

# Cordova Bay United

## Announcements

September 17, 2023

### Upcoming Events

#### Sunday, September 17

- \* Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream  
*followed by Fellowship Time in the Hall*
- \* Covenanting Service for Pastor Beth Parsons, 3pm  
*followed by tea in the Hall*

#### Tuesday, September 19

- \* Worship meeting, 9:30am, Friendship Room
- \* Communications Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room

#### Wednesday, September 20

- \* Knitting Group, 1pm, Friendship Room
- \* Stewardship Meeting, 7pm, ZOOM

#### Thursday, September 21

- \* Chime Choir, 6:00pm, Sanctuary
- \* Choir practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

#### Saturday, September 23

- \* Men's Breakfast Group, 9am at The Lakes Restaurant

#### Sunday, September 24

- \* Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream  
*followed by Fellowship Time in the Hall*
- \* Golf Social, 3pm, The Ridge Golf Course

### Keep in Touch

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## Starts and Restarts

After summer breaks for many of our committees and group, September becomes a month of starts and restarts.

- The **Book Club** returns Friday, September 15 at 10am in the Friendship Room.
- The **Knitting Group** returns Wednesday, September 20 at 1pm in the Friendship Room.
- The **Stewardship Committee** resumes their monthly ZOOM meetings starting on Wednesday, September 20 at 7pm.
- The **Chime Choir** resumes practices, beginning Thursday, September 21 at 6pm in the Sanctuary.
- The **Men's Breakfast Group** resumes monthly gatherings beginning Saturday, September 23, 9am at The Lakes Restaurant.
- The **Ethel Wilson Women's Group** resumes monthly meetings beginning on Tuesday, September 26 at 7pm in the Sanctuary.
- The **Church Council** resumes monthly ZOOM meetings beginning on Wednesday, September 27 at 7:15pm.
- **Messy Church** returns, Friday, September 29 at 5:30pm in the hall.

## Thank You Spirit Kids' Volunteers

A big thank you to Moira Dennis, Jayda Perry, Ruth Schulz, Melanie Styles, and Joanne Thomas who volunteered to lead the Spirit Kids program this summer. We appreciate all your hard work and commitment. The kids had a great time exploring their faith with you this summer. Thank you for your support.

Thank you!

Many thanks to Carol-Ann and David Staples for making a delivery to Our Place Society with all the items that we have been collecting over the summer. Our shopping cart was overflowing.

## Your Stewardship Committee requests your consideration.....

We are urgently in need of some new members for our committee so if you feel called and have an interest in serving on this committee that meets by ZOOM on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month please get in touch with Clare Walker, 778-265-9066 or email [clareawalker@shaw.ca](mailto:clareawalker@shaw.ca)

Stewardship is not only about money but is what we do after we say "I Believe."

Please consider joining this great group of dedicated members of our congregation. You are needed.

## Hymn Sing

Join us Sunday, September 24 for a hymn sing before the service. Grab a hymn book or two and then prepare to make your requests.



## Ethel Wilson Women's Group Tuesday, September 26, 7pm

The Ethel Wilson women's Group will be meeting in the Sanctuary 7:00 p.m., September 26.

Dell Marie Wergeland will speak to us about the Compassionate Resource Warehouse. Refreshments to follow.

We look forward to meeting again as we start this new season.

## Volunteer Opportunity

After several years of organizing the Christmas Poinsettias sales, Barbara Shobbrook will be resigning. Thank you Barbara for overseeing this great fundraiser.

We are now in need of a volunteer to take on this project. To learn more about what is involved contact either Barbara or Jane in the church office.



## Homecoming Sunday a Success

More than 100 people turned out for the Sunday September 10 Homecoming worship service. The service featured the Praise Band led by Glenn Parsons on piano and was followed by a pancake brunch in the church hall prepared by the Men's Breakfast Group under the guidance of Dennis Burke.

The following men helped set up, cook, clean up and put away tables and chairs: Erich Schulz, John MacLeod, Les Hudgins, Barrie Green, Barrie Morson, Casey Vandenbrink, Andy Robertson, Glenn Parsons, Lynn Dennis, Alan Hodgson, Helmuth Meuller, and Peter Hopkins.





Many thanks to the Men's Breakfast Group for a delicious pancake breakfast on September 10. \$225 was raised at the event!





Your invitation to:



Activities

Songs

Food

Crafts

Games

Stories

at Cordova Bay United Church

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**Messy Church returns**

**Friday, September 29th**

**Fun starts at 5:30 pm.**

**Family and friends welcome!**

**Meal provided!**

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