

# Cordova Bay United

## Announcements

April 2, 2023

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## Holy Week Events

### Palm Sunday, April 2

- \* Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream  
In-Person Fellowship Time in the Hall

### Holy Monday, April 3

- \* Recorded worship service available at 9am on the website and YouTube Channel

### Holy Tuesday, April 4

- \* Recorded worship service available at 9am on the website and YouTube Channel

### Holy Wednesday, April 5

- \* Worship service at 7pm, In Person only

### Maundy Thursday, April 6

- \* Prayer Ministry, 10am, Friendship Room
- \* Worship Service, 6:30pm, In Person and Livestream
- \* Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

### Good Friday, April 7

- \* Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream

### Saturday, April 8

- \* Cordova Café, 10am—noon, Hall



### **Easter Sunrise Service April 9, 8am**

Join us for an Easter sunrise service (yes 8am seems early but it's actually past sunrise so we hope you will come). The service will be in the Memorial Garden (if there's rain it will be in the Sanctuary), followed by a light breakfast in the Fellowship Hall (hot cross buns, hard boiled eggs, orange slices, tea and coffee).

### **Easter Service, April 9, 10am**

Celebrate with us at 10am in the sanctuary. As you arrive everyone will be invited to place a flower on the cross at the front of the Sanctuary. If you are able to bring extra flowers for our visitors and those who arrive without, it would be greatly appreciated.



## **From Church Council**

The Church Council on the evening of Wednesday, March 29th approved the membership of The Search Committee which will fill the two new job descriptions arising from the Profile Of Faith document approved at our March 19th Congregational Meeting.

The search committee consists of Willa Burke, Joanne Thomas, Linda Snelling, Ron Childs, and Win Stokes. Thank you to these 5 people for taking on this important task in the life and work of our church.

This process, as mandated by the United Church of Canada, is a continuation of the transition work that we have been undertaking since the retirement of the Reverend Bill Cantelon. This process requires us to create and advertise the new job descriptions (as described in the Profile of Faith document you received several weeks ago) that will fit our church organization moving forward.

The Search Committee will begin their work immediately.

Our current staff have been invited to apply for either or both positions if they desire. Their current appointments and job descriptions were written for the transition period.

We will endeavor to keep you informed in the upcoming weeks on the work of our church transition with regular Council updates.





**Cordova Bay United Church**

# ***Make Holy Week special!***

**Join us as we journey  
from Palm Sunday to Easter!**

**Palm Sunday, April 2, 10am** (in person/livestream)

**Holy Monday, April 3** (recorded)

**Holy Tuesday, April 4** (recorded)

**Holy Wednesday, April 5, 7pm** (in person only)

**Maundy Thursday, April 6, 6:30pm** (in person/livestream)

**Good Friday, April 7, 10am** (in person/livestream)

## **Easter Sunday, April 9**

**8am** (in the Memorial Garden followed by a light breakfast in the hall)

**10am** (in person/livestream)

To join us via livestream or recorded service, visit our YouTube channel.  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNpNR6oZTNSd6pDth0GY7hQ>

**We are an inclusive community living out Christ's love and care for the world  
Everybody – and we mean EVERYBODY – is welcome.**

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## New additions to the Library

The church library volunteers are getting busy once again and offer you a glimpse into some of the newest books added to our collection:

### Fiction

FIC Mac No Great Mischief, another well-recommended book by Canadian author Alistair MacLeod

### Poetry

808 Nel You Are Not Alone, published by Thomas Nelson

808 Ric Lovingly: Poems for All Seasons, by Helen Steiner Rice

811.5 Ric Loving Thoughts, by Helen Steiner Rice

### Non-fiction

Heaven is for Real: A Little Boy's Astounding Story of His Trip to Heaven and Back, by Todd Burpo



## We are collecting reusable bags

The Compassionate Resource Warehouse is collecting reusable bags. If you have reusable bags that you no longer require, you can drop them off in the basket in the front foyer of the church (Narthex). All sizes accepted.

Any questions, please contact Barbara Shobbrook.

Thank you.



## Maple Syrup for sale

The Men's Breakfast Group had some maple syrup leftover from the recent Messy Church. There are two containers; both have been opened. One is full and one is not. If you would like to purchase the syrup to help cover Messy Church costs, the full container is \$15 and the other is \$5. Contact the office, if you would like to buy either or both. Thank you.

