mokuaikaua Church and the Hawai‘i Island Association. The ‘Aha Makua, the Annual Meeting of Hawai‘i Conference, will meet **June 6-8, 2013**. Representing NCC are delegates Becky Kanenaka and Paul Yamamoto, youth delegate Kimo Akinaka, and Pastor Mary Paik. Our college interns will also be helping out at the ‘Aha. Rebecca Weible and Kristen Young are leaders for the ‘Aha Youth Event, along with former intern Makaiwa Tong and her sister Welina.

Mahalo! (Excerpts from letters received)

“We recently received the generous donation of \$900 from Nu‘uanu Congregational Church for use by Kaumakapili’s Food Bank. The donation allows us to continue to purchase food at a the Hawaii Food Bank, Inc. at very reasonable prices (18 cents per pound).....A big mahalo to the members and friends of Nu‘uanu Congregational Church for the continuing donations to our food bank. We highly value this meaningful partnership.”
Rev. Richard K. Kamanu, Kahu Mua and Frank Jahrling,
Outreach Ministry Committee

“On behalf of Project Dana, I wish to express heartfelt thank you for the most generous contribution of \$1,000 which Project Dana received....The needs of the homebound frail elderly, disabled persons and family caregivers are ever increasing each year and Project Dana continues to offer social support with compassionate care through trained volunteers....We express our thank you to the Missions Committee and to everyone at Nu‘uanu Congregational Church.”

Rose Nakamura, Administrator

“The teens of the Special Buddy Connection would like to extend a huge ‘MAHALO’ for the very generous donation to the group. They just completed another awesome camp in late April with a record number of teens from the neighbor islands.....It would not be possible to have the teens join us without your support. Many thanks!” (Special Buddy Connection is a program for children with health issues and is part of the Wound, Ostomy and Continence Nursing Society)

Ann Jinbo and the staff of SBC

Today’s altar flowers are offered by Steve and Ann Ito
“In thanksgiving for daughter Vania and friend Judy on their
shared birthdays.”



