



ST. ANDREW'S UNITED CHURCH

February 9th, 2020

Minister: Rev. Tim Bowman

Music Directors: Deborah Handley

Pianist: Jacob Greenan

Greeters:



Welcome If you are visiting, we would be delighted if you would fill out a blue communication card found at the back of the church in the bookcase and put it in the offering plate or give it to

an usher. Please join us next Sunday for coffee and fellowship before the service at 10:45am

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

St. Andrew's: Wednesday & Friday: 8:30 am to 3:30 pm

Please note that the Church office will be closed on Mondays

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In a pastoral emergency, please call Rev. Tim Bowman at 604-516-0466 or 604-826-8296



When Saint Andrew's United Church moved from their little building on 2nd to their Grand Street location, a Time Capsule was placed in the cornerstone of

the new building. Please join us for an exciting event on February 16th at 1:30 at the Mission Archives, as we open a piece of our history.

St. ANDREW'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayers: Please pray for those in hospital or at home in need of our prayers: Cyril, Laurie, Mark, Annie, Louis, Marilyn, Aroon, Loa, Darian, Tyler, Candice & Ian, Devon and his family, Alan, Matt, Chantelle & Owen, Ron, Elmer, Laurene & Family (Sharon, Sarah, Jessica, Ken, Dylan), Dan, Kathrine, Paulette and family, Sherry Edmunds-Flett Family, Myrna and Ray, Barb, Zenovia and family, and Cathie.

This Week at St. Andrew's:

Today – 10:45am – Joint Coffee and Fellowship Time

11:30am – Worship Service

Feb. 11th – 1:30pm – Interfaith Sip n Stich at Carrington House

Feb. 12th – 7:00pm – Choir

Feb. 14th – 7:30am – ROMEO Breakfast at Jojo Bana Restaurant
10:00am – Centering Prayer and Lectio Divina

Feb. 16th – 11:30am – Worship Service with Sunday School

1:30pm – Time Capsule Opening at Mission Archives

Feb. 19th – 1:30pm – Executive Board Meeting

Feb. 23rd – 11:30am – Joint Service at St. Andrew's UC

Mar. 1st – 12:30pm – Congregational Meeting



Shrove Tuesday, Pancake Supper

February 25, 5:30-6:30pm

Come for Fellowship and Pancakes as we prepare to journey through the Season of Lent. Admission is by donation and all proceeds go to Mission Central School's Breakfast Program.



Leap Year Talent Show, A United Church Cluster Event,

Hosted by Gladwin Heights

Saturday February 29 at 3:00pm!

The time is coming for United Church Families to have fun, and entertain each

other! If you, your children or grandchildren have a talent to share, please let us know! This is a Free Family event, please feel free to bring a Finger Food Appy or Dessert.

Email moreenergy@shaw.ca



Imagine: A Children's Retreat
February 21-23 2020

Stillwood Camp and Conference
Centre in the Columbia Valley
4pm Friday to 1pm Sunday

for all children aged 8 to 11

If your child travels on our chartered bus the pick up time in the lower mainland will be approximately between 1:30 - 2:30 pm. We understand that some children may have to miss a couple hours of school. The charter bus will pick up in several locations within the lower mainland only.

This retreat is supported by the **congregations & Pacific Mountain Region of The United Church of Canada**



Theological Buffet Event:

Feb 22nd from 10am til 3pm with lunch provided.
Carman United church, 7258 Vedder Rd. in Sardis.
Church office: 604-858-3223.

This is a chance to learn more about how people with different approaches to and understandings of their theologies work and interact with others. This event is bigger than our cluster and is open to a large cross-section of the church. All lay and clergy are invited, registration will be open ASAP.

Lunch is by donation and will be gluten free and vegan.



United Churches of Langley will be offering its second **Jazz Vespers** on Sunday, **February 16, 2020, at 4 pm**, at our Murrayville site. Rev. Hilde Seal will be leading the service, that will feature the Vancouver-based **Aaron Hardie Quartet**.

The music chosen for this vespers will be a tribute to the giants of jazz and their

immeasurable contribution to the world of music, as part of honouring **Black History Month**. Prayers, readings and meditations led by our ministers and chosen from a variety of sources for thematic inspiration, will alternate with the music selections.

A voluntary offering will be collected during the service (suggested donation of \$10.00 per person). Refreshments and fellowship will follow.



Are you looking for an amazing volunteer opportunity? Do you have a big heart and you love to serve? Do you have the time to make a steady commitment? At Hope for Women Pregnancy Services we serve clients and their families in Abbotsford, Mission, Aldergrove, Langley, and Chilliwack areas. We are non-medical in nature and do not perform or refer for abortions, but provide free self-administered pregnancy tests, options counselling, pregnancy information and support, ultrasounds, volunteer doulas for birth support, and ongoing friendship through our volunteer peer counsellors. We also provide parenting support, and baby supplies (e.g. diapers, wipes, formula, clothing, etc.) for up to 2 years after the baby is born. Some of us are trained Post Abortion Counsellors so we offer post-abortion care and counselling for women who choose abortion, or for those around her who may have been affected by that decision. All of these services are free and available to everyone who visits our centre and are offered in a completely confidential, safe, and non-judgemental environment. We believe that women deserve to be respected and valued no matter what they choose. We also believe that women have the right to be fully informed about their options so they can make a decision they are comfortable with, not only for the moment they're in, but for their futures as well. Note that because we invest time in the training of volunteers, we ask that you apply only if you are serious about this commitment. We do require a commitment of one full day each week and are looking for long term commitments. Please contact marlo@hopeforwomen.ca for more information.

Readings for February 16th, 2020

Dueteronomy 30:15-20, Psalm 119:1-8
1 Corinthians 3:1-9, Matthew 5:21-37



The next **Meet & Eat** Lunch is March 4th at Corona's Mexican Restaurant!



The next ROMEO breakfast is February 14th at JoJo's Bana Restaurant in Abbotsford at 7:30am

