



# Announcements for CHRIST CHURCH GABRIOLA February 11th, 2018



A Collaborative Anglican-United Church – Open to all

**Sunday, February 11th. Celebrant: Rev. Karen Hollis - Service 10:00am**

#### Scriptures for Sunday February 11<sup>th</sup>

2 Kings 2: 1-12    Psalm 50: 1-6  
2 Corinthians 4: 3-6    Mark 9: 2-9

#### Scriptures for Sunday Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>

Genesis 9: 8-17    Psalm 25: 1-10  
1 Peter 3: 18-22    Mark 1: 9-15



#### **Rev. Karen's Office Hours**

Rev. Karen will hold ongoing office hours on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

If you would like to come for a chat in the afternoon on one of those days, please phone the church or email her at:

[revkarenhollis@gmail.com](mailto:revkarenhollis@gmail.com)



**Friday Bible Study & Soup Supper**

Friday Bible studies continues at 4:00 pm at the home of Rob & Susan Brockley -  
465 Bruce Lynn Dr.

Each session is followed by a simple soup supper at 5:30 pm.  
The current session of studies goes until March 9 and we are studying Mark.  
All are welcome to attend one session or as many as you would like as you are  
able.

For more information please contact Susan Brockley 250-247-9467

## **Covenanting Service on February 18th at 4:00pm**

The service will covenant Rev.  
Karen with Christ Church Gabriola  
as our minister

The Presbytery and Bishop are  
both available on a date that is  
much sooner than any of us  
anticipated!

Given the overwhelming support of both denominations to have this service in two  
weeks time, we decided to go ahead with Feb 18th.

We all anticipate this to be a great celebration of our life as a congregation!

Blessings,  
Karen





## Hospitality and Refreshments for the Covenanting Service

Although we will be having Robert's provide finger food (small sandwiches, sliced wraps, plus veggies and dips), we welcome baking contributions from our resident bakers

(cookies, bars, etc.) and volunteers to help out with set up, serving and clean-up.

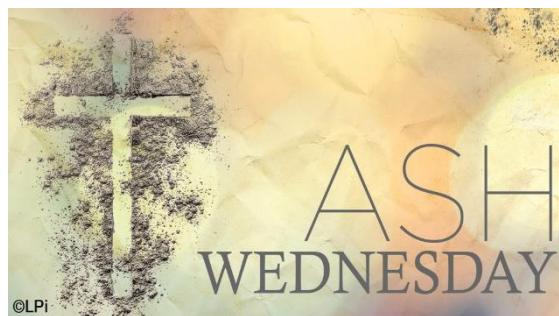
We are expecting the Bishop and his entourage as well as representatives from the Presbytery on the 1:10 ferry so would want some volunteers available to offer hospitality to this group at the church at approx 1:30 -2:00. We don't know as yet how many might head directly to the church, but we want them to have access and hospitality when they arrive.

There will also be refreshments and nibbles available after the covenanting service has concluded.

At present we are anticipating approx. 50 to 60 attendees for the service.

In Betty's absence, I am the contact person.

Thanks and let me know if you have questions....Corinne



### **Ash Wednesday Service**

Will be held Wednesday Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> at Noon



## Worship Planning Meetings on Tuesdays

There will **not** be a worship planning meeting on Tues. Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>. Weekly gatherings at the church to read and pray over the texts, share creative ideas, consider the core message for the coming week, will commence Tuesday Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am

### Summary of Council Meetings

We've reinstated the practice of providing written summaries of all Council meetings.

A summary of the Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> Council meeting will be emailed to all members – see attachment, and will be posted on the bulletin board. The full minutes of each

Council meeting will be posted after approval at the following Council Mtg.



### Donations to Christ Church Gabriola (CCG)

*Even though the church has a new name, the legal details regarding donations to CCG are not yet completed. Therefore, please make your donations (offering envelopes, other cheques, etc) in the name of either St Martin of Tours Anglican Church or Gabriola United Church for the next few months. As usual, you will receive tax receipts for these donations.*



*If you have any questions, please contact me at 247-8632 or [nhpeirce@gmail.com](mailto:nhpeirce@gmail.com)*

*Thanks,  
Nancy Hetherington Peirce, church treasurer*

## Who Baked Those Cookies?

# DID YOU KNOW?

Everyone is welcome to contribute cookies and other baked goods for our social time after Sunday worship. It is not the responsibility of the coffee volunteers to provide those tasty treats.



## Belated Birthday & Anniversary Blessings:

Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> Tully Ivany

Jan. 17 Susan Brockley

Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> Turner Ivany

Jan 28<sup>th</sup> Sue Lissack

Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> Rick Schultze

Feb 6<sup>th</sup> Sandra Brydges

Jan 29<sup>th</sup> Charlie and Christine Blackburn  
Wedding Anniversary

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## Birthday Blessings

Brandon Marsh Feb. 13th



If you, or someone you know, requires emergency pastoral care please **contact Carolyn Pullano (250 325-2747) or Gai Campbell 250 325-8801** for further contact information. The Pastoral Care Team will continue to provide regular pastoral care for members of the congregation.

#### **PRAYER WHEEL**

**PRAYER WHEEL** To request prayers for someone OR to become a member of the prayer wheel and pray for others as requested, please contact Susan Brockley: [sbrockley@shaw.ca](mailto:sbrockley@shaw.ca) or phone her at 250-247-9467.



