



News & Notes

November 3, 2024

Richmond Presbyterian Church

Deep with God, Wide with the World

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.



We are pleased to welcome **Nehemia Neuhisa** who will be our preacher this Sunday and will lead us in this **All Saints' Day** service. Nehemia is a VST/St. Andrew's Hall student originally from Indonesia. Currently in the process of seeking a call as an ordained minister under the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Nehemia has also served as Director of Educational Ministries at Richmond Presbyterian, Youth and Young Adult Pastor at Vancouver Taiwanese Presbyterian, and as a pastor providing care for seniors at Dunwood Senior Housing and Cavell Gardens Senior Living, all while continuing his studies at VST.



Christians around the world celebrate **All Saints' Day** to honor all saints, both known and unknown. In most Protestant churches, it is observed on the first Sunday of November. Protestants regard all Christians, past and present, as saints. As we solemnly remember those who have died in the past year, we also focus on Christ's victory over death. While this festival acknowledges the reality of death, it emphasizes our hope in the Resurrection and our place in the "communion of saints."



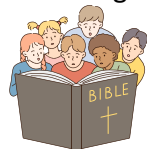
Fall Bible Study – Join us every **Wednesday at 11 AM or 7 PM**. Our third topic will be "**Women must be silent**" based on **1 Timothy 2:8-15**. Please send any passage suggestions to Curtis.



Have you considered joining our roster of greeters to help make our church a more welcoming place? Smiles are mandatory! 😊 The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to Aurora at the church office.

Educational Ministries

The **Nursery Room** is open with toys, books, and activity sheets. Please feel free to use the room if you are worshipping with infants and toddlers. Children and youth will gather for Faith Formation in Room #2 following the Time with Young Christians.



Our **Youth Bible Study** will begin on **Friday, November 1, 2024**, from **7:00 to 8:30 PM** in the *Fireside Room*.



Additionally, there will be a **Joint Youth Event** with other Presbyterian churches in the Lower Mainland on **Friday, November 8, 2024**, from **7:00 to 9:00 PM**. Snacks will be provided, and all youth from grades 6 to 12 are welcome!

Music Ministries



The **Choirs** and **Wind Band** are up and running! Please consider joining our RPC Music Ministry to praise God through the gift of music, fellowship, and sharing in God's love. In particular, we need more members to join in playing our brand-new chimes in our **Chimes Choir**! No prior experience needed.

To join our Music Ministry, contact Jannie.

Postlude Ponderings

1. What do you first notice from the story of the Gospel today? What is the Holy Spirit's invitation for you?
2. In the midst of suffering and sorrow, it's usually difficult to be aware of God's glory. What can we do in terms of holding our faith in God?

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are donated by Clinton R. 🌸

Facilitating in today's Service

Duty Elder: Mary H

Greeters: Hunter & Eleven | **Lay Reader:** Ryan B

Flower Donation: Clinton R

Faith Formation: David W, Ronda M | **Nursery:** Billy H

Munch & Mingle Hosts: Sharon McK, Ardis M

Counters: Christine & David W, Heather C

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