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Welcoming Fellowship

Today's Greeters

Roy Strang and John Welsh

Flowers in the sanctuary today have been placed by Pearl Cowan in memory of loved ones.



Celebrating a Birthday this week is Helen Boulet and Dorothy Wright on November 24, Jean Chalcraft on November 26, Neil Smith on November 27, Ken Hollas on November 28 and Jean van der Ende on November 29. Happy birthday to you all!!

SJP Wednesday Concert This Week, November 26 Join us this Wednesday at 2pm for our monthly concert. Be sure to invite your friends and family to this Christmas themed concert. Admission is by donation.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. John's on Sunday, December 7. Elders may pick up district lists this morning.

Concert Fundraiser here at St. John's December 7 at 4pm, featuring The Cantrix Women's Choir. Cost of tickets are \$10 and available today!

Church Office Hours Change Next Week! The office will be open Monday & Tuesday of next week and closed on Wednesday, Thursday and **Friday** as Kimberly will be away visiting family during American Thanksgiving.

SIP Yuletíde Tea

Saturday, December 6 from 2 – 4pm

Tickets are \$7 each and available today! We are excited to have Fifth Avenue Jewelry at our tea this year. Be sure to come and browse lovely creations!

Sign-up sheets for helpers are on the bulletin board. We will need help with the following:

Bake Sale: Homemade treats will be needed along with jellies and jams for our Bake Table. Please have them to the table before noon on Saturday.

Monetary Donations: For sandwiches to be made at the church.

Crafters: Help us by bringing donations of your fabulous creations to sell!

Collectibles: Items clean and in good condition.

Books: Money raised will go toward new books for the church library. Thanks for your help!

SESSION, BOARD & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Our Next Session Meeting is this Tuesday, November 25 at 7pm

Sunday Morning Worship Begins at 10:30am. A service in the **Afrikaans** language is held each second and fourth Sunday at 9am.

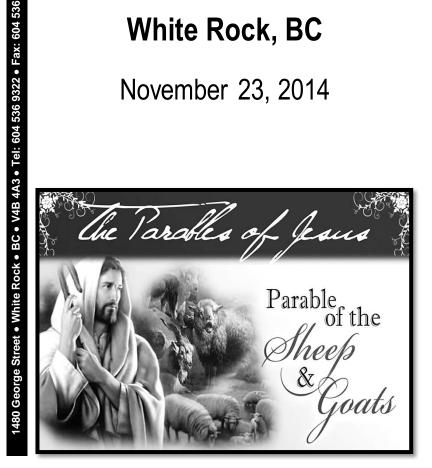
Senior Minister:

Rev. Willem van der Westhuizen......604-535-3422 Music Director: Reynhardt Crause......604-536-9322 Administrative Assistant: Office Hours are Tues, Wed, Thurs 9am – 1pm willem@saint-johns.ca office@saint-johns.ca

St. John's Presbyterian Church

White Rock, BC

November 23, 2014



We Gather in God's Name

Hymn Sing "Blessed Assurance" Hvmn 687 "And Can It Be That I Should Gain" Hymn 352 "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" Hymn 746 Announcements Greeting & Call to Worship Hymn 11 "The Lord's My Shepherd" We Listen To God's Word Prayer for Illumination Scripture Reading Matthew 25 : 31 - 46 p. 702 / 1542 This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God. Anthem "Come Forth and Glorify His Name" Poorman "He Is Coming -Sermon Is It a Matter of Que Sera, Sera?" Prayers of the People "Fight the Good Fight" Hymn 690 We Respond to God's Word Gathering of the Offering

Doxology

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

Prayer of Dedication

We Go Out in God's Name

"Rejoice, The Lord Is King"

Hvmn 267

Hymn 830

Charge & Benediction

"Go Now In Peace"

Postlude

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Uplifting Worship

Bible Readings November 24 to November 30

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Matthew 6: 22 – 34; Matthew 8: 1 – 17;
Matthew 8 : 18 – 34; Isaiah 64 : 1 – 12;
  Mark 13: 24 – 37; John 6: 1 – 15;
         Zephaniah 1:1-18
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Sunday Morning Greeters are needed! If you would like to help or think you may already be on the list, please speak to Fern Beale after church or call 604-535-8565. The list is being updated and help is needed starting in December. Thank you!

The Presbytery Visitation Committee would like to meet members of our congregation here at the church this Thursday at 4:30pm in an effort to get to know us. Members may offer input either in a group or individually:

- ✓ See Emily Wilson or the office for a Visitation Committee form or online access info:
- ✓ Send the completed form electronically (Emily can help with this if needed) to Bev Feick at bev feick@telus.net
- ✓ If you prefer an individual meeting, please let Emily know at 604-538-8654.

Please send your form to Bev as soon as possible so she may have your input in preparation for the visit.

SJP New Electronic Signage negotiations are coming along nicely. If you are interested in helping with St. John's portion of the cost, please mark your offering envelope 'Sign' and note the amount you wish to give. Thank you!

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Compassionate Service

Prayer Requests: George Boulet, Hope Crawford, Brian Doka, Don Duff, Dorothy Hayes, Brad Forster, Eleanor Janzen, Alex Lozanski, great nephew of Fern Beale, Sybrand Pretorius, Lorraine Roberts, The First Presbyterian Church in New West and the Family of Fran Cline.

Intercessory Prayer Ministry is headed by Maxine Watson. You are welcome to join our prayer group here at St. John's each Thursday morning at 11. You may give your prayer requests to Maxine at 778-294-2829 or use forms available in the pews.

Are You a Good Listener? Do you enjoy visiting those in need of company and sharing God's word? Our Pastoral Care Committee is in need of visitors to be part of this rewarding experience. Speak to Arlene Duff to see how you can help. Thank you!

WMS Donations of warm, adult clothing for Rev. Clara Kim's Shepherd House Society is due by this Wednesday. Items will be delivered on Nov 27.

Wednesday Bible Study SCHEDULE CHANGE!

Pastor Willem is required to attend a meeting on the last Wednesday morning of each month. Therefore, the morning **Bible Study will be cancelled** for this Wednesday morning at 10 am, Nov 26. You may attend the evening session at 7pm which will be a time for discussion and questions on the series: 'Four Views of the End Times'.

Canadian Bible Society boxed Christmas cards are available for sale today in the centre hall!