

Upcoming Events

Sunday, May 12

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

Tuesday, May 14

- Worship Meeting, 9:30am, Friendship Room
- Ethel Wilson Women's Group, 1:30pm in the Sanctuary

Wednesday, May 15

- * Knitting Group, 1pm, Friendship Room
- Property Team Meeting, 3pm, Friendship Room
- * Stewardship Meeting, 7pm, ZOOM

Thursday, May 16

- Caring Ministry, 10:15am, Friendship Room
- * Chime Choir Practice, 6pm, Sanctuary
- * Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

Friday, May 17

* Book Club, 10am, Friendship Room

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Our church will be holding a "Boot and Bake Sale" on June 8, 2024, from 10 am until 1 pm. This is an opportunity for you to find items around your house that you no longer need, and bring them to the sale. We are offering two choices to those who would like to take part:

Model A. Park your car in one of our parking lot spaces, and pay a fee of \$25. Sell what you can from your open trunk (boot), and keep the profits. If you need a card table from the church to display your wares, you can have one for the day for an extra \$5.00, and if you would like to use one of the six-foot or eight-foot tables, you pay an extra \$10.00 for it.

• Model B. Park your car in one of our parking lot spaces, and pay no fee. Sell what you can, and donate all the money from your sales to the church. You can borrow one church table at no cost.

Simultaneously, a bake sale will be held in the church hall, and the Caring Committee will also have coffee available by donation. Cakes, pies, squares, cookies, etc. will be for sale on large tables in the hall.

For those who would like to take part in the Boot and Bake sale, registration forms will be available this Sunday at a table in the church hall after the service. We hope to have a large number of people register!



Request for Baking

I've got the whole cake in my hands
I've got great brownies baking now
Cinnamon buns ready to go
I've got cookies baking too.
I got the whole bake sale under hand
Because already many hands are offering their skills.
I know we'll do just fine!

Yes, this is bad prose/music but:
I know that most of you have already planned what you can

bake for the June 8, Boot and Bake Sale...and this is just a little reminder

That you are all amazing bakers so let's give it our best....

It was wonderful on Sunday to have some of you already offering some Delicious suggestions.

We are going to have the baking for sale in the hall at the time of the CORDOVA CAFE. Perhaps, by packing some pies, cookies, cinnamon buns, muffins in small amounts (packages) we can tempt those having their coffee to purchase a delicious treat and of course some to take home.

We have just about four weeks! So bake, bake, freeze and bake some more. Right?

THANK YOU

Carol-Ann Staples





Employment Opportunity

We have received good news from the federal government that our Canada Summer Jobs application for funding has been approved. We will be looking for a youth aged 15-30 to fill the summer job position. Job descriptions and application information are in the links below. Please share the news with potential candidates such as your children, grandchildren, friends and relatives.

2024 CSJ Flyer 2024 CSJ Position Outline



Tickets \$20 per person (ages 12 and under free)

Available at vamc.ca

or from VAMC choir members

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New Books in the Library

The Mourner's Dance by Katherine Ashenburg (What we do when people die.)

We think anyone over 65 should read this lively book and let their loved ones know what they want. Read it before you need it!!

Climbing Jacob's Ladder by Lan Morinis

(One man's journey to rediscover a Jewish spiritual tradition called Mussar)

Essential for every thinking person, find the secret of dignified human life

Aircrew Memories
by Vict Aircrew Association
(65 stories of service with the RCAF and RAF in war and peace)

Do you have a picnic table that you no longer need? We are looking for a gently used picnic table for the lawn behind the Labyrinth. If you can help, please contact the church office. Thank you.





For the Love of Africa Society seeks volunteers for upcoming events

Many of you are familiar with For the Love of Africa, a Victoria charity that has supported community development projects in Tanzania, Africa for over 20 years. FTLOA continues to raise funds for important projects that directly improve the lives of Tanzanians. FTLOA will be busy out in the community this spring and a few hours of your time would be of enormous help in raising funds for these projects!

On May 29, FTLOA is gathering volunteers to support the IronMan Triathlon. Ten 3 hour shifts for volunteers are available. Please contact Kate at kateinsley78@gmail.com

On June 13, 14 and 15 (Thursday to Saturday) FTLOA will be serving smokies and beverages. If you can volunteer for a 4 hour morning or afternoon shift, please contact Barry at jbhammell@telus.net

For friends of FTLOA who have been more closely involved with the organization, you may be interested in volunteering to communicate about the great work they continue to do at a few other events this spring. Volunteers are needed for morning and afternoon shifts for AfricaFest on Saturday June 22 and Sunday June 23 at Centennial Square. Please contact Mike Hill at mikehillmail@yahoo.ca if you are interested in this fun event.

FTLOA will also be at the Canada Day celebration at Saanich Gorge Park. Morning and afternoon shifts are available. Please contact Barry at jbhammell@telus.net if you would like to join us.