



Central Oregon Police Chaplaincy
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The Beat

Greetings Family and Friends of COPC

Greetings – Boy, what a busy month --- again! The First month of the year and everything is new! We began the month with the responsibility of the ICPC (International Conference of Police Chaplains) Regional Training Seminars. Due to my being the Regional Director I had worked on this five day event for the last year – I am working on next year's now! We had a very successful week of training, supporting and serving the chaplains of the Northwest. Many times during the course of the week I thanked the Lord for Mike Dismore and his ability to help us through the week. We have awesome chaplains that serve the Central Oregon area and we just could not do what we do without them. Mike and I had a two day training event at the New Hope University located in Eugene, Oregon. It was a blessing to be on a Christian Campus and work with the students. We have been invited back for which we are thankful for. We transitioned to a

new phone system for a minimal cost, Mike was able to upgrade his computer – much needed – to help with the office as well. I was able to upgrade my vehicle thanks to Deschutes County Sheriff's Office and their support for the chaplaincy. I must confess that the NEW is Wearing me out and challenging me. I'm glad for a new Day with HIM. Thanks for helping support the Chaplaincy here in Central Oregon – across the Northwest as well. A New Day.

- Jim

ICPC Regional Training Seminar 2012

Once again the Northwest Region #2 of the International Conference of Police Chaplains provided an excellent training conference last month. We had six from COPC in attendance.



Chaplains Kimi Glaspi and Kris Wright

The Regional Training Seminar & Workshops offered the following workshops: Equipping Leaders, Law Enforcement Family, Substance Abuse, Sensitivity Diversity, Spousal Support, Ceremonies & Events, Suicide, Training Certificates & Accreditation, The Web – Friend or Foe!, and Stronger First Responder Families.



ICPC President Keoki Awai, Retired Assistant LAPD Chief Bob Vernon, ICPC Region 2 Director Jim Crowley

There were around 70 chaplains from the Northwest in attendance along with the newly elected ICPC President Keoki Awai, the ICPC Academic Registrar Chaplain John Transue, and special guests for the RTS: Retired Chief Bob Vernon and Noel Meador.



Chaplain Mike Dismore

Weekend to Remember® Marriage Getaway March 9-11, 2012

Central Oregon Police Chaplaincy and the Board of Directors are again teaming together with Family Life to assist ten couples with conference registration. The standard price for this conference is \$159 per person (\$318 per couple). With the help of Family Life and COPC we have been able to make this opportunity available for \$80 per COUPLE for the first ten couples who register! After that the cost for additional registrations will be \$159 per couple.

To register send an email to Chaplain Jim Crowley at jbcrowley@bendbroadband.com or Chaplain Mike Dismore at pastordiz@juno.com: Names, Address, Contact Phone, Email Address, Agency/Department, and Church (if you attend). After you have your registration confirmation, send a check for \$80.00 to COPC, PO Box 1898, Redmond, OR 97756.

This is for the conference registration only and does not include lodging or meals. If you choose to stay at the Sunriver Resort lodging costs will be an additional \$95 per night. Call 800-547-3922 for Sunriver Resort lodging reservations.



News & Events

- **COPC Chaplains Training** – First Tuesday each month from 0900-1200 hours at the COPC office in Bend.
- **COPC Board Meeting** – Second Thursday each month at the COPC office from 0830-1000 hours.
- **DCSO Corrections** – Chaplains Jemes, Dismore, and Crowley continue to meet weekly for a lunch with the Corrections Family.

Prayer Requests

- Marriages of our Fire, Law Enforcement and Dispatch families. Our Chaplains meet weekly with officers, firefighters and dispatchers that request our assistance and prayers for their families.
- Covering of His Grace, Wisdom and Protection on our chaplains. Agencies and families.
- There are many First Responder Families facing illnesses, surgery, and other physical ailments. Keep them and their families in prayer.

Dispatched Chaplain Requests

- Chaplain Glaspie assisted MPD with a Death of a Child 01/03
- Chaplain Austin assisted DCSO P&P and DCSO Jail with a Death Notification 01/10
- Chaplain Austin assisted BPD and BF&R with a DOA 01/10

Chaplain Kell assisted RF&R and RPD with a DOA 01/13

Chaplain Dismore assisted RF&R, RPD, DCSO, OSP with a MVA Rollover 01/14

Chaplain Wright assisted BPD with a Death Notification 01/14

Chaplain Dismore assisted RF&R and DCSO with a DOA 01/15

Chaplain Jemes assisted BF&R and DCSO with a DOA 01/16

Chaplain Jemes assisted BF&R with a Fallen Victim/Hospital Transport 01/17

Chaplain Dismore assisted RF&R and DCSO with a DOA 01/20

Chaplain Kell assisted RF&R, RPD and DCSO with a DOA and Death Notification 01/22

Chaplain Kell assisted RF&R and RPD with a DOA 01/23

Chaplain Jemes assisted LPF and DCSO with a Suicide 01/23

Chaplain Dismore assisted RF&R and RPD with a DOA 01/23

Chaplain Dismore assisted DCSO with a Death Notification 01/24

Chaplain Barker assisted CCSO with a Death Notification 01/24

Chaplain Jeffery assisted BPD and BF&R with a Hospital Transport 01/27

Chaplain Kell assisted CFD, SF&R and DCSO with a Hospital Transport 01/29

Chaplain Dismore assisted RF&R and RPD with a DOA 01/30

Chaplain Jemes assisted BF&R and BPD with a DOA 01/31