



News & Notes

Dec 21, 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.

Educational Ministries



Our annual Christmas Pageant will be held during the service today! Children and teens are invited to remain in the Sanctuary for this intergenerational worship service.



Youth Group & Renewal Praise Night — Join us Saturdays at 7:30 pm in the Fireside Room! On the first Saturday of each month, we attend Renewal Praise Night at Vancouver Chinese Baptist Church (7474 Culloden St). All ages welcome. Contact Natalie.



Christmas Cards for Outreach - Please join the Outreach Committee on Sunday during Munch & Mingle to sign Christmas cards for the gift bags going out to the homeless. Please feel free to bring any unused cards you may have at your house. Thank you!



Empty Manger – The Outreach Committee will again be filling a gift bag for each of the homeless people who receive our Monday meal. For anyone wishing to purchase an item for the Empty Manger, we would appreciate warm winter socks, inexpensive dollar-store gloves, 'Little Hotties' hand/foot warmers, Men's Med or Large boxer-style underwear, wrapped chocolates or candies, and homemade cookies. We would also appreciate cash donations which will be used to buy perishable items such as mandarin oranges, chips, baking ingredients for volunteers to make homemade baking, etc.

We will gather for a **Celebration of Life** service for **Joan Tweedlie** on **Tuesday, December 23 at 12:00 pm** here at RPC. As we come together to honour Joan and give thanks for her life, let us hold her family in our prayers.



Box Set Envelopes' for 2026 will be available for pick up starting **December 21**. Please do not use the new envelopes until 2026 and do not use 2025 envelopes in 2026. For those wishing to have a box set for 2026, please contact Heather at richpres.counters@gmail.com



Advent 2025 Schedule at RPC:

Pageant - December 21 @ 10:00 AM

Christmas Eve Service - December 24 @ 7:00 PM

Christmas Day Service - December 25 @ 10:00 AM



Our heartfelt thanks to Marie Bateman and Margaret Smithson for the Christmas goodie bags prepared on behalf of the Care and Fellowship Committee for our homebound seniors. These gifts are a meaningful reminder that they are remembered and cared for! Thank you for sharing your love and joy!



If you're a university student or in your 20s to 40s, join us after the service on **Dec 28** for lunch and social time! Please contact Natalie.



The *church office* will be closed from December 30 to January 5 inclusively, and will resume its *regular hours* from *10 am to 3 pm* the following day. For any urgent matters please contact your elder.

♪ Postlude Ponderings ♪

1. What is the biggest moment that changed your life?
2. How does God's love make your life different? How does loving others make your life different?

Facilitating in today's Service

Duty Elder: Mike Z | **Greeters:** John B and Isabel E

Advent Liturgy: RPC Youth | **Lay Reader:** Joshua H

Flowers Donation: Byron Slipetz 🌸

M & M Hosts: Munch & Mingle Team

Counters: Yumin Y, Ronda M, Heather C

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