CONGREGATIONAL E-MAIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Unit 100, 2020 Estevan Road, Nanaimo, BC, V9S 0C9

BRECHIN UNITED CHURCH OFFICE HOURS (and church entry)

9:30 a.m.–12:00 noon and 1:00–3:00 p.m., TUESDAY – FRIDAY Phone - (250) 754-9212



WORSHIP WITH BRECHIN UNITED CHURCH

Everyone is welcome Sundays at 10:00 a.m. in person or join us on livestream at www.youtube.com/@BrechinUnitedChurch-of8yz and look for the live tab. For those livestreaming, you can meet for a Zoom "Coffee Chat" following the service.

Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89260121063?pwd=TPiL6lwygUjfqsV1T6OxasVlqU0qb.1
Later the service will be posted to our home page where past services can still be viewed. Parking is available across the road at École Océane elementary school or at Zougla Restaurant

MAKE YOUR REGULAR DONATIONS TO BRECHIN BY ONE OF THESE METHODS:

- Bring your offering to regular Sunday Service
- Mail your cheque to Brechin United Church, Unit 100, 2020 Estevan Road, Nanaimo, BC, V9S 0C9
- Send an Interac E-transfer to Brechin United Church using <u>donatebrechin@shaw.ca</u>
- Use the CanadaHelps button on our website
- Apply for PAR (application forms are available at the Office)

When making your donation on-line, please include how you wish your donation to be allocated: Local Expenses of Brechin or Mission & Service Fund. It would be helpful to also add your e-mail address. Thank you.

Link to Brechin Calendar: Calendar | Brechin United Church

For a complete list of activities at Brechin this month please open the calendar link above. Click on any event for more information.

To print a copy of the calendar, remember to change to landscape setting. A copy of the calendar is also posted on the bulletin board at the church.

Nov. 23rd: Reader: Peggy Jensen & Xan Bell

Greeters: Teresa Bellinger & Niki Karmali

<u>Power Point</u>: Matt Haapala **Audio Visual:** Matt Haapala

Coffee Servers: John Oh & Hellen Flathers

Nov. 30th: Reader: Christine Robertson

Greeters: Colleen Weir & Bonnie Haapala

<u>Power Point</u>: Angela Donaldson **Audio Visual:** Matt Haapala

Coffee Servers: Mark & Alison Jarvis

PULPIT SUPPLY: A warm welcome and thank you to guest presider, Justine Etzkorn, for her leadership this morning.

OFFICE HOURS: Friday, November 21st, 2025 – 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

COOKIE WALK BAKERS: Please pick up trays and ingredient sheets in the Birch Room every Sunday. Questions? See Linda Braid or Val Neilson.

ARE YOU A WRITER, PERHAPS A BIT OF AN HISTORIAN? Are you a writer, perhaps a bit of an historian? Our website history page is wonderful but only up until 2015. We are looking for someone who would add our past 10 years. The relevant page is at Our History | Brechin United Church | Brechin United Church. If you are interested, please chat with Gloria at Church or call her at (236) 238-1652.

<u>MEN'S GROUP MEETING</u>: We're getting together Monday, November 24th at 2p.m. to discuss ideas for future meetings and current events. Please bring a favourite Christmas snack to share, if you are able.

GAMES NIGHT: is **November 24th** in the Arbutus room from 7 to 9 p.m. Please come for an enjoyable evening of games and visiting.

BROADVIEW MAGAZINE DISCUSSION GROUP:

Topic: Broadview Discussion Group

Time: November 27, 2025 04:00 PM Vancouver

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81989521504?pwd=YaXecaY9Fj9Rb2cdzbGWmrbJGVlfu0.1

Meeting ID: 819 8952 1504

Passcode: 933419
Join instructions

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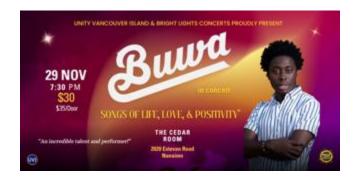
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DECORATING FOR ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS: Saturday, November 29th at 9:30 a.m.

We hope to set up 3 trees, the outdoor nativity set and more!! Many hands make the task easier. Please come and help us prepare the church for Advent.

THROUGH THE EYES OF A CHILD: A Cappella Plus in concert to recognize World Children's Day. Saturday, November 29th at 2:30 p.m. @ Brechin UC. This concert program is a celebration of the gifts that children bring us. Tickets \$30. online at www.acappellaplus.ca, or at the door. See attachments and bulletin board for poster and details.



<u>CHRISTMAS CAROL SINGALONG</u> at Brechin in the Cedar Room, Friday, December 5th, 4:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. Tim Weger will be playing the piano leading us in our Carol Singalong. The Brechin Ukelele group will also entertain us with some Christmas tunes. All are Welcome! Admission by donation.

INSTALLATION INVITATION: The members of Hope Lutheran Church invite you to share with us in the joy of welcoming our new pastor, Rev. Derek Solberg, **Saturday, December 6th,** 2025 at Hope Lutheran Church, 2174 Departure Bay Road, Nanaimo BC. Worship and Installation begins at 11 a.m., with a luncheon following. Please RSVP your attendance by e-mail to: hope2174@shaw.ca (In the subject line, please write RSVP in capital, bold letters.)

ST. ANDREW'S COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS HIGH TEA: Join us for delicious sandwiches, cakes, desserts and musical entertainment! This is sure to be a festive Christmas Event for the Holiday Season, that you won't want to miss! Christmas Tea on Saturday, December 13th from 3:00 p.m.- 4:30 p.m. Tickets are \$35.00. To reserve your tickets, please call: (250) 753-1924 or email: office.stauc@shaw.ca

<u>UNITED CHURCH CALENDARS FOR 2026</u>: This unique Church calendar is now available. Only \$15. A beautiful way to follow all the seasons of the church year! Please call Peggy Jensen @ (250) 816-7504 for free delivery. *Get your copy now and look forward to 2026.*