THIS WEEK AT GPUC

Today February 2	10:30am Worship Service 12:00pm Ukulele 2:00pm Gilmore Gardens Service	Sanctuary Discovery Place Gilmore Gardens
Monday	OFFICE CLOSED	
Tuesday February 4	2:00pm Line Dancing 6:15pm Cubs/Scouts 7:30pm Mindfulness Meditation (set group)	Music Room Activity Room Discovery Roor
Wednesday February 5	9:45pm Seekers Small Group 2:00pm Line Dancing 6:15pm Beavers 6:30pm Study Group	Fireside Room Music Room Activity Room Youth Room
Thursday February 6	5:30pm Community Meal 6:30pm AA Meeting 7:00pm Choir Practice	Activity Room Music Room Sanctuary
Friday February 7	11:00am Line Dancing	Music Room
Saturday		
Sunday February 9	10:30am Worship Service 12:00pm Ukulele	Sanctuary Music Room

Are you a good editor? The power point music slides are being saved and used over and over again. If you see any errors or mistakes please let Annamarie know so that these corrections can be made. If you leave it on her desk leave a name in case she has questions.

BIBLE READINGS

Micah 6: 1-8

Sunday Sermons are available on our website. Click on "What we do" button on the website and choose Worship from the menu. The "Listen to Sermons" button is on the left side on the worship page. ailmoreparkunited.ca. Hard copies are available on the table by the front door.

For more information about any of the activities, groups on the schedule please contact the church office (604)277-5377

Gilmore Park United Church

Minister: Rev. Maggie Watts-Hammond Kerry Child

Minister of Music: Miri Lee

What's Happening February 9nd, 2020 Sermon on the Mount

Our Mission Statement

Gilmore Park United Church is a community of disciples of Christ called to grow in and by God's Spirit, practice hospitality and serve the world.

HELP US TO BE A WELCOMING CHURCH! Growing in Spirit, Caring For Each Other, Serving the World

- Remember that all visitors are the guests of Jesus Christ.
- Help others to learn your name by introducing yourself and by wearing your nametag.
- Take the first three minutes after the service to talk to someone you don't know.
- Invite someone to join you for coffee or tea at our fellowship time after worship.



MINISTERS REV MAGGIE WATTS-HAMMOND and KERRY CHILD

Our ministers are active in both church and community. They are not always in the office. Rev Maggie and Kerry would love to speak to you, though, so call the office before you drop by to be sure that they are in. You are always welcome to make an appointment with them.

MINUTES OF ALL BOARD meetings are available to look at in the Fireside Room. 8060 No. 1 Road, Richmond, BC V7C 1T9 604-277-5377 office@gilmoreparkunited.ca www.gilmoreparkunited.ca Facebook -@gilmoreparkunited **Welcome to Gilmore Park United Church!** Gilmore is proud to be a safe space and accessible for those with mobility assists such as wheelchairs, and scooters. We welcome service dogs! If we can help improve your experience by providing you with assisted hearing devices, a large print hymn book, we have them—just ask one of our Greeters or Ushers.

Infants, toddlers, and children are welcome as part of our worship in the sanctuary!

The Nursery "The Ark" is a welcoming space for children (under 3 years old) to use on Sundays. Toys, books, and space to move., and a speaker so you can hear the service.

JOIN US FOR COFFEE AFTER WORSHIP: Everyone welcome in the Activity room for coffee, tea and conversation. Kids are welcome too!

This week we pray for: Robertson Memorial PC, Robson Valley SM,
Rosedale UC, Rundle Memorial UC
Andorra, Italy, Malta, Portugal, San Marino, Spain, Vatican City



Thank you to everyone who has volunteered this Sunday:

Leaders: Rev Maggie Watts-Hammond Greeter: Bill a

Ushers: Grant & Donna Smith
Coffee Team: Rhona Panton, Cathie Colpitts

Lock-up: Jan Brady

Children's Worship: Tanya Martens

Greeter: Bill and Kris Barrable

Bible Reader: Bev Holt

Prayers of the People: Rev Maggie Counters: Joanne Long, Ian Moody

Audio-visual: Miguel Balas

We need help on Sundays: We need: Greeters and Readers, Ushers, prayer leaders, and teachers. And singers and Coffee Makers. (we'll teach you). please contact **Annamarie** in the office. Either by

phone 604-277-5377 or email: office@gilmoreparkunited.ca

NAME TAGS - Please wear your nametags (some of us are forgetful.) If you would like to order one, email the church office <u>-office@gilmoreparkunited.ca</u> or call 604-277-5377 and talk to **Annamarie.** Visitors name tags are available from the Ushers.





GROUP STUDY SERIES *MEETING DIVINITY – LEARNING* **FROM THE MYSTICS.** Mystic experience is a golden thread running through all faiths. Mystics have been called Visionaries, Poets, Saints and even Heretics. Join us to learn more. **Wednesdays at 6:30. February 5, 12, 19th and March 11 & 18.** In the Youth Room upstairs.

"PROJECT LINUS knitters and crocheters are looking for donations or "best deals" for medium weight (#3 or #4) yarns - any colours welcome. Please let Gail know if you or

your friends have yarn to donate or hear of any great sales.

TAX RECIEPTS FOR 2019 - Are in mailboxes in the hallway outside of the office. Please make sure to pick yours up.

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY NEWS

IMAGINE CHILDREN'S RETREAT 2020 - A weekend event that is non-judgmental, an open place where children may have opportunities to wonder about and explore their faith through story, worship, music, drama and other creative ways that deepen our relationship with God. February 21-23 at Stillwood Retreat Centre. Children ages 8-11 years old. www.imaginechildrensretreat.ca Speak to Kerry for details.

CAMP SPIRIT - August 4-7 at Gilmore Park A Summer Day Camp for Children; rooted & growing in love. A day in the life of Camp Spirit includes exploring the power of story, enjoying times of creativity and science, singing and moving to music and sharing a meal together. We launch into new adventures in the afternoon, including: quiet and calm practices, fun filled out-trips, games and exploration! Children Ages 5-11 years LIT (Leaders in Training) 12-14 years VOLUNTEERS Needed to Assist the Leaders: Meal Prep, Daily Hosts, Workshop Leaders, Meal Helpers, Daytrip leaders etc.

STAFF NEWS - Kerry is on Study Leave & Vacation from **Wednesday**, **January 28- Monday**, **February 17**. She will attend the annual APCE (Association of Presbyterian Church Educators) Conference in Little Rock, Arkansas. She has attended this event twice before in Michigan and San Jose. This Year's theme is "**Getting Outside the Box**" and keynote speakers include Elizabeth Eckford, one of the Little Rock Nine and Theresa Cho who is the co-pastor of St. John's Presbyterian Church in San Francisco.



2020 OFFERING ENVELOPES - Are in the Narthex for pick-up. Don't see yours or would like some? Give Annamarie a call. Don't want to remember to bring a cheque each week or have cash on you? Why not go on our PAR program. You determine what you would like to give and it comes out of you bank account once a month. Want more info give Annamarie a call 604-277-5377 or email: office@gilmoreparkunited.ca

WE WELCOME SOME HELP on several Committees—In Particular the Worship Committee, Property Christian Development, and other Committees. We also need people for small (but fun) tasks. *Pease Speak to Rev. Maggie or Kerry for details*. And put your name and contact on the Sign up Sheet on the Easel.

CHIMO Coldest Night of the Year—*A family-friendly walk* to raise money for charities serving hungry, homeless, hurting people in our community. WE ARE HOSTING on Saturday, **February 22 from 1-7pm**. We need some help hosting—but CHIMO will do most of the work.

HEART GARDEN - We are looking for 1-2 people to be the "help" advise and organize Gilmore Park's Heart Garden planted in hope reconciliation. We have gardeners to do the hard work! This Spring we hope to add plants & organize a blessing. Speak to Rev. Maggie if you are interested.

IN FEBRUARY (Save the dates! More details coming)

Saturday, **February 22**: CHIMO's Coldest Night of the Year Event **February 25**: Shrove Tuesday—Pancakes at South Arm United Church

February 26: Ash Wednesday at St. Anne's Anglican Church

Saturday, February 29: Richmond Youth Concert Band Afternoon Concert

March 1: First Sunday of Lent