

News & Notes

Richmond Presbyterian Church

Deep with God, Wide with the World

August 21, 2022

Be sure to check out our webpage at www.richpres.com for more information about worship services or online programs and how we can share in your faith journey.

SURVEY

As you know the Search Committee for RPC is engaged in the process leading to the call of the next Minister of Richmond Presbyterian Church. In order to present pertinent information about RPC to potential candidates, that will give them an accurate picture of the life and ministry of the congregation, we need to solicit information from all of you. A survey was sent out this past week for you to fill out. If you missed the email, there are printed copies in the church hall (on every table) that you can pick up and fill out or contact Maureen in the church office and she will email a copy to you. Remember to hand in your completed forms at the church office by August 31.

There are two parts to the survey. The first part simply asks you to rank from 1 to 18 the pastoral skills and interests of a candidate for the position in order of importance. While they are all important, ranking them helps to present a picture of the congregation that will be important to potential candidates who are looking for a fit between your priorities and their gifts. The second page of the survey asks specific questions about the life, ministry and future of RPC. We hope that you will prayerfully consider those questions and provide brief responses- bullet point answers are perfectly acceptable.

Many thanks for your help with this important part of preparation for a profile of our congregation. We will use this information in our "Congregational Profile" document. That document is what we distribute through the national offices of the church, post to our website and send directly to candidates to be our next minister. Your help is crucial to the process.

We also welcome your prayers that the Holy Spirit would guide us in this endeavour for the flourishing of God's people in Richmond for the sake of the world God loves.

Intergenerational Ultimate Frisbee, 3-4pm Sunday, at Maple Grove Park, close to Balsam St, between baseball diamonds. Feel free to come and play or come and watch.

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Anne-Marie is on holiday Aug 12 - Sep 2. In her absence, feel free to reach out to Heather C and Jacqueline C.



Employment Opportunities

Program Coordinator, Volunteer Centre and Information & Referral Services

If you or someone you know think you'd be a good fit, submit your resume, along with a cover letter, to info@rcrg.org or the e-mail listed in the job description [Here](#).



The Richmond Community Foundation is

accepting applications for its 2023 grant cycle.

Registered charities operating in Richmond can

apply for funding to launch a community project, or to lay the groundwork for a future initiative. For eligibility guidelines visit richmondfoundation.org. Deadline for submissions is October 14, 2022.

[CLICK HERE for ways to financially support the ministry of RPC](#)

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