

Upcoming Events



Cordova Bay
United Church

Sunday, October 5

- Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream
Followed by Fellowship Time in the Hall

Monday, October 6

- Affirming Committee, 9:30am, Friendship Room

Tuesday, October 7

- Worship Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room

Thursday, October 9

- Chime Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
- Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

Saturday, October 11

- Men's Breakfast Group, 9am, Friendship Room
- Cordova Café, 10am, Hall

Sunday, October 12

- Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream
Followed by Fellowship Time in the Hall

Tuesday, October 14

- Worship Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room

Wednesday, October 15

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

Thursday, October 16

- Chime Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
- Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

Friday, October 17

- Book Club, 10am, Friendship Room

Sunday, October 19

- Worship, 10am, In-Person and Livestream
Followed by a luncheon in the Hall

Tuesday, October 21

- Worship Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room

Wednesday, October 22

- Council, 1pm, Friendship Room

Thursday, October 23

- Chime Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
- Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

Announcements

October 5—19, 2025

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Here are all the programs and activities happening at CBUC the week of **Oct. 5-11**. Church activities are listed in **yellow**.

Sunday, October 5

- **Worship, 10am, Sanctuary**
- Victoria Conservative Gospel Church, 2pm, Sanctuary, Hall, Youth Lounge, Friendship Room
- Saanich Squares, 7pm, Hall

Monday, October 6

- **Affirming Committee, 9:30am, Friendship Rm**
- Yoga, 10:45am, Hall
- Karate, 5pm, Hall
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall
- Embers, 6pm, Youth Lounge, 7pm Hall
- Victoria Arion Male Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary

Tuesday, October 7

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- IH Adult Day Program, 9:30am—3pm, Hall
- **Worship Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room**
- Zumba, 5:00pm, Hall
- KSI Karate, 6:15pm, Hall

Wednesday, October 8

- Yoga, 10:45am, Hall
- Royal Oak Women's Institute, 1pm, Friendship Rm
- Sparks, 5pm, Hall
- Sing Together Choir, 6:30pm, Friendship Rm
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall

Thursday, October 9

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- Zumba, 5pm, Hall
- Cubs/Scouts, 6pm, Hall/Friendship Room
- **Chime Choir Practice, 6:30pm, Sanctuary**
- **Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary**

Friday, October 10

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- KSI Karate 4:30pm, Hall

Saturday, October 11

- **Men's Breakfast Group, 9am, Hall**
- Country Cousins, 7pm, Hall

Please Note

Jane Shumka will be out of the office from October 6—October 20. There will be volunteer coverage in her absence, however, please call before any onsite visits to ensure the church is open.
Thank you.

Mission & Service Birthday & Anniversary Recognition October 5



We will be recognizing birthdays and anniversaries on Sunday October 5. In honour of a birthday or anniversary in this month we invite you to make a donation towards the United Church of Canada Mission & Service Fund.

For those worshipping in person, donations will be accepted during the singing of the birthday/ anniversary song. Donations can also be made through e-transfer. Send your e-transfer to treasurer@cbunited.ca. If you have an envelope number, please include it in your message.

For those watching online who would like an anniversary or special birthday mentioned, please email the church office.

Last chance to bring items for Community collection for Saanich Peninsula Lions Food Bank

This is the final Sunday for bringing in food for the food bank.

We invite you to bring in any food that is not expired and worth eating such as:

- Peanut butter
- Canned soup
- Canned fruit
- Canned vegetables
- Canned stew
- Canned fish
- Canned beans
- Pasta
- Rice



Here are all the programs and activities happening at CBUC the week of **Oct. 12-18**. Church activities are listed in **yellow**.

Sunday, October 12

- **Worship, 10am, Sanctuary**
- Victoria Conservative Gospel Church, 2pm, Sanctuary, Hall, Youth Lounge, Friendship Room
- Saanich Squares, 7pm, Hall

Monday, October 13

- Yoga, 10:45am, Hall
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall
- Victoria Arion Male Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary

Tuesday, October 14

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- IH Adult Day Program, 9:30am—3pm, Hall
- **Worship Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room**
- Zumba, 5:00pm, Hall
- KSI Karate, 6:15pm, Hall

Wednesday, October 15

- Yoga, 10:45am, Hall
- **Knitting Group, 1pm, Friendship Room**
- Sparks, 5pm, Hall
- Embers, 6pm, Youth Lounge
- Sing Together Choir, 6:30pm, Friendship Rm
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall
- **Stewardship, 7pm, ZOOM**

Thursday, October 16

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- Caring Ministry, 9:45am, Friendship Room
- Zumba, 5pm, Hall
- Cubs/Scouts, 6pm, Hall/Friendship Room
- **Chime Choir Practice, 6:30pm, Sanctuary**
- **Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary**

Friday, October 17

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- **Book Club, 10am, Friendship Room**
- KSI Karate 4:30pm, Hall
- Mavericks Square Dance, 7pm, Hall

Saturday, October 18

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- Zumba, 10:30am, Hall

To reserve a room for a meeting or activity, please contact the office by phone or email. And just a reminder that setting up a room, particularly the hall, in advance may not be possible due to other renters.

Save
the
Date

October 19 luncheon following worship

Edith and Les Hudgins invite you all to a luncheon on Sunday, October 19, following the worship service. This is thank you for all the love and support received by this faith community during their daughter Taryn's journey with cancer and in the time following her passing on June 1. All are welcome.

Poinsettia Fundraiser October 19—November 2

Once again Poinsettias are for sale with proceeds to support the work of Cordova Bay United Church. *The price is \$15.00 per 6.5 inch pot.*

Orders with payment should be submitted no later than Sunday, November 2. Poinsettias will be available for pickup on Sunday, November 30.

Arlene Box will be collecting orders in the hall during Fellowship Time starting Sunday, October 19. Last day for submitting orders is Sunday, November 2.

You may also place your order through the church office.

[Click here for the order form.](#)



Here are all the programs and activities happening at CBUC the week of **Oct. 19-25**. Church activities are listed in **yellow**.

Sunday, October 19

- **Worship, 10am, Sanctuary**
- Victoria Conservative Gospel Church, 2pm, Sanctuary, Hall, Youth Lounge, Friendship Room
- Saanich Squares, 6pm, Hall

Monday, October 20

- Yoga, 10:45am, Hall
- Karate, 5pm, Hall
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall
- Embers, 6pm, Youth Lounge, 7pm, Hall
- Victoria Arion Male Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary

Tuesday, October 21

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- IH Adult Day Program, 9:30am—3pm, Hall
- **Worship Meeting, 10:30am, Friendship Room**
- Zumba, 5:00pm, Hall
- KSI Karate, 6:15pm, Hall

Wednesday, October 22

- Yoga, 10:45am, Hall
- **Church Council, 1pm, Friendship Room**
- Sparks, 5pm, Hall
- Embers, 6pm, Youth Lounge
- Sing Together Choir, 6:30pm, Friendship Rm
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall

Thursday, October 23

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- Caring Ministry, 9:45am, Friendship Room
- Zumba, 5pm, Hall
- Cubs/Scouts, 6pm, Hall/Friendship Room
- **Chime Choir Practice, 6:30pm, Sanctuary**
- **Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary**

Friday, October 24

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- KSI Karate 4:30pm, Hall
- Piano Recital, 5:30pm, Sanctuary

Saturday, October 25

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- Zumba, 10:30am, Hall
- Country Cousins, 7pm, Hall

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New cart for Our Place donations

Long story short...Barb Waldner found an abandoned Quality Foods shopping cart in the neighbourhood. Her call to Quality Foods landed us a new cart for the collection of Our Place donations. The cart is now in the Front Foyer. Our Place accept the items in the list below.



URGENT

- **Underwear (new)**
- Socks
- Washable blankets
- Tents
- Smart TV (55-in min.)
- Men's cold weather/rain clothes
- Women's cold weather/rain clothes
- Handwarmers

Toiletries

- Soap
- Shampoo/conditioner/body wash
- Towels
- Pads/tampons
- Incontinence underwear (pull-ups only)
- Toothbrushes (unopened)
- Toothpaste (any size)
- Razors (new)
- Shaving cream
- Cotton swabs
- Deodorant (new)
- Nail clippers (new)
- Hair brushes/combs (new)

Other

- Sleeping bags
- Wholesale coffee/tea
- Bottled water
- Hot chocolate
- Paper plates
- Food (please email first)
- Pet Food/supplies
- Warm pet coats
- Large canopy tent
- Arts & Crafts supplies
- Board games
- Party supplies (balloons, hats, etc)
- Walkers/scooters
- Scooter chargers
- Washer/dryer

We do NOT accept

- Children's clothing/items
- Furniture
- Kitchenware/appliances
- Mattresses
- Pillows (unless new)
- Household-sized canned goods

Please consider gifting to:

- *Women in Need (children's items, furniture, kitchenware, mattresses)*
- *Mustard Seed (non-perishable food)*