

The St. Paul's Page

St. Paul's United Church
11526 76 Avenue NW
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Sharing the Banquet
Children's Sunday
November 17th, 2024

Sunday morning worship services begin at 10:30. Worship services are also live-streamed and uploaded for later viewing [here](#).

If you are joining us for the Sunday worship online, please see our [service bulletins](#). Alternatively, the QR code can be scanned to view the bulletin for this week.



Friend of Children

Anselm Grün

You would be the last one
To snarl about a crying child
During a dignified church service.

You would be the first one
To welcome a waiting unborn
Known to have disabling features.

You would be the only one
To see deeply in a child's soul
The utter purity and radiant light
That shines on the face of angels.

Today: I resolve to be kind to every child.

from Fragments of Your Ancient Name by Joyce Rupp

ACTIVITIES AT ST. PAUL'S NOVEMBER 17 - 24

SUN 11.17	10:30 am	Sunday Worship Sharing the Banquet	Rev. Candace McNeill
MON 11.18	9:30 am	Yoga	Footo Auditorium
	5:00 pm	Moxy B Studio	Footo Auditorium
	7:00 pm	AA Support Group	Bentley Room
	7:00 pm	A Joyful Noise Choir	Footo Auditorium
TUE 11.19	7:00 pm	Tai Chi	Upper Hall
	7:30 pm	Nar Anon Support Group	Bentley Room
WED 11.20	9:30 am	Staff Meeting	Anna's Study
	3:45 pm	Moxy B Studio	Footo Auditorium
	7:00 pm	Yoga	Upper Hall
	7:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
THU 11.21	9:30 am	Quilting Group	Footo Auditorium
	5:00 pm	Moxy B	Footo Auditorium
	7:00 pm	Tai Chi	Upper Hall
FRI 11.22	1:00 pm	Belgravia Bridge Club	Friendship Room
SAT 11.23	10:30 am	Braille Tones	Upper Hall
	1:30 pm	Games & Fellowship	Footo Auditorium
SUN 11.24	10:30 am	Sunday Worship Sharing the Banquet	Rev. Anna Constantin
	12:00 pm	Finance Committee Meeting	Nursery
	1:30 pm	Tai Chi	Footo Auditorium

We are inviting everyone to bring fun and colourful band-aids to the Church, either Sunday mornings during church or to Cianna in the office during regular office hours. We will be collecting these colourful Band-aids until November 24th, at which point we will share the band-aids with the Stollery to be used with children undergoing medical procedures at the hospital.

Games and Fellowship

Come nurture your spirit with games and fellowship in the Footo Auditorium Saturday, November 23rd 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm. Everyone is invited! This is an event for all ages to come and share in some fellowship around board games and puzzles. You can come to play or to visit, and fun will be had by all. There will be some warm cider provided, and everyone is invited to bring a snack.



Day 5 - November 21st

Day 5 is on Zoom, please scan the QR code or visit the link provided in the Wednesday email.



Braille Tones: Winter Wind Up Concert

December 7th from 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

at St. Paul's United Church

Get into the festive feeling at the Braille Tones and Semitones' Winter Wind Up, a casual Saturday morning show featuring the choirs and music students of the Braille Tone Music Society! The show will start at 11:00 am on December 7 in the Foote Auditorium and will include audience singalong moments and some familiar tunes. Admission is by donation and coffee, hot chocolate, and treats will be served.

Name Tags

We are presently revamping our name tag holder system. We have taken all the cards out of the holders and filed them alphabetically.

Please find your card and place it in a new holder. Then after the service hang it back on the rack ready for next time.

St. Paul's 75th Anniversary History Book

On sale soon! \$20! A great Christmas gift!

DONATE TO ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

Thank you for all the ways you contribute to our community. If you wish to contribute financially to St. Paul's, **please scan the QR code.**



Capital Fund Replenishment Drive Update

At the beginning of 2024 we had no money left in our Capital Reserve Fund. I am happy to report that today the balance in the Fund now stands at \$112,000 thanks to generous donations from congregation members and bequests. We anticipate about \$10,000 of spending still to come on the drainage improvement project, which leaves us with a healthy amount for future needs. (The 10-year Capital Plan foresees \$104,000 of upcoming expenses.) A big thank-you to all who have helped shore up the balance in this Fund and the sustainability of our beautiful property for some time to come! Although the Replenishment Drive has now ended, you are welcome and encouraged to donate to the Capital Reserve Fund through one-time donations or monthly PAR installments. Thanks!

Jim Smythe - Finance Chair

Poinsettia Orders

The Flower Committee is once again offering you the opportunity to purchase a poinsettia to decorate the chancel for three weeks in December in memory of, or in honour of, someone special.

The price is \$20 per plant. Orders will be taken in the Friendship Room on Sunday November 17th. You may also order by e-transferring \$20 to stpaulsaccountant@telus.net (please indicate it's for a poinsettia) or drop a cheque off at the office during regular office hours. Please be sure to designate the name of the person you wish to have remembered.

Deadline for placing orders is Wednesday, November 20th. You may take your plant home after the service on December 22nd or after either of the Christmas Eve services.



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