
Yellow cards in the pew pockets are for prayer requests you wish to have the staff hold up in prayer during the week (place in the offering basket). Prayer partners are available to pray with you following the service. **Pink encouragement cards** are also available in the pew pockets.

Sermon Notes. Printed copies of Pastor Kerry's sermons from previous weeks are available at both entrances, or visit www.standrewsduncan.org and click on [Sermons](#).

Our Elders wear blue name tags. If you have any questions, please ask any of them for assistance.

Please call Gladys Johnston at 250.748.1746 or Sandra Kroek at 250.748.7907 with your prayer request for the Prayer Chain.

Ongoing Groups

Craft Group Weekly on Tuesday (except the second Tuesday) at 9:30 am in the Lower Hall. Contact: Una Statham, 250.743.3665.

Ladies Guild Monthly on the second Tuesday at 10:30 am in the Lower Hall. Contact: Charlotte Raketti, 250.748.4968.

Prayer Shawl Monthly on the first Wednesday at 10:30 am in Jacob's Well. Contact: Libby Hemmons, 250.746.6699.

Men's Breakfast Weekly on Saturday at 7:30 am at The Haida-Way, Chemainus. Contact: Paul Wieringa, 250.748.5752.

Third Sunday after Epiphany

January 22, 2012

9 am & 10:30 am Services



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Administrative Secretary	Sharon Bell

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Welcome to St. Andrew's.

We are glad the Lord has led you here among us and warmly invite you to share in this time of worship and to join us in fellowship at Coffee Hour following the service.

A handicapped-accessible washroom is available at the rear of the Sanctuary, adjacent the Nursery. The men's and women's washrooms are located off the Lower Hall.

Nursery care for children from birth to two years is provided in the Church Nursery behind the Sanctuary. Sunday School is offered to children from pre-school to grade 12 during the 10:30 am service.



“A community of faith inviting all to real life in Jesus”

9:00 am Service

10:30 am Service

Today’s Scripture

Psalm 119:105–112 (p 601)
 Luke 8:11 (p 1002)
 2 Timothy 3:14–17 (P. 1156)

The Message

“End the Waiting” ~ Amie Wiebe

Music	242	This is my Father’s world	Everlasting God
	18	As pants the hart	Mighty to save
	291	Word of God, across the ages	Revelation song
			How deep the Father’s love for us
			I give You my heart
			All to us
			Forever
			Benediction – All hail the Lamb

Door Greeters	<i>South</i> Cathy, Doug, and Katie de Lange	<i>South</i> Rick and Anita Fraser
	<i>North</i> Mary d’Isendoon, Mary Rambold	<i>North</i> Audrey Downer

Duty Elders	Jimmy Anderson	Gladys Johnston
	Paul Wieringa	Derek Pearce

Scripture Readers	Trish Craig	Joan Bentley
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Sound Board	Daphne Eze	Daphne Eze
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Prayer and Care List

Some families and individuals in our church face ongoing challenges. Please pray for them.

ONGOING HEALTH ISSUES

- Colin and Eleanor Auld
- Joe and Hazel Ball
- Joan Burgess
- Tom Douglas
- Ernie and Donna Einarsson
- Letty Evans
- Jean Kinney (at Cairnsmore)
- Jill and Graeme Lawrence
- Sharon Lind
- Bruce and Arlene McLean
- John and Annie Mae Miller
- David Mills
- Bill Muir
- Dian Tulip
- Judy Ward

Ministries and Missions to pray for

- Sister Church in the Presbytery*
St. Columba, Parksville; Rev. Robert Kerr
- Other Church in the Community*
St. Edwards RC; Father Alfredo Monacelli
- Presbyterian Mission Partners*
Murray Garvin, who was providing ministry in Taiwan, passed away suddenly last week; pray for his family, friends, and mission partners in Taiwan
- St. Andrew’s Ministries*
For vision and passion for reaching out in mission to the community around us

St. Andrew’s Fundraisers

 **FundScrip** St. Andrew’s has decided to cancel its involvement with this program due to its limited financial return.

Peaks Coffee This fundraiser gives us more bang for the bean! Try one of the new blends. Orders are due **Tuesday, January 31**. Please fill out the orange form (available at the mailbox table) and submit with payment to the office.

Bottle Drive Remember to bring in pop cans, bottles, tetra-paks (juice only; no milk or soy), and juice containers on the **first Sunday of the month** to be recycled. Proceeds go towards reducing our Building Program debt.

By Donation Blake and Bridget Dickens are offering a Swivel Chair by donation to the Building Fund. Information is posted on the boards at each entrance. Contact: 250.746.5671.

Freebies Two 27" older TVs with remotes. Contact: Lucas or Jennifer Oldhoff, 250.748.2682.

Future Dates

- Jan 26 Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon
- Jan 31 Session
- Jan 31 Choir (date change)
- Feb 1 Prayer Shawl Meeting
- Feb 4 Camp VIP Meeting
- Feb 6 Property Committee Meeting
- Feb 7 AGM Reports Due**
- Feb 13 Mental Health Support Group
- Feb 14 Ladies Guild Meeting
- Feb 19 Annual General Meeting
- Feb 25 Ladies Guild Garage Sale (start gathering!)
- Feb 26 Cairnsmore Place Service

This Week

Sunday, Jan 22 – Sunday, Jan 29

(all events at the church unless stated otherwise)

- SUN** 9 am & 10:30 am Services – Guest: Amie Wiebe, Canadian Bible Society
- MON** **Office Closed**
9 am Agapeland Gym *LH*
12:30 pm Agapeland Gym *LH*
7:30 pm Men’s Fellowship *GH*
- TUES** 9 am Staff Prayers *NY*
9:30 am Craft Group *LH*
10 am Staff Meeting
- WED** **10 am Bulletin Deadline**
9 am Agapeland Gym *LH*
9:30 am Boundaries *GH*
10:30 am Mother Goose *LH*
12:30 pm Agapeland Gym *LH*
3:30 pm Cairnsmore Working Group *LH*
7 pm Boundaries *AG*
7 pm Healing Care Group *GH*
- THUR** 11:30 am Nifty 50+ Luncheon *LH*
1:30 pm Mother Goose *LH*
7 pm Praise Team Practice *SC*
- FRI** 9 am Agapeland Gym *LH*
12:30 pm Agapeland Gym *LH*
7 pm Youth Group *LH*
- SAT** 7:30 am Men’s Breakfast (Haida-Way)
- SUN** 9 am & 10:30 am Services

Reminder:

Communion Sunday, February 5, one service only at 10:30 am, followed by fellowship luncheon

LEGEND

<i>AG</i> Agapeland	<i>LH</i> Lower Hall
<i>GH</i> Gospel House	<i>NY</i> Nursery
<i>JW</i> Jacob’s Well	<i>SC</i> Sanctuary

Please check with the office to reserve space for meetings or events, or to make changes or cancellations. Note: Outside groups held onsite may not always appear in the bulletin.

Announcements

- Welcome** This morning we welcome Amie Wiebe to our worship service. Amie is the Director of Ministry Advancement for the Southern BC area for the Canadian Bible Society; as well, she serves as Operations Director for the Vancouver Bible House.
- Annual General Meeting** Please mark your calendars for Sunday, February 19 for our annual congregational general meeting to be held at 12:30 pm, following worship and a fellowship lunch. All committee and group leaders, please turn in your annual reports to the office by *Tuesday, February 7*. Wherever possible, email your report (as a Word, Works, or text file) to office@standrewsduncan.org.
- Reminder** There will be One Service only for Sunday, February 5, Communion Sunday, at 10:30 am, followed by a fellowship luncheon. Volunteers are needed to help with the luncheon; please speak to Kerry.
- Thank You** A huge thank-you to all our snow shovellers who helped clean off sidewalks this past week!
- Yard Custodian** Thank you to Joe Ball, Jr., who has stepped in as our "Yard and Parking Lot Custodian," replacing Deirdre and her family. Joe will be responsible for the weekly cleanup of any garbage or pop bottles that may have been tossed onto the property.
- Boundaries and Healing Care Group** Due to the recent "Snow Day," these two programs will start Wednesday, January 25.
- Bible Study and Fellowship** Blake and Bridget Dickens wish to start a bible study/fellowship small group in their home on Sayward Road. We propose to start with the book of Mark at a preliminary get-together to discuss format and hosting, on January 25 at 7:30 pm. Contact: 250.746.5671.
- Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon** The first Nifty Fifty Plus Luncheon of the new year will be on Thursday, January 26 at 11:30 am. Cost is \$7. "Under 50s" are welcome, too. If you

are not on a phoning list, please call Jan Cutler at 250.748.8995 to reserve your place.

- Youth Group** Youth Group for Friday, January 27 will be *Movie Night* at the church, starting at 7 pm. Come enjoy some treats and a good film together. Pickup is at 9:30 pm. Call Blair at 250.732.5909 if you have any questions. See you there!
- Choir** The choir group has been postponed until Tuesday, January 31 at 7:15 pm. New singers are welcome. We will be preparing for the Easter season. Contact: Ann Antonides, 250.748.5752.
- Kerry's Page** One of Pastor Kerry's new year resolutions is to write a "regular" column on our website, www.standrewsduncan.org. Check under [Kerry's Page](#) and feel free to post comments.
- Garage Sale 2012** The Ladies Guild is already gearing up for next year's Garage Sale, slated for Saturday, February 25. Clean, serviceable items are needed; however, we cannot accept child car seats or cribs (due to safety restrictions). Contact: Charlotte Raketti, 250.748.4968.
- Loaves and Fishes** Thanks to all who have already supplied soup for the Loaves and Fishes freezer. At this time there are many church members who are ill, bereaved, or going through other difficult situations who would benefit from some soup. If you are able to supply the freezer with more soup, there are containers with labels above the Loaves and Fishes freezer in the kitchen. If anyone has yogurt, ice cream, or sour cream containers with lids (sizes 650 g to 2 litres), please bring them to my attention so I can take them home to clean and label them to be used for the soups. Thank you. – Mona Guldmond.
- Church Mailboxes** *Reminder:* Please check your church mailbox regularly. Thank you.
- Lost and Found** Have you lost something while at church or at a special event? Please check the Lost and Found box and the coat rack next to the lift. Unclaimed items will be donated to charity at the end of the month.

SITW (seen in the wild)



PWS&D Programs

Flood Relief in the Philippines When Tropical Storm Washi made landfall in the Philippines on December 16, 2011, the results were devastating flash floods and landslides that left thousands homeless and decimated crops. According to the United Nations, as many as 400,000 people have been displaced. Thousands are in desperate need of food, shelter, clean water and emergency relief supplies. You can help support victims of this disaster by making a donation through PWS&D.

You can give an offering through your church, mail a cheque to the office, donate online, or call PWS&D at 1.800.619.7301 ext 291. Please mark all donations "Philippines Flood Relief." www.presbyterian.ca/pwsd

Educating Girls in Afghanistan Many girls in Afghanistan will never have the chance to attend school. With youth comprising 50% of the population and the female literacy rate below 18%, investing in the education of girls is more important than ever. PWS&D is working with our local partner to train teachers, provide girls with textbooks and supplies, repair schools, and raise awareness and support for female education.

Shanaz, leader of a parent-teacher committee, says, "Before this program, we did not allow our girls to get an education. But now with the program we see the need for education and we send our girls to school." For the 2011–2012 school year, PWS&D aims to increase enrolment from 1,350 to 1,800 girls.

Together with your support, we are creating opportunities for girls and helping them realize their dreams. www.presbyterian.ca/pwsd

Welcoming a Stranger Looking for an exciting opportunity to take part in the life-changing ministry of helping refugees begin new lives in Canada? Refugee sponsorship is a tangible way for a congregation to take action. More than 1.5 million Iraqi citizens have been uprooted from their homes since the Iraq conflict began in 2003 and over 2 million have sought asylum in neighbouring countries. An opportunity now exists for Presbyterian congregations to take on sponsorship of Iraqi refugees.

To learn more about embracing the challenge of welcoming a refugee to Canada, as well as what funding is available, contact PWS&D refugee co-ordinator Carolyn Vanderlip at cvanderlip@presbyterian.ca or call 1.800.619.7301 ext 249. www.presbyterian.ca/pwsd/welcoming-a-stranger

Famine in East Africa Presbyterians have been responding to what has been declared the worst East African drought in the past 60 years. Despite the onset of short rains this December, millions are still suffering the effects of limited food availability, sky rocketing food prices, and water scarcity. PWS&D is committed to long-term intervention in this region and together we can continue to provide food and clean water, as well as seeds and agricultural training to affected communities who are in desperate need of your support.

You can make a donation through your church offering, mail a cheque to the office, donate online, or call PWS&D at 1.800.619.7301 ext 291. Please mark all donations "East Africa Drought." www.presbyterian.ca/pwsd/donate