

December 2, 2018 ←

CLOVERDALE & HAZELMERE UNITED CHURCHES THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

604-574-5813 / Office Hours: 10 am − 2 pm (Tue − Fri)

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CLOVERDALE

HAZELMERE

17575 - 58A Ave. Surrey Worship & Children's Church - 10:30 am 1614 - 184 St. Surrey Worship - 8:45 am

Lead Minister: Rev. Lori Megley-Best (lori.megley-best@telus.net)
Minister with Children, Youth & Family: Rev. Pyoung Shik Shin (C) (jpic74@gmail.com)
Minister of Intercultural Connections: Rev. In Lee (C) (leein1109@gmail.com)
Music Director: Sharon Lauzé (C)

Musicians: Carol Falk (H), Jo-Anne Rattray (H), Dianne Nichols (C), Christine Connal (C)

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH CALENDAR:

Today: First Sunday of Advent (HOPE) / Communion Sunday

Newcomers Welcoming Program – 9:15 am (C)

Mon, Dec 3: Newcomers Welcoming Program – 10 am (C)

Tue, Dec 4: Bible Study – 9:30 am (CUC Quiet Room)

Wed, Dec 5: Sunshine Unit Christmas Potluck – 6:30 pm (Sharon McBain's)

Thur, Dec 6: Choir Practice – 7:15 pm (C)

Fri, Dec 7: T.O.F.U. Youth Group – 6:30 pm (C)
Sun, Dec 9: Second Sunday of Advent (PEACE)

Newcomers Welcoming Program – 9:15 am (C)

< Mission Statements >

Hazelmere: To praise God together, celebrate our heritage,

grow in faith and reach out to others.

Cloverdale: To thrive in faith through relationship with God,

one another and the community.

LAST WEEK AT CLOVERDALE...

© Attendance: **59** (Adults: 55, Children: 4)

© Offering: \$1,821

- Offerings required each week to cover expenses: \$2,115

ARE YOU NEW? WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!

If you would like to have your own Offering Envelope or go on PAR, or if you wish to receive church announcements via email, please contact Susie at the office with your information. (cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net)

Please join us for conversation and refreshments following Worship.

AT CLOVERDALE THIS MORNING...

Coffee: Soorin Lim, Rina Han

Greeters/Ushers: Lorrie Brown, May Taylor

Projectionist: Chloe Lee

☞ Sign-Up sheet is available at Coffee Hour. Co-ordinator: Debbie Jordbakke

(778-994-5836 / debbiejordbakke@icloud.com)



We would like to appreciate our church family who serves the church with God's love. If you would like to thank someone, please contact the Church Office.



This week, we would like to thank...

Greg Best, Christine Connal, Bev Siggs who will be organizing Christmas Hampers again this year.

Jiyoon Hong who played beautiful music with flute during Offering last Sunday.

The Korean members of CUC for sharing Korean food and snacks last Sunday after worship:

- Hyunjeong (Dianna), Jiyeon (Rina), Yujeong (Jean), Soorin, Sohee, Soonwon (Lily), Chaeyeoun, Joonwoo (James), Jiyoung, (Hannah), Dongeun (Chloe), Mikyung (Michelle) who made the food.
- **Eunseo (Vecky), Surin, Hayun (Hailey)** for being the Coffee Host.

PASSING OF THE PEACE DURING FLU SEASON

As we pass the peace during flu and cold season, please be mindful of yourself and those around you. If you think you are harboring something contagious, feel free to pass the peace with a bow or a smile. If you wish, you are welcome to remain seated in your pew.

CARING FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Please remember in your thoughts and prayers: Margaret Henderson, Vi Kish, Cheryl Lindsey & Heath

Senior's Residences:

Bethshan Gardens: Margaret Ahara, Victor Leung (moving)

Langley Lodge: Margaret Henderson Sunridge Gardens: Marjorie Keeper

Evergreen Heights: Hilda Fry Zion Park Manor: Marnee Connal

Elim Village: (The Emerald) Pauline Iredale

(The Harrison) Mary Mazur

Cherington Place: Lois Huntley Magnolia Gardens: Bert Petrie





Please pray for *Evelyn Shindruk* who is getting an open heart surgery (mitral valve) at St. Paul's Hospital on December 3. May God's hands be with the surgeon and Evelyn during the surgery and her recovery.

⊗ 2018 CHRISTMAS HAMPERS **⊗**



Once again we are partnering with Guildford Park Community Group to provide food and gifts for 10 families (this year approx. 50 people) that have been identified as those with significant needs this Christmas.

We also provide hampers to those in our own community who have need.

Sunday, December 2 – Gifts tags will be available. We have new gift guidelines this year, more practical gifts are encouraged. A sample list and further info will be available in the Sanctuary.

Sunday, December 9 (White Gift Sunday) – Bring your food donations and financial donations for the hamper fund.

Sunday, December 16 – Last day to bring in gifts food or money.

Thank you for your participation – our donations are very much appreciated by Guildford Park Community Group.

CONGRATULATIONS TO...

Grandma Lori and Grandpa Greg on the birth of their FIRST granddaughter *Emilia Frances*!



SUNSHINE UNIT – DECEMBER MEETING



Sunshine Unit ladies will meet at <u>Sharon McBain's</u> home on December 5, 2018 at 6 pm, for their Christmas Potluck Dinner. Please RSVP to Sharon at 604-575-8852 or mcbainsr@gmail.com.

2019 CALENDARS FOR \$7



2019 United Church calendars are available from *Judy Cook* at **\$7** each. (<u>iuki@shaw.ca</u>, 604-576-8001)

CAROLS IN THE COUNTRY





THE PIES ARE DONE!!



Yes, the pie making has come to a halt after 17 pie "bees" at 2 mornings a week. I think that is a record for us. We had a total of 20 workers off and on. We certainly missed our tried and true partners Trixie, Roger and Marjorie, Sadley and Evelyn, and Fay due to illnesses and accidents. We knew they would have been there full time if they could. Our work bees ranged from attendance of 3-11. The addition of the group after they were at bible study always spurred us on.

The local apples were good this year. Thanks to Anna of Harmony Farms, Jim Foulkes, Joyce Brown, Linda Iverson, and Eric Taylor. James Lim supplied us with apples when we ran out of local ones. We thank all of you including Mavis Chishom who picked the apples at Linda's.

Many thanks to Mavis and her Mother, Hilda Fry for suppling the large pie tins (there is now enough for next year!) and some of our own members also supplied us with some Medium tins.

Thanks to Mary Wilson for being our shopper and Judy Cook for doing the phoning and looking after the finances. Thanks too for those from our congregation who left some supplies and or donated cash to buy them. Not to forget those who bought the pies, may they enjoy them and buy more next year! All of this support was certainly appreciated.

Last but not least our pie makers. What an awesome group. We worked hard and put our heart and souls in it. We welcomed two new members besides the group from the bible study. Over 650 pies were made. We should be proud of each other. I know I am!

We enjoyed our coffee times sharing our joys, sorrows and laughter. We hope to see you all next year.

Thanks to all.

Lorrie Brown, The Pie Lady



WOMEN'S ADVENT EVENING - Monday, December 3, 7 pm

You are warmly invited to Peninsula United's Annual Women's Advent Vesper Service at the Crescent site (formerly Crescent United).

7:00 pm – Gathering and Light refreshments / 7:30 pm – Service

Please bring along a friend who would enjoy a quiet women's evening. We would love to see this as a community outreach to invite people into the church who would enjoy one of our Christmas traditions.

Those who would like to carpool please phone *Lorrie Brown* at 778-593-7410. We will gather at the church at 6:30 pm.

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THERE ARE ANGELS SURROUNDING YOU AT ALL TIMES.

STAND STILL AND BREATHE. YOU WILL FEEL THEIR WINGS ENFOLD YOU.

