

Creation Season

September 2018

Consider the Birds...



☞ September 16, 2018 ☞

CLOVERDALE & HAZELMERE UNITED CHURCHES THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

☎ 604-574-5813 / Office Hours: 10 am – 2 pm (Tue – Fri)

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CLOVERDALE

17575 - 58A Ave. Surrey
Worship & Children's Church - 10:30 am

HAZELMERE

1614 - 184 St. Surrey
Worship - 8:45 am

Lead Minister: Rev. Lori Megley-Best (lori.megley-best@telus.net)

Minister with Children, Youth & Family: Rev. Pyoung Shik Shin (C) (jp74@gmail.com)

Minister of Intercultural Connections: Rev. In Lee (C) (leein1109@gmail.com)

Music Director: Sharon Lauzé (C)

Musicians: Carol Falk (H), Jo-Anne Rattray (H), Dianne Nichols (C), Christine Connal (C)

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH CALENDAR:

Today: 17th Sunday after Pentecost / Creation Season (2)
Newcomers Welcoming Program – 9:15 am (C)

Mon, Sept 17: HUC Council Meeting – 9 am (H)
Newcomers Welcoming Program – 10 am (C)

Tue, Sept 18: Bible Study – 9:30 am (CUC Quiet Room)
CUC Council Meeting – 7 pm (C)

Wed, Sept 19: Newcomers Welcoming Program – 10 am (C)
Alpha Unit – 1 pm (C)

Thur, Sept 20: Choir Practice – 7:30 pm (C)

Fri, Sept 21: Join the Youth Field Trip to Corn Maze – 6 pm

Sat, Sept 22: Full Court Fraser Presbytery Meeting – 9 am-3pm (C)

Sun, Sept 23: 18th Sunday after Pentecost / Creation Season (3)
Newcomers Welcoming Program – 9:15 am (C)

< Mission Statements >

Hazelmere: To praise God together, celebrate our heritage,
grow in faith and reach out to others.

Cloverdale: To thrive in faith through relationship with God,
one another and the community.

ARE YOU NEW? WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!

If you would like to have your own Offering Envelope or go on PAR, or if you wish to receive church announcements via email, please contact Susie at the office with your information. (cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net)

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Please join us for conversation and refreshments following Worship.

AT CLOVERDALE THIS MORNING...

Coffee: Bruce Forbes, Chae Yeoun Park, Michelle Seo

Greeters/Ushers: Debbie Jordbakke, Sharon McBain

Projectionist: Greg Best

☞ Sign-Up sheet is available at Coffee Hour.

Co-ordinator: Debbie Jorbakke (778-994-5836 / debbiejorbakke@icloud.com)

Thank You



We would like to appreciate our church family who serves the church with God's love. If you would like to thank someone, please contact the Church Office.



This week, we would like to thank...

Marilee McBain, Bob Cryer, and Andrew Thomas who have been instrumental in creating a new space in the room behind the kitchen. Marilee designed the space, ensuring that it adheres to building code and regulations. Bob Cryer, spent many hours in our basement this summer doing all the hands on organizational and carpentry work to build the space. Andrew volunteered his electrician expertise to change the lights. The space will be used as a long overdue dedicated, lockable choir space as well as much needed additional church storage space that will enable us to keep meeting rooms tidy and free of extra equipment, furnishings and supplies. Marilee's, Bob's, and Andrew's generosity in sharing their expertise and time have saved our church budget, improved our building and contributed to the ministry that our church does. Thank you and God bless!

Sharlene Jonasson and Lynda Brind-Dickson for leading Worship on September 2nd.

LAST WEEK AT CLOVERDALE...

- ☺ Attendance: **85** (Adults: 68, Children: 17)
- ☺ Offering: **\$2,180.50**
 - Offerings required each week to cover expenses: **\$2,115**

TIME TO RENEW "OBSERVER" SUBSCRIPTIONS

THE UNITED CHURCH OBSERVER **DEADLINE for Renewal Sept 30, 2018**

If you would like to have *the United Church OBSERVER* mailed to your house and start a new subscription, please contact the church office. Each annual subscription costs the church **\$25.00**. If you would like to make a donation for your subscription please put the money in an envelope marked "Observer" with your name and put it in the offering plate or drop it at the church office. It would be greatly appreciated. If you receive the Observer and don't read it, please let us know so we don't renew your subscription. Please contact the Church Office for any inquiries. (604-574-5813 / cloverdalehazelmereuc@telus.net)

CORN MAZE CHALLENGE!



Our Youth Group is going on a Field Trip to **Bose Corn Maze**, and everyone is invited!!

The youth are inviting all of us – young, old, families, singles – to come out and have some fun together. Bring a flashlight – we will be navigating the maze as it gets dark.

- When: **Friday, September 21, 6 – 8 pm**
- Where: **Bose Corn Maze** (<http://bosecornmaze.com>, 778-578-5450)
64th Avenue & 156th Street, Surrey, BC
- Admission Fee: **\$7.50**

Please RSVP to Pyoung-Shik (jp74@gmail.com) by Sept 17.

FRASER PRESBYTERY MEETING

NO MORE BUSINESS AS USUAL: We are called to do a New Thing!

Saturday, September 22, 9 am – 3 pm, CUC

Musical Leadership by Chris Giffen

Invite your congregational leaders to be part of this conversation!

Presbyteries, as we have known them, are ending as of December 31, 2018. Yet our yearning for connection with each other, for creating collaborative ministry relationship, sharing ideas and resources, will not end.

We believe that something new and different is possible – and IS emerging right now!

We wish to expand the circle of our gathering to include ANY congregational leaders (staff or volunteers) who would like join with presbyters for a day of opening up to the “new thing” God is doing through us as United Church of Canada ministries in the Fraser Valley.

Come join us in exploring this through conversation and practices that empower us to open up the Spirit that is already calling us to the greater yet-to-be.

Invite your congregational leaders to be part of this conversation!

Please RSVP to Linda at fpsecretary@telus.net no later than **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2018, 10 AM** so we can plan food and resources for all!

(Facilitated by Louise Cummings, Kathy Davies, Sophia Ducey, Deborah Richards)

ALPHA UNIT

Alpha Unit will resume their fall meeting this **Wednesday, September 19, 2018 at 1 pm** at the Church. Please call Jean Bose (604-576-6446) for any inquiries.



Bible Study

**Every Tuesday 9:30 a.m.
Cloverdale United Church**

FRIENDSHIP UNIT

Reconnect with friends after the summer break or make new friends. Join us for our first fall Friendship Group gathering on:

Wednesday, September 26, 10 a.m. at CUC Upper Hall

Guest presenter **Yuuko Koziol** will teach us the traditional Japanese technique of "furoshiki".

Bring a square piece of fabric or a square scarf and learn to make your own shopping/carrying bags or gift wrap.

Bring a neighbour or a friend!

>> Upcoming dates:

October 24 - Textile Exhibits, Surrey Art Gallery

November 28 - Korean Cooking



HAZELMERE UNITED CHURCH
1614 184TH STREET, SURREY

MUSIC MATINEE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018
1:30 PM

GOSPEL SING-A-LONG WITH THE HAZELTONES

*** SPECIAL GUESTS ***

HAZELMERE HERITAGE FIDDLERS & SPIRIT SISTERS

FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS
TICKETS - \$15.00 (CHILDREN FREE)
CALL CAROL (604-538-1149) OR JO-ANNE (604-538-0197)
TICKET SALES SUPPORT "COME SHARE SOCIETY"

2018 Frozen Apple Pie Sale

COMING SOOOOOON!



Yes, it's that time of the year again when we start on our largest fund raiser of the year.

We make the pies and sell them unbaked, direct from our freezer to yours, preferably the same day, as we don't have enough room in the freezer to store them.

We encourage local friends to donate some of the apples from their trees and also encourage the congregation to make donations of flour, sugar, lard, apples or cash to purchase these ingredients. The more donations, large or small, the more funds are raised for our church. We will start making the pies when we have enough apples. It will probably be in a couple of weeks. The announcement will be in the bulletin.

We encourage anyone who has time to help us make the pies on a Tuesday morning or Thursday evening to come and join us. There is a place for all. Of course, too, another important part of the "FUND" raiser is the buying of the pies or the selling of the pies. Your friends and neighbours will love them!!

Yes it is a fund raiser but it is also a "FUN" raiser. We become more comfortable with one another and often develop some close friendships, sharing jokes, laughter, stories and ideas.

Come join us, Men and Women, for a short time or a couple of hours, or even just for cleanup! We appreciate any help we can get!!

Any questions please contact **Lorrie Brown** (778-593-7410, jalormi@shaw.ca) or **Judy Cook** (604-576-8001, iuki@shaw.ca).

