

# Life & Work of St. Aidan's

Thank you for your contribution to worship today, October 5, 2014:

Greeters: **Claire Fogarty, Sebastian Mukahanana, Sara Smith and Gail Wallace**  
PowerPoint: **Doug Koch** Sound: **Jim Upright** Lock-up: **Alan Curtis and Doug Pattison**  
Coffee Hosts: **Volunteers Needed!** Communion Servers: **Brian and Elsie Habbick, Diane Kendall, Tony Smith, Paul Cobb, Linda Francis**



*Welcome to all our guests and visitors this morning. We are glad you have joined us in worship today. Please sign the Guest Register in the narthex.*

## THE UNITED CHURCH OBSERVER

In order to obtain a preferred rate of \$20 per subscription for the *Observer*, we need to get our group order in very soon. Judy Boulden will be collecting subscriber cheques after the service on October 5th.

# Bazaar

**THE BAZAAR CONVENORS** have set up a display of their wares for all to see. Please come to the Great Hall after the service and see what is there. Only a few weeks left until the Bazaar, so if you are planning to donate to any stall, please do so soon.

### BAZAAR LUNCHEON ALERT

This year for the very first time, we do not have enough kitchen/serving help. Please think about volunteering for a 2-hour shift and bring a friend (men included). Contact Marilyn at 250-479-5676 if you can help.

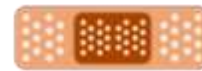
**Pie-making Party in the lower kitchen on October 23 at 10 am.** Please come. We need lots of hands for rolling, peeling and helping out in the kitchen. Please bring a knife for peeling, a rolling pin, and dough for a few pies (preferably the Tender Flake or Crisco recipe). Call Marilyn at 250-479-5676 if you have any questions.

**Bazaar Jewellery Party** Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup> from 1 - 3 pm in the lower hall. No experience necessary. Refreshments will be served. Any ??? Call Peg at 250-598-6110.

**WORK PARTY HELPERS URGENTLY NEEDED** There will be a work party held in the lower hall on Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> from 10 am - 2 pm to sort and clean all the purses and handbags that have been donated for the **Purse & Handbag Stall** at the Bazaar. No experience necessary. Come for whatever time you can spare! Refreshments will be served while we clean and chat !! Any questions? Speak with Judy Boulden (250) 382-3220.

**VINTAGE** The Vintage Stall still needs your donations. We love ANYTHING OLD but also consider keys, photos, postcards, pottery and GLOBES! Do label the items VINTAGE when they are dropped off.

The Social Action Team is continuing to collect **new socks** (for men or women) and boxes of **band-aids** for **Project Connect** care packages. The collection basket will be in the Narthex and on the Library counter for your donations until October 12<sup>th</sup>. See Maureen Koch for more information.



Online communication is becoming a part of life to many. If you are interested to learn more, or set up an account whether it is Facebook, or Skype, etc. contact Julie Ng-Leung to set up an appointment, at 250-858-9448 or [nghongkong@hotmail.com.hk](mailto:nghongkong@hotmail.com.hk)

**Ministry Profile & Search Committee** Thanks to all who participated in the September 28th facilitated discussion. Your comments are being considered as we strive for the best possible match between St. Aidan's mission, values and credo and its future staffing needs. Questions or comments? Contact Doug Koch, MPS chair ([dnkoch@live.ca](mailto:dnkoch@live.ca) or 250-388-9896) or committee members Carol Donovan, Dean Goard, Janis Evans, Jean Margison and Paul Malnarich. Comments submitted by October 19th will be considered at the next MPS meeting.



**FAITH IN ACTION** Join with others who know that if **poverty** is to end in B.C., it is **justice** that will do it, not charity.

Meet at the front steps of the **B.C. Legislature on October 8, 2014** at 11:30 AM  
For more information: [www.victoriafaithinaction.ca](http://www.victoriafaithinaction.ca)



**Evolutionary Christianity Fall Discussion Series** Cadboro Bay, Cordova Bay and First Met United Churches are once again offering the opportunity for people to engage in a discussion series around the topic of Evolutionary Christianity. We have obtained permission to use a series of lectures from the Great Courses: "The Spiritual Brain – Science and Religious Experience" featuring Dr. Andrew Newberg. Cost is only \$5.00 per session. Advance registration is preferred.

October 7	A New Perspective on Ancient Questions	First Met United	250.388.5188
October 14	The Myth-Making Brain	Cadboro Bay United	250.477.2715
October 21	How the Brain Changes God/ How God Changes the Brain	Cordova Bay United	250.658.5911
October 28	The Mystical Mind	Cadboro Bay United	250.477.2715

**Meditation in the Style of Taizé** Last Friday of the month: **October 31, November 28, 4:30-6:00 pm at the UVic InterFaith Chapel.** Meditation in the Style of Taizé comes out of the Christian mystical tradition and is a contemplative practice of chanting, silence and meditation that invites communion with Christ. Followed by a simple community meal of soup and bread. For information contact Henri Lock at [hlock@uvic.ca](mailto:hlock@uvic.ca) or 250-472-4159.

The Office needs two umbrella stands for the wet weather coming up. If you have any kicking around, please think of us.



### The Friendly Octopus

Our Thrift Shop is gearing up for Hallowe'en and Thanksgiving. Pay us a visit and find all the exciting bargains!

### Reaching out to Our Place

Look for the bin in the Great Hall for in-kind donations to Our Place. The bin is ready to receive clean in-season clothing or non-perishable food items. *Many thanks for your contributions!*