

HAZELMERE UNITED CHURCH NEWSLETTER



December 2017 – January 2018

Rev. Lori Megley-Best

Rev. Lori is the minister for Hazelmere United Church and Cloverdale United Church. She officiates at our morning worship services. You are invited to attend our Sunday services, which commence at 8:45 am. Refreshments are served in the church hall following the service.

An Evening of Music October 22, 2017

The Evening of Music was a great success. The church was filled to capacity. The audience enthusiastically showed their appreciation for the music of the Hazelmere Heritage Fiddlers, the Rusty Rails Combo and the Hazeltones. Thank you to all the musicians. Proceeds from the concert resulted in a \$900.00 donation to the Sources Food Bank for South Surrey, White Rock and Langley.



Hazelmere Heritage Fiddlers



The Hazeltones



The Rusty Rails

Carols in the Country - December 17, 2017

****Sorry, tickets for this event are now SOLD OUT ****

The Hazeltones will be the guest performers for **Carols in the Country**. They have played at many of Christmas sing-a-longs in the past.



December 10, 2017 – there will be no service this day at Hazelmere instead there is a joint Christmas Cantata at Cloverdale United Church at 10:30 a.m.

Christmas Eve Service - December 24, 2017

The Christmas Eve service at Hazelmere United Church will start at 8:00 p.m. Doors will be open at 7:30. Note: there will be no morning service this day.

December 25, 2017 - there will be no service this day

December 31, 2017 – there will be no service this day

Silent Auction - a copy of a Robert Bateman framed print



The print can be seen in the church hall and will be displayed in the sanctuary on December 17th. Please sign your name and place your bid on the sheet beside the print. The winner of the picture will be announced at the end of the Carols in the Country evening.

Gospel Sing-a-long's for 2018

Date and performers are still being determined. An email will be sent out once plans are finalized

Appreciations - Thank You to the following:

The guest ministers and the lay volunteers who have prepared and given the Sunday Worship Services this year.

Jo-Anne Rattray and Carol Falk for playing the piano at our Sunday Church Services. The prelude playing in addition to the playing of the hymns adds so much to the total service.

Patsy Robertson for arranging for scripture readers each Sunday and for making the preparations for communion services.

Ken Murphy for delivering each Sunday's service programs

All the volunteers who each Sunday - read the scriptures, collect the offering, arrange the flowers and provide the refreshments and help to make the Sunday service complete.

Rob Peterson for having a crew keep our property neat and tidy by cutting the lawn and pruning the trees and shrubs.

Flowers in the Sanctuary

Would you like to arrange to have flowers placed in the sanctuary on a Sunday? This could be for a regular service, a special occasion - a birthday, an anniversary or a remembrance. This can be done by contacting Marian McDowell at 604-538-2289. You can also sign the calendar sheet in the hall.

Rentals

The Hazelmere United Church and Hall are available for rentals.

The church is available for wedding, baptisms, celebrations of life and musical concerts.

The hall is available for meetings and special events - birthday parties, receptions, showers, anniversaries

For information and bookings contact Ken Neville at 604-803-7344.

