

## Keeping Connected in the LOGOS North West Region

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### LOGOS at First Presbyterian Church

The primary emphasis of the LOGOS ministry at First Presbyterian Church of Idaho Falls, Idaho is to show God's love to students.

Inter-generational connections and music are two of the ways that First Presbyterian Church brings God's love into the lives of children. Volunteer cooks, Bible teachers, craft leaders, and administrators come from all generations.

In the 2007-2008 LOGOS year, the program will include junior high students as helpers and leaders of various activities. Of course, Family Time provides a great opportunity to share and

fellowship for kids aged from 4 to 94!

Music highlights every night at LOGOS. On a typical

evening, students will enjoy learning to play bells at various talent levels as well as singing. The bell ringers play during worship, and the

students have numerous opportunities to praise the Lord with song at First Presbyterian Church.

During the 2006-2007 program year, the students even learned some liturgical dance steps. The year

ended with a worship musical, which was cast entirely by LOGOS students. The event was a wonderful worship experience.

The LOGOS ministry has been a blessing to First Presbyterian Church. By God's grace, those who participate as students and volunteers know that God loves them!



### Project Linus

During the 2006-2007 LOGOS year, children of First Presbyterian Church had an opportunity to serve others. All school-age children participated in making fleece blankets for Project Linus. The mission of Project Linus mission is to provide love, a sense of security, warmth and comfort to children who are seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need through the gifts of new, handmade blankets lovingly created by volunteer "blanketeers". The LOGOS kids made over 12 blankets and learned about the origin and mission of Project Linus. The Project Linus ministry tangibly connects students in the LOGOS program with other children in the community who are in need. The ministry also provides a meaningful way for the LOGOS students to make a special gift for others.

*This month's articles were written by Rev. Jonathan E. Mitchell, Associate Pastor and Leslie Mayer, LOGOS Co-Director of First Presbyterian Church in Idaho Falls, ID. First Presbyterian has been offering a LOGOS ministry for ten years. They serve 65 children from preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> grade.*

## FOCUS ON TRAINING

- **LOGOS Powering UP! in Placentia, CA / February 9, 2008**

1 day multi-topic sessions that allow attendees to choose specific subjects of interest for in-depth sharing and learning. \$79 per person or 1 training seat per Ministry Member

- **The LOGOS Encounter in Snohomish, WA / April 26, 2008**

A 1 day basic foundations training for new LOGOS ministries or to give those in existing ministries an overview and experience. \$340 per person or 1 training seat per Ministry Member

- **The LOGOS Experience in Helena, MT / July 11-13, 2008**

2 ½ day basic foundations training for new LOGOS ministries or to give those in existing ministries an overview and experience. \$340 per person or 1 training seat per Ministry Member

- **The LOGOS Experience in Sunnyvale, CA / July 17-19, 2008**

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- **LOGOS Powering UP! in Portland, OR / November 8, 2008**

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**For complete information on each training event and to register a team from your church, please check out our website. Additional training events are located in other regions and can also be found on our website.**

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## LOGOS North West Regional Support

Regional Advisors and Regional Coordinators are your resource people for questions, concerns, ideas, support, or anything regarding your local LOGOS Ministry. They welcome your calls and emails!

Volunteer Regional Advisors serving in the North West:

Washington: Jodi Hassell

Idaho and Montana: Kathy Price

For information on your Regional Advisor, please contact Liz Perraud and she will connect you! We are in the process of calling more regional supporters. If you are interested in finding out about serving LOGOS in a variety of possibilities, please contact Liz.