



Life & Work of St. Aidan's

September 3, 2017

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"The spiritual revolution, finding God in the world, is an invitation to new birth, most especially for religion. There is no better place to start than in your synagogue, mosque, temple, or church."

~Diana Butler Bass

Make Music this Fall at St. Aidans!

There are so many ways to join in.

You are invited to check them out this Thursday!



St. A. Mixed Voice Choir

ST. AIDAN'S CHOIRS

St. Aidan's choirs lead music at Sunday Service 3 Sundays a month. Practices are on Thursdays:

- for ladies only (sorry, men) 4 to 5 pm
- for mixed men and ladies voices 5 to 6:30 pm

Contact: [Nell Howard -music@staidansunited.com](mailto:NellHoward-music@staidansunited.com)

TED BOULDEN SINGERS FOLK CHOIR

Rehearses Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm and sing on the 4th Sunday of the month.

Contact Kelly Orr: k2musiclaw@yahoo.ca

ST. AIDAN'S SUNDAY BAND

St. Aidan's Band leads music at Sunday Service once a month (usually the 3rd Sunday). The next service is **Sept. 17**. Band Practice is **Monday, Sept. 11 at 7 pm**. Musicians and singers of all levels are welcome!

Contact: andreclouthier@gmail.com



Come and see our sparkling clean shop!

This Wed. there is a **Half Price Sale** all women's outerwear (jackets, coats and vest), women's dress jackets, yarn, lightbulbs and school and office supplies and baskets.

reVision

CREATING A NEW VISION FOR

Sign up for a small group

Cadboro Bay United (CBUC) and St. Aidan's have committed to a one year reVisioning and discernment process to explore what our future relationship might be in regards to vision, ministry, etc. in this corner of the world.

Part of the goal of this program is to involve the congregation in a process that links head, heart and soul together in this discernment process so that it is truly a shared vision that emerges. **Starting in Sept.** there will be small groups of about 10 people who will be meeting to have conversations together with a group leader. Each group will be a mix of CBUC and St. Aidan's folks. **You are invited to sign up for a small group by completing the registration form by the church office or to register online at www.staidansunited.ca (click on the reVision button).**

In mid-Sept., you will get a daily email with a reflection question, pages of the book, Christianity for the Rest of Us, to read and a spiritual practice suggestion. Your group will meet about 6 or 7 times over the 12 week period culminating in a **large congregational gathering (called a summit) on Nov 25**. Mark that date on your calendars now! For more info check out our **NEW Facebook Event Page: [reVision – A Way Forward](#)**

Weekly Activities at St. Aidan's

Sundays 9 am Meditation (resumes Sept. 10)
10 am Sunday Service
11:30 am Intercultural Tea (resumes Sept. 10)
Mondays 10 am Parent & Tot Drop in (resumes Sept. 18)
Tuesdays 10 – 11:30 am ESL Class
10:30 am – Moira's Meditation (resumes Sept. 5)
Wednesdays 10am-2pm & 4-8 pm Thrift Shop OPEN
Thursdays 10 – 11:30 am ESL Class
CHOIRS 4:00- 5 pm Practice for women's voices
5- 6:30 pm – Practice -Mixed voices
6:30 pm Ted Boulden Singers
Saturdays (last of month) 10 am – 2pm Thrift Shop OPEN

Sundays Services at 10 am

Sept. 3 What is our Labour as Christians?
Sept. 10 Nellie McClung Sunday/reVision
Sept. 17 Fall Kick-off with Sunday Band
Sept. 24 Guest: Rev. Mark Green from Cadboro Bay UC

Dates to Remember

Sept. 3 3:00 pm Mount Tolmie Service
Sept. 5 10:30 am Moira's Meditation resumes
Sept. 7 Choir practices resume
Sept. 18 10 am Caregiver & Tot Drop in resumes
Sept. 24 11:30 am Bazaar Convenor Meeting
Sept. 30 10am – 2pm POP UP SALE
October 20 9:30 am Apple Pie Making Party
Nov. 4 Fall Bazaar
November 25 – **HOLD the DATE** - reVisioning Convergence Summit (more information to follow)

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday 10 am–3 pm (closed stats.)

Email office@staidansunited.com to receive our weekly email It's full of church and wider community news.
Check out our facebook page.

Bazaar on Nov. 4th

How can I help the BAZAAR be successful?

Make a few jars of preserves
Collect plants for the plant stall
Knit an item
Sew an item
Collect for the Silent Auction
Donate a handbag
Donate good toys
Donate apples for pie making **Oct. 20**
Alert friends and neighbours for collection of items
Donate art work Donate Christmas items
Collect and donate vintage/retro goodies

There is **Bazaar Convenor meeting Sunday, Sept. 24 at 11:30 am in Room 2A.** Contact Marilyn 250-479-5676 for more information.

Our pantry is almost empty... Please consider donating some groceries to give to those in need. Items that require very little cooking are appreciated. We find canned meats and fish, crackers, cereal, etc. are the most helpful. Thanks for your ongoing support.

St. Aidan's United Church presents a

Pop Up Sale

Halloween Stuff

Retro & Vintage Clothing

International Outfits

Glam Party Dresses & Shoes

Thrift Shop OPEN

Saturday, Sept. 30th
10 am – 2 pm

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September 16
4:30pm – 6:30pm

Tickets \$25
Advance Sale Only
Call 250-477-6222

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...Silent Auction
Entertainment...



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Tickets for Sale at St. Aidan's Church Office!

Building Update

- Our lower kitchen will be renovated from Aug. 22- Sept. 13. The kitchen will be CLOSED during the renovation.