



The week of Jan 14, 2024

Announcements

In-Person Worship on Sunday, Jan 14, 2024 at 10:30 am: This Sunday we are led in worship by Joy Galea and Debra Petersen. **There will be NO ZOOM and NO LIVESTREAM on Sunday, due to our technology overhaul in the Sanctuary being undertaken by Pro-MAX.** Hopefully, we will have the new system up and running **next Sunday**, when Rev David returns to us. To read the order of service for this Sunday, **[CLICK HERE](#)**.

New Technology in the Sanctuary: We are very pleased to be welcoming the team from Pro-MAX this past week and next, as they give us a whole new sound, display, and camera set up.

NEXT FRIDAY: Anyone who has been volunteering to run our Sunday Services (**worship hosts and soundboard ops**) and anyone who thinks they might like to give it a go, are encouraged to attend our TRAINING SESSION, next **Friday, Jan 19 at 10 am to 12 pm** in the Sanctuary. Matt from Pro-MAX will be on hand to train us and answer any questions.

Trinity + Worship: For a video of the most recent Sunday service, **CLICK HERE**. Streamed on our YouTube Channel on **Jan 7**.

Mission and Service Stories for Sunday: Our Worship this Sunday will centre around the concept of Refugees. Because we won't have our slideshow or any technology available, please take a moment to check out, "Making a Home for Refugees: ChrisAnn Alvarez's Work". Here are the videos, A Deeper Look: Making a Home for Refugees - Part 1 (**click here**) and Part 2 (**click here**), on YouTube.

THANK YOU: To the Rachel Unit for their continued efforts to produce the lovely Memorial Tree each Christmas. This is the **25th** year! We will acknowledge the final memorial names during our Jan 21st worship...

Governance Meeting: Trinity's Governance team will be meeting on **Tuesday, January 16th at 10 am** in the church's

DOER's Meeting: Make sure you are free to come out to the Doer's Meeting on **Monday, Jan 22 at 6:30 pm** in the Narthex/ Library. Lots of news and views to discuss - come and be part of it!

SWAG Decor: For those who bought door swags at the Bazaar, we would like to have you return the plastic hanger bases so we can reuse again next year. You can leave in the Choir room or return to the office or **Harvey 604-512-6774**. *Thanks very much for supporting the lovely swags and the Bazaar.*

Warning: Another phishing scam is purporting to be from Rev David, trying to share photos through a link in the email. Do not click on the link. Delete the email and block the sender.

Attention Broadview subscribers: It's time to renew your subscription! For just \$30 (including tax), you'll receive 8 more issues of *Broadview* delivered straight to your mailbox. You won't want to miss out on a single issue of the magazine's award-winning coverage of spirituality, social justice and ethical living, as well as United Church news and perspectives. **Syd Sawyer at 604 941 4565** will be collecting subscription monies now till the end of February. **Not a subscriber?** It's never too late to join our *Broadview* subscription group! Syd Sawyer can help you get signed up **today**. And remember — the discounted \$30 rate is **ONLY** for group members.

Thrift: Reopened **Jan 10** with an inspiring total of \$965.25! New year, same old smashing it...

Choral Connections CONCERT: Choir is pleased to present our **United in Song – 2024** concert at the Trinity United Church, 2211 Prairie Ave., Port Coquitlam, BC on **Sunday, January 28, 2024 @ 2:00 pm**. This is a fundraiser for Trinity United Church **and** the choir. Join us as we celebrate 2024 with a great selection of songs and some very entertaining special guest performers.

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.

An Evening of Interest: We would like to invite you to a Flourishing keynote presentation with [Afdhel Aziz](#) and Moderator [Carmen Lansdowne](#):

"Unleashing the Moral Imagination to Create a Flourishing World: Recalibrate our Compass to Imagine the World as it Should Be", 6:00 - 8:30 pm, February 8, 2024, in-person at St. Andrew's-Wesley United Church, 1022 Nelson St., Vancouver, BC. **[CLICK HERE](#)** for tickets.

PMRC Prayers: In our own Pacific Mountain Region of the United Church of Canada, on this Christmas Eve, we pray for Our Place Society (Victoria), Osoyoos UC, Pacific Spirit UC (Vancouver), Peachland UC, Pemberton, Church Plant, and Peninsula UC (Surrey).

First United News: From Amanda Burrows, Executive Director, FIRST UNITED, "I'd like to say a heartfelt thank you to you—our community of values-aligned supporters—for joining us this Christmas to make an impact on the Downtown Eastside. I'm delighted to share that this has been our biggest Christmas campaign ever, and it's thanks to you. Together, for our programs and services, you've collectively given: **\$580,700!**"

Broadview Article: How improving seniors' quality of life can benefit us all. Western society sees older people as burdens, but countries that care about seniors' wellbeing see generations flourish. **[CLICK HERE](#)** to read.

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).

Prayers of the People: Jan 14 - 20, 2024

In the Ecumenical Prayer Cycle of the World Council of Churches this week, we pray for Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, and Yemen. **[CLICK HERE](#)** to find out more about this part of the world and the ecumenical prayer cycle.