



## The week of Nov 12, 2023

### Announcements

**Hybrid Worship on Sunday, Nov 12, 2023 at 10:30 am:** This Sunday we are led in worship by Rev David and the Giving Generously presenters will be our Explore Team. To join the ZOOM on Sunday, ***CLICK HERE***. To read the order of service for Sunday, ***CLICK HERE***.

**Trinity + Worship:** Missed the In-Person Sunday Gathering? For a video of the most recent Sunday service, ***CLICK HERE***. Streamed on our YouTube Channel on **Nov 5** this was our Remembrance Sunday service.

**2023 Annual Financial Meeting:** Make sure you plan to attend our **Annual Congregational Financial Meeting** on **Sunday, November 19** after our worship time. *Be sure to attend as we will be making budget decisions regarding the future of Trinity.*

**The UCC Remit Story:** The Governance Team would like to report on a remit vote that took place at our last Governance Meeting on **October 24, 2023. [CLICK HERE.](#)**

**DOERs Meeting:** THIS WEEK!!! **Monday, November 13 at 6:30 pm** in the Library and Narthex. Let's get the teams together for some sharing and planning!

**Growing Generosity:** This week our Explore Team will be highlighted during our worship. Check out our stewardship program for this year, **[CLICK HERE.](#)**

**Christmas Bazaar:** **All hands on deck as we careen towards the end of November!** Join in the excitement. On **Saturday, November 25 from 10 am to 2 pm**, the Trinity United Christmas Bazaar will be a congregational and community-building event you don't want to miss. **[CLICK HERE.](#)** *Lunch will be served 11 am to 1:30 pm.*

**Scam Alert:** Any one with a new email address for the church, we would ask that you come in person to confirm this or let us know by phone. Any requests to the office for Directories will be also confirmed with a phone call.

**Save the Date:** "Christmas Around the Piano", **Sunday, December 17 @ 1:00 pm.** Trinity's Worship & Music Team is celebrating Advent with an afternoon of music and stories. Please join us in the Sanctuary or via Zoom. Details to come, watch this space!

**Silent Auction Items Urgently Requested:** The Bazaar Team needs beautiful and exciting Silent Auction items for it to be successful: delightful tchotchkes, gift/theme baskets, sporting/theatre tickets, watches/jewellery, etc. Good quality new or nearly new items can be left in the Choir Room for processing. Last day to donate: **Sun, Nov 19.** *Thank you.*

**UCC Calendars for sale:** Limited amount for sale after worship this Sunday with Joy G. \$10 or purchase from the office during the week.

**Fellowship of the Least Coin:** Well done Trinity! **\$382.55** was sent to the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada as our donation to the Fellowship of the Least Coin for this year. *We can now start saving our coins for next year.* If you want to donate and can't make it to the Church, call Beth Anderson (in the Directory) to arrange a pick-up.

**Congregational News of Note:** Debra Peterson's son, Rebecca Dobbs, is competing at the Canadian Ninja Association National Finals in November! He will be missing the Bazaar to compete. At 17 years of age, he is in grade 12 and competed in Worlds this summer in Orlando, Florida and placed 13<sup>th</sup> in the World for Amateur Men's (ages 16-39), ***CLICK HERE*** to learn more. *We wish him good luck!!*

**Theatre in the Country for Christmas:** We are fully subscribed! If there are any more requests, they will be placed on hold and will be filled as tickets become available.

**Thrift Sales:** Another stunning total, **\$1095.25!** Excelsior!

**Kapa'aa November Newsletter:** [\*\*CLICK HERE\*\*](#)

**Canadian Government Matching Donations for Gaza and West**

**Bank:** The United Church is participating in the Humanitarian Coalition appeal. Gifts raised through the United Church appeal between **October 7 and November 12, 2023**, will be matched by the Government of Canada. [\*\*CLICK HERE.\*\*](#)

**UCC Service Stories Nov 12:** [\*\*CLICK HERE\*\*](#) for this Sunday's story. "Compassion into Action." Mission and Service partners provide real-time relief around the world on a daily basis.

**Gifts With Vision:** Never doubt the power that even the smallest gift can have. Through Gifts With Vision, you can transform the world, one gift at a time. Celebrate special occasions in a way that makes a difference -- with no need for wrapping or exchanges! Select gifts from our **new catalogue** [\*\*CLICK HERE.\*\*](#)

**Healing Pathways:** The Tri-Cities Healing Pathway ministry has begun again to offer in-person healing sessions at Inlet United on Monday afternoons. Sessions can be booked for **1:15 or 2:00.** That time on the 4th Monday of each month, however, is set aside

for a gathering of practitioners. To book a session contact 604-939-5513 or email [healingpathway@inletunited.ca](mailto:healingpathway@inletunited.ca).

**PMRC Prayers:** In our own Pacific Mountain Region of the United Church of Canada, we pray for Hope UC, **Inlet UC (Port Moody)**, Jaffrey UC, James Bay UC (Victoria), Jubilee UC (Burnaby), and Kamloops UC.

**Broadview Article:** What Canada can learn from Brazil about returning land to Indigenous communities. Brazil's new government has made several commitments to Indigenous reconciliation in a fraction of the time the Canadian government has been in power. **[CLICK HERE](#)** to read.

**Broadview Needs You:** A recent decision by the UCC has led to reduced funding for Broadview Magazine. Damaging voices that couch hate in Christian rhetoric are growing increasingly loud, organized, and well-funded. We must continue to publish stories that build learning and understanding. **Now through November 20th**, a generous donor will match your tax-deductible gift of \$25 or more.\* And they will match every new monthly donation for the next 12 months – up to \$40,000. **[CLICK HERE](#)**.

**Trinity Prayer Circle:** We have two prayer circles set up to receive and act on your prayer requests. Please refer prayer requests to Linda Lund (778-883-3064/[linda.lund60@gmail.com](mailto:linda.lund60@gmail.com)).

## Prayers of the People: Nov 12 - 18, 2023

In the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle of the World Council of Churches this week, we pray for Aotearoa New Zealand and Australia. **CLICK [HERE](#)** to find out more about this part of the world and the ecumenical prayer cycle.

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