

☞ March 1, 2020 ☞



## CLOVERDALE & HAZELMERE UNITED CHURCHES

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**CLOVERDALE UNITED CHURCH & OFFICE:** 17575 - 58A AVE. SURREY, V3S 1N1

**HAZELMERE UNITED CHURCH:** 1614 - 184 ST. SURREY, V3S 9V2

Lead Minister: Rev. Lori Megley-Best ([lori.megley-best@telus.net](mailto:lori.megley-best@telus.net))

Minister of Intercultural Connections (CUC): Rev. In Lee ([leein1109@gmail.com](mailto:leein1109@gmail.com))

Children and Youth Leader (CUC): Robyn Garland ([cuc.cyg@gmail.com](mailto:cuc.cyg@gmail.com))

Musicians: CUC – Sharon Lauzé (Director), Dianne Nichols, Christine Connal

HUC – Carol Falk, Jo-Anne Rattray, Brad McDowell

Office Administrator: Susie Kim ([cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net](mailto:cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net))

### A WEEK AT A GLANCE:

- Sun, Mar 1:** First in Lent / Communion Sunday  
Worship Service at HUC – 8:45 am, at CUC – 10:30 am  
English Language Learning Program – 9:15 am (C)
- Mon, Mar 2:** Newcomers Welcoming Program – 10 am (C)  
Stitch Club – 7 pm (C)
- Tue, Mar 3:** Lenten Bible Study – 9:30 am (C)
- Wed, Mar 4:** English Language Learning Program – 9:30 am (C)  
Sunshine Group – 7 pm (Sydney MacPherson's)
- Thu, Mar 5:** English Language Learning Program – 9:30 am (C)  
Choir Practice – 7:30 pm (C)  
Ukulele Class – 7:30 pm (C)
- Fri, Mar 6:** World Day of Prayer – 1 pm (St. Bernadette Parish)
- Sun, Mar 8:** Second in Lent  
Worship Service at HUC – 8:45 am, at CUC – 10:30 am  
English Language Learning Program – 9:15 am (C)

*Please join us for conversation and refreshments following Worship.*

#### < 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.  
To serve others as Jesus would.

### AT CLOVERDALE UNITED THIS SUNDAY

☺ **Coffee:** Sharon McBain, Muriel Grossman

☺ **Greeters/Ushers:** Kim Forbes, Christine Stueckl

☺ **Projectionist:** Terry Wright

☞ *Co-ordinator:* Debbie Jordbakke (778-238-7552 / [debbiejordbakke@icloud.com](mailto:debbiejordbakke@icloud.com))

### AT CLOVERDALE UNITED LAST SUNDAY

☺ Attendance: **58**

☺ Offering: **\$2,001.00**

- Offerings required each week to cover expenses: **\$2,115.00**

### 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 the church office with your information. ([cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net](mailto:cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net))

★ Thank you! ★

- To **Doug and Lorri Sowerby** for organizing the Shrove Tuesday Pancake supper, and to **Jillian Sowerby, Bruce and Kim Forbes, Muriel Grossman, Debbie Jordbakke, and Trixie Martyn** who helped set-up, serve and clean-up.
- To **Bruce Forbes** for fixing the door in ladies' washroom!

### 2019 TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts have been mailed out. Please let the church office know if you still haven't received it.

### PASSING OF THE PEACE DURING VIRUS SEASON

As a precaution and safety measure during the Virus Season we will continue to pass the peace of Christ with a slight alteration. We are asking that instead of making physical contact by shaking hands, we bow to each other as a way of spreading Christ's blessing of peace. Then we can protect those who are vulnerable to disease and do our part in preventing the spread of virus.

## DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS ON MARCH 8, 2020



Daylight Saving Time begins NEXT Sunday, on March 8<sup>th</sup>. Don't forget to turn your clock forward 1 hour before going to bed on Saturday!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL TEA – MARCH 18, 2020, 1 pm

Sunday School Tea

주일학교 티파티

Sponsored by  
Friendship Group



Join the Friendship Group and Robyn on March 18 (Mid-Spring Break!) with your children and families! We will be offering light snacks and refreshments with some very special servers.

ALL families are welcome to our tea, whether you're a part of the Friendship group or not. Come to the upper hall from 1 to 2 pm! Formal attire encouraged.

**Please RSVP** to Robyn Garland ([cuc.cyg@gmail.com](mailto:cuc.cyg@gmail.com)) by March 15.

## CUC WOULD LIKE TO BECOME A ZERO WASTE CHURCH!

This will require changing our disposal habits!

Do you realize that our Church does NOT have curb side garbage or recycling pickup?! Bethshan Gardens generously allows us to dispose of our garbage only in their bin. Clean paper and cardboard are recycled with the help of Jason Drummond. As he comes by bus, he is limited in the amount of cardboard he can take.

When bringing food for Coffee Sunday or meetings we request you bring it in reusable containers that you will take home with you.

For coffee on Sunday mornings, we will be using spoons instead of wood or paper stir sticks. They can go in the dishwasher with the cups.

This is just the beginning steps. More information will be posted as we learn how to be more efficient.

If you have any ideas of how we can become a zero waste Church, send your ideas to the church office and Susie will forward them to us.

- Marguerite Cryer & Lori Presunka

## FRASER UCW SPRING RALLY 2020 – MARCH 10

# Fraser United Church Women Spring Rally 2020



## ON THE MOVE

Are you fit – fit for life, fit for God?

Remember a step closer to God is a step in the right direction, so....

Come, Kick Up Your Heels and Dance  
with the Spirit

WHEN: Tuesday, March 10, 2020

TIME: Registration 9:30 am  
Event 10:00 am – 2:30 pm

WHERE: United Churches of Langley  
21562 Old Yale Road, Langley

LUNCHEON: \$8

PRESENTER: Denise Hay, Certified Yoga Teacher

\* Carpool can be arranged

– Call or email Lorrie brown at 778-593-7410, [jalormi@shaw.ca](mailto:jalormi@shaw.ca).



## 2020 LENTEN BOOK STUDY

« Entering the Passion of Jesus:

A beginner's guide to Holy Week » by Amy-Jill Levine

**Tuesdays 9:30 – 10:45 am, March 3 to April 7**

In this book study we delve into the history and literature of the last days of Jesus' life. We find ways to understand and question our own lives through the stories of Jesus' own trials.

*What do we stand for? What do we believe in?*

*When have we denied or betrayed? How do we make it right?*

Join us to deepen your knowledge and your faith as we explore the stores of Holy Week. The book can be purchased for \$12. See Rev. Lori for details.

**Please sign up for this program on Sunday or call/text/email the office.**



## 2020 LENTEN SPIRITUAL PRACTICE

Deepening Our Relationship with God:  
for all ages, including kids

During Worship on **SUNDAYS**

Instead of holding this as an evening program, we will set aside time during our regular Lenten worship services to explore and enter into spiritual practices in a deep way.

Spiritual practice is the only way to form a relationship with God. Regular spiritual practice is the only way to have a relationship with God that will support you when times are tough. If we don't get to know God in the good times, it is hard to know who and how to call on God, during our difficult times. Come and learn and explore new ways to connect with God.



## BECOMING A MEMBER OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Would you like to become a formal member of the United Church?

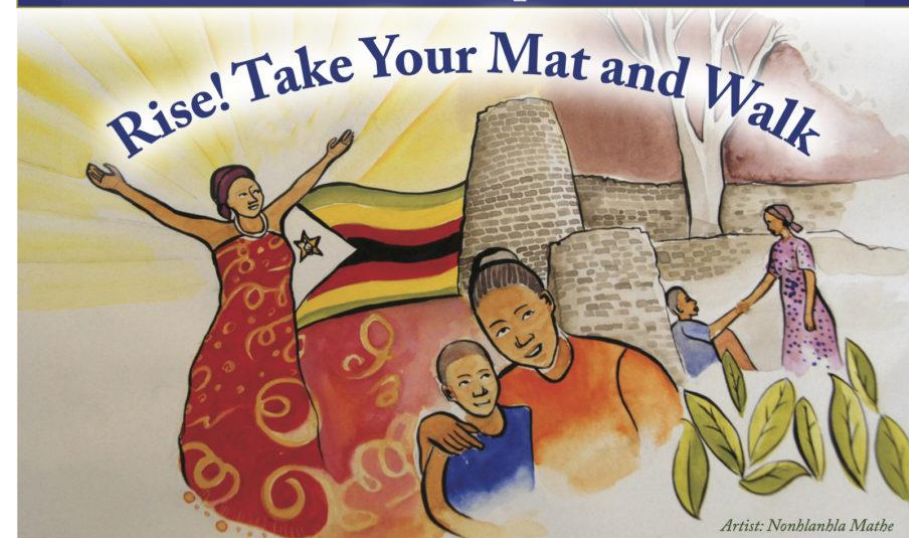
The season of Lent is a traditional time for preparing people to become members of the church. During the season of Lent, we have two Lenten programs. Participation in these sessions plus an extra short session to learn and ask questions about the United Church will ready you for making an adult profession of faith which is what is required for adult membership. Receiving of new members will take place on Easter Sunday, April 12. Please talk with Rev. Lori if you are interested in becoming a member.

### \*Note:

Requirements for becoming a member at our church will be at least **3 sessions of our book study** on Tuesday mornings and **attendance for at least 3 Lenten worship services** to participate in our spiritual practice program.



## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2020 – MARCH 6



Date/Time: Friday, March 6, 2020 at 1 pm

Location: Saint Bernadette Parish, 6543 132 Street, Surrey

Everyone is welcome!

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