

Upcoming Events

Sunday, January 12

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

Tuesday, January 14

Worship Meeting, 9:45am, Friendship Room

Wednesday, January 15

- Knitting Group, 1pm, Friendship Room
- Property Meeting, 2:30pm, Friendship Room

Thursday, January 16

- Caring Ministry, 10:15am, Friendship Room
- Chime Choir Practice, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
- Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

Friday, January 17

Book Club, 10am, Friendship Room



Would you like to participate in worship leadership. We are always looking for volunteers to say the 'Morning Prayer' and to read scriptures. If you are interested, please contact the church office.

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CORDOVA BAY UNITED

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Sunday, January 12

- Worship, 10am, Sanctuary
- Saanich Squares, 7pm, Hall

Monday, January 13

- Yoga, 11am, Hall
- Embers, 6pm, Youth Lounge
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall
- Victoria Arion Male Choir, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
- Embers, 7pm, Hall

Tuesday, January 14

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- IH Adult Day Program, 9:30am, Hall
- Worship Meeting, 9:45am, Friendship Room
- Zumba, 5:30pm, Hall
- Karate, 7pm, Hall

Wednesday, January 15

- Yoga, 11am, Hall
- Knitting Group, 1pm, Friendship Room
- Property Meeting, 2:30pm, Friendship Room
- Sparks, 5pm, Hall
- Jazzercise, 6pm, Hall

Thursday, January 16

- Jazzercise, 8:30am, Hall
- IH Adult Day Program, 9:30am, Hall
- Caring Ministry, 10:15am, Friendship Room
- Zumba, 5pm, Hall
- Cubs, 6pm, Hall
- Chime Choir Practice, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
- Choir Practice, 7pm, Sanctuary

Friday, January 17

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

Saturday, January 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.



Our January Community Collection is for Margaret Laurence House

For the month of January CBUC will be receiving donations of cleaning items listed below for the following organization.

Margaret Laurence House (MLH) is a community-based second stage program for women who are leaving an abusive intimate relationship and who have their children in their care at least 50% of the time. MLH provides housing, support, counselling and advocacy. We believe that all individuals have a basic human right to live in a non-violent world. Our role is to provide a safe place where women's values are accepted and respected. We believe women have the right to direct their own lives. As a result, all programing offered to women is trauma informed and works to help women establish their own goals and develop strategies to meet those goals.

Receiving the extra support from Cordova Bay United Church with the cleaning supplies will help the families living here to keep a clean safe environment for them and their children. More importantly, it frees up money in their often tight budget for necessary food and clothing for their children.

Suggested items are:

- Cleaning fluids for kitchen or bath
- Cleaning cloths/brushes, sponges
- Indoor Garbage bags
- Dish Detergent
- Powdered Laundry Detergent







Hope and Belonging

Dear Congregation of Cordova Bay United Church,

Thank you for your recent generous donation of \$1,000!

We are grateful for your support during this time of year:

Every person living on the streets of our city deserves the embrace of community and hope for a brighter luture. With your contribution, we know that is possible.

Thank you for stepping up for our consumity!

Janice Kalin, Director of Philanthropy

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Ethel Wilson Women's Group Tuesday, January 28 1:30pm

The Ethel Wilson Women's group will meet January 28th, 1:30 p.m. In the Sanctuary. Our speaker will be Carol Turnbull, Executive Director of Saanich Volunteer Services Society. This is a nonprofit organization that connects volunteers with community members looking for support. They provide a range of services aimed at enhancing the well-being of individuals in Saanich, particularly seniors, older adults and elders who are facing challenges in daily living. All women are welcome.



The knitting ministry of CBUC will be meeting on Wednesday, January 15 at 1pm in the Friendship Room. You are welcome regardless of your age or ability. Come knit up some love!

For more information contact Jocelyn Jones.

Seeking Accommodation

Hello Friends,

I am visiting from PEI, and my accommodation has fallen through.

Ideally, I am looking for independent living such as a suite, house/dog sitting situation. I would also be comfortable, if you are, with shared accommodations, if you have a spare room.

I am able to contribute to expenses with a stipend or reasonable rent.

Hickory comes with me too, he is a service dog, very well trained lad.

If you know of anyone who could help in this regards, please let me know at mitmag2@me.com



Many blessings, Ray MacDonald



Valentine Tea



Featuring:

Victorian Vogue Historical Fashions

"A glimpse of history through the eyes of fashion"

Saturday, February 15th, 2025

Doors open 1:30p.m. Fea served at 2:00p.m.

Cordova Bay United Church Hall

813 Glaremont Ave.

Come and bring your friends for a social afternoon of tea and entertainment

Many beautiful Valentine Prizes and Silent Auction

Tickets \$35

For reservations, please call (250) 658-5680

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and

Cordova Bay United Church Community Outreach