



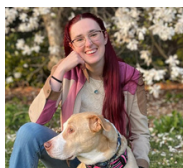
News & Notes

May 18, 2025

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 Jacqueline Cleland who will be our preacher and lead us this Sunday. Jacqueline is a graduate of Vancouver School of Theology (M.Div.) who is grateful for her experiences at Richmond Presbyterian Church. A creative and community-minded individual, she initiated an intergenerational ultimate frisbee league that has grown to involve multiple churches and even experimented with Minecraft worship. Currently, Jacqueline serves as the Pastoral Care and Outreach Coordinator for the Oakridge Christian Ministry, a part of the Vancouver Chinese Presbyterian Church. Her passions include serving God and, notably, a strong love of Merida. She is delighted to be back with you all this Sunday!

Educational Ministries



The *Nursery Room* is open with toys and activities. Please feel free to use the room if you are worshipping with children from babies to pre-K age.

There is no **Faith Formation** today. Instead, youth are invited to stay in the Sanctuary for an *intergenerational Sunday*.



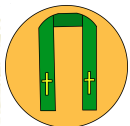
The **Prayer Meeting** group is meeting on Wednesdays from **11:00 AM to noon**. Please contact Nehemia to attend.



Our **Youth Bible Study** is not meeting this Friday, **May 16**. On **May 23**, we will have our **Games Night** as part of RPC's 65th Anniversary.



Leading with Care Training will be held via Zoom on **May 24**, **9:00 AM to noon**. Contact the office if you plan to attend.



Join us as we celebrate the ordination of **Jacqueline Cleland** on **Saturday, June 7 at 2 pm** at **Richmond Presbyterian Church**. Reception with cake to follow. The service will also be streamed on our Youtube page.



Music Ministries

My Favorite Hymns: An RPC Concert & Art Show is happening on **Saturday, May 31 at 6:30 PM**. Enjoy an inspiring evening of music by the **RPC Choir** and artwork by local artists **John Beatty** and **Arista Soh**. Paintings will be available for viewing and purchase, with a portion of the proceeds supporting the *RPC Community Meal* and the *Richmond Food Bank*. More info is available on our website at: richpres.com/myfavoritehymns.



RPC's 65th Anniversary – May 23–25, 2025

Join us as we celebrate 65 years of ministry at RPC:

- **Friday, May 23, 1:30 to 3:30PM – RPC Seniors' Anniversary Tea:** RPC Seniors are invited to an afternoon of fellowship and celebration with tea, sandwiches, and sweets. **Please RSVP by May 19**. For inquiries, contact the Church Office or Heather.
- **Friday, May 23 – Games Night** — Our Anniversary-themed Game Night (open to all ages) will be held from **7 to 9pm**. We will have board games, videogames, RPC trivia and more!
- **Saturday, May 24 – Anniversary Walk** – Join our group of RPC walkers at **10 am** for a walk around Richmond! Please sign up on bulletin board or contact the office if you would like to join.
- **Sunday, May 25 – Anniversary Reception** — After the morning service, we invite you to stay for a celebratory reception.

Postlude Ponderings

1. What Lego blocks are you building with in your life?
2. What new ways can you explore to build the foundation of your life in Christian love?

Facilitating in today's Service

Duty Elder: Heather C | **Greeters:** Paul, Danny and Christine

Lay Reader: Joan G | **Flowers Donation:** ---

M & M Hosts: Ardis M, Mary R

Counters: Christine & David W, Heather C

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