



Change of address (as of February 15)

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Congratulations

Karl Horst and Perrie Peverall have announced their engagement. The wedding is planned for April 8.

Notes of Thanks

Our sincere thanks to Nick and Lena Harder and Jake Hooge for their years of service as ushers for the Traditional congregation. They are retiring from this service.



If anyone is interested in volunteering for this vital service please call Elnora Martens at 604-309-1457.

We would like to thank our wonderful church family for the many prayers lifted up for Jim and our family during Jim's time with pancreatic cancer. Though the outcome was not what we were hoping for, we know that God is sovereign and that he has appointed a number of days for each of us. Thank you also for the many encouraging phone calls, emails and cards. Each one was valued and gave us courage to carry on.

Also, for the wonderful meals brought by our wonderful families in the Contemporary Service. We are so grateful.

Betty Falk, Julia and Tracey

Kingdom Come Ministries

Check out the bulletin board in the foyer for a list of ministry opportunities that Bakerview is currently committed to supporting. We are looking for an ambassador for each ministry which involves being in touch with the missionary or organization and keeping Bakerview informed. This would mean a short report during a Sunday service or a handout or posting information on the bulletin board. Please sign up for a ministry that interests you. If you are involved with a ministry that is not on the list but you think Bakerview should be aware of it, please add it to the list.

Current Issues will be based on a panel concept and lead by representatives from some of our missions projects. **A reminder that offerings for both of these Sundays will be designated to Missions.**

Bakerview Children and Families Ministry

is on a mission to support parents as they make disciples in their homes. It is our desire to build an inter-generational community of growing disciples at Bakerview who support each other as we learn to love like, live like, and serve like Jesus.

Important ministry notices . . .

Nursery Nurturers (Care Team) Meeting 2.0

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 18, 12:15 pm (lunch provided)

at Bakerview (nursery)

This meeting is for all nursery team members (**including youth**) who were *not able* to come to the meeting in January.

Please RSVP to Pastor Stephanie ASAP.

stephanie.sawatzky@bakerview.org OR text 604 855 5552

Kingdom Come Ministries Sundays – February 11 & 18

NOTE! TIME CHANGES

Sunday School 9:30-10:15

Worship 10:40-12:00 – **Children's Church 11:00-12:00**

Holy Week Worship

March 24: Stations of the Cross

March 25: Palm Sunday

March 29: Seder Remembrance Meal and Worship

March 30: Good Friday Worship

April 1: Resurrection Sunday!

Mom's Retreat 2018 *Love Never Fails*. Thank you for praying for us! It was a Spirit-filled, transformative weekend!

Council Connections February 11, 2018

Carla Thiessen, Pastor of Youth Ministry, has announced her resignation effective March 31, 2018. Carla wants to be able to spend more time with her family while her husband, Brad, pursues a new business opportunity. We wish Carla and Brad happiness and success in the future. We are planning a farewell for Carla sometime in the spring.

There will be a Bakerview membership meeting Monday, February 19, at 7:00 pm. We will get a financial update as well as reports from the Discernment Team and the Pastoral Search Committee. Council is also preparing a presentation regarding Sunday service scheduling..

Prayer Request

On February 13, our 10 year old refugee sponsored son, Sergio, will be undergoing extensive orthopaedic surgery on his displaced hip. The family requests prayer as they walk through this day and the days ahead as the surgery is complex and recovery will be difficult. Thank you for holding them in your prayers.

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Join us for a hymn sing
at Bakerview Church

“Then Sings my Soul”

Sunday, February 25th at 6:00 pm.

Featured artists:

Ed Norman, Organ
Calvin Dyck, Violin
Michael Berg, Tenor
Mel Bowker, Piano
String Quartet

Community Events



Evening of Sung Prayers, inspired by Taizé, Iona and Celtic Christian traditions will be held today, February 11th, 7:30 pm at St. Dunstan's Anglican Church, Aldergrove. For more information contact cathyajhardy@shaw.ca.

MCC Kit + Caboodle Family Day Event is planned for Monday, February 12th from 2-4 pm. Drop by the MCC Centre to pack relief and hygiene kits for people around the world. For more information see mccbc.ca/events.

Valley CrossWay Church is having an **Ash Wednesday Service** on February 14th, 7:30 pm in the Great Hall of Calvin Presbyterian Church (north entrance). All are welcome.

CBC Travelling Music Team presents a musical concert at a luncheon, celebrating God, Family and Friends Friday, February 16th, 11:30 am in the Magnolia Room at Garden Park Tower. Tickets are \$12.00 at the Garden Park Office 101.

The next **Hymn Sing** is Sunday, February 18th, 7:00 pm at Clearbrook MB Church, featuring MEI Concert Choir, Clearbrook Singing Men, Singing Ladies and Chancel Choir.

Clearbrook MB Church is hosting a **Gift and Estate Planning Seminar** Tuesday, February 20th. Coffee is served at 9:30 am and the seminar is from 10:00–11:15 am. For more information contact Walter Wiens at 604-850-6607 or e-mail walter@clearbrookmbchurch.ca.

Pacific Theatre presents **An Almost Holy Picture** by Heather McDonald. The play runs from February 21 to March 3. For tickets call 604-731-5518 or visit pacifictheatre.org to book.

Join Christian Mixed Media artist Anne Huber at the Cherry Lane Scrapbook Shoppe to learn about **Mixed Media Bible Art Journaling** Saturday, February 24th. For more information visit www.cherrylanescrapbook.com or call 604-814-4500.

Coffee Concert featuring Saxophilia Saxophone quartet is Wednesday, February 28th, 11:00 am in the Great Hall of Calvin Presbyterian Church. Coffee and light refreshments served in the Foyer at 10:00 am. Co-sponsored by Calvin Presbyterian Church and Valley CrossWay Church.

Vision for Mission Dessert Night at South Abbotsford Church on Friday, March 2nd, 7:00 pm. Randy Friesen, General Director of MB Mission will share recent stories from North Africa, Asia and Europe. Light refreshments will be served. **RSVP** to susanf@mbmission.org by **February 23rd**.

Steve Bell in Concert at House of James, Sunday March 4th, 7:00 pm. Tickets \$20 available at House of James or online at stevebell.com.

The movie **Extraordinary** about Leland and Carrie Klassen's marriage journey, will be shown Friday, March 9th, 7:00 pm at Northview Community Church. Free tickets available at northview.org/abbotsford.

A St. Patrick's Day concert featuring John McDermott, Scottish-Canadian tenor with the Canada West Chamber Orchestra and the Abbotsford Youth Orchestra under the direction of Calvin Dyck is Sunday, March 18th, 6:00 pm at Abbotsford Arts Centre. Tickets are available at House of James, King's Music or on Eventbrite.ca.

Coffee Concert featuring Jane Hayes, piano and Joan Blackman, violin is Wednesday, March 28th, 11:00 am in the Great Hall of Calvin Presbyterian Church. Coffee and light refreshments served in the Foyer at 10:00 am. Co-sponsored by Calvin Presbyterian Church and Valley CrossWay Church.

Life Link Counselling Group presents **The Hold Me Tight** seminar Saturday & Sunday, April 14th & 15th in Abbotsford. For more information call 604-855-6677 or visit www.lifelinkcounselling.com.