

News & Notes

Richmond Presbyterian Church

Deep with God, Wide with the World

September 25, 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.



"Todd Wiebe has been a Pastor for over three decades. Most of those years were spent at Sutherland Church in North Vancouver where he worked from 1992-2002 (Youth And Associate) and again from 2004-2019 (Lead Pastor) From 2002-2004 he was Associate Pastor at St. Andrew's and St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church. Since 2020 Todd has been leading a non-profit society dedicated to articulating hopeful Christian theology. Reflector Project has a media component as well as in-person meetings and educational conferences. Todd is a graduate of Regent College and has worked with Vancouver School of Theology and with the Centre for Missional Studies at St. Andrew's Hall." (www.rectorscupboard.ca and reflectorproject.ca)



REMINDER: October 2 is Communion Sunday. On Communion Sundays we encourage donations to the Benevolent Fund. This fund is used for special needs within the congregation and our community. Thank you for your support and generosity. If you are worshipping online, please have some bread and juice/wine ready so we can partake of the elements together at the appropriate time during the service.



Saturday October 1 is the annual **Ride for Refuge** when a number of us will become the **RPC Holy Roller** bike team and raise money for Ratanak. Ratanak is an organisation which supports victims of human trafficking and other exploitation in Cambodia. Check out ratanak.org. The ride itself will be similar to last year: about 12k starting and ending at the church after a loop through west Richmond. Meet at the church at 10:00 for a 10:15 start. To sign up, please go to rideforrefuge.org and make sure you register for the RPC Holy Rollers. To pledge go to rideforrefuge.org and support us there. Contact Graeme Stager if you have questions.



RPC Walkers & Hikers. Burns Bog Nature Reserve. Wednesday, Oct 5, 9:30 am.

Feeling bogged down by summer ending? Well, let's reinvigorate with an easy, flat 90-minute trek through forest trails, boardwalks, and along the Delta Nature Reserve dyke. The Care & Fellowship Team invite all (and bring a friend) to explore this unique ecosystem. Meet at 10388 Nordel Court, at the far end of the Planet Ice Delta parking lot (near the south end of the Alex Fraser Bridge, off Hwy 91 and Nordel Way). For more info text/phone Steve 604 880 1014

Do you have **first aid training**? Please let the office know if you do. richpres@telus.net | 604.277.5410



RPC Choir will be presenting once again a Christmas Cantata!

If you would like to join us for Thursday night rehearsals starting in October to sing for this festive occasion, please speak with Jannie Burdetti.

Faith formation for children takes place in Room 1 this morning, after the Scripture reading. **Faith Formation for teens** takes place online, 7-7.45 pm, with Jacqueline and Ronda.

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



Oct 6 is Bunwich Sunday where you get to make your own sandwiches. There'll be potatoes chips and salad as well.

Pulpit supply for October:

Oct 2 & 9 - Rev. Dr. Richard Topping | Oct 16 - Margaret Trim
Oct 23 - Rob James | Oct 30 - Rebecca Simpson



The flowers in the sanctuary are placed by Jane & Alex in loving memory of Jane's Dad John Nzambu.

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