

# **GREETINGS!**

In the name of the One who loves us and holds us dear

W/e are an inclusive community on Locke Street, dedicated to seeking justice, loving kindness and walking humbly with God. We are a church progressive with traditional elements to

our service and quite a lot of music. We welcome people who are questioning. informally dress and understand that children often run around and make noise

## A Message from the Board

Thursday, January 8th ~ Official Board Meeting @7:30

All are welcome at any board meeting! If you would like to attend, contact the office information. more melrose@melroseunited.ca



## **Upcoming Services At Melrose!**

Wednesday, December 24 ~ Christmas Eve 10:30pm with Rev Brenna Baker

Sunday, December 28 ~ Jazz Carol Service @ 10:30am in the Parlour

Sunday, January 4, ~ Worship Service @ 10:30am with Mary Parsons

Sunday, January 11~ Worship Service @ 10:30am

Sunday, January 18 ~ Worship Service @10:30am

Sunday, February 1 ~ Worship Service @ 10:30am

## SUNDAY WORSHIP AT MELROSE

- December 28, 2025
- January 4, 2025
- January 11, 2026
- January 18, 2025

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Sunday, January 25 ~ Worship Service @10:30am

## ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS AT MELROSE

#### December 24th @10:30pm ~ CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE

A beautiful service of carols and readings to celebrate the birth of Jesus and the promise of peace, hope, joy and love. All are welcome to take Communion.

### December 28th @10:30am ~ JAZZ CAROLS

And now for something completely different! Join us for an informal service in the church parlour.



# **Looking Ahead!**

## **Christmas Eve at Melrose**

**Wednesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> @10:30pm** ~ A beautiful service of lessons, carols and readings to celebrate the birth of Jesus and the promise of peace, hope, joy and love with Rev Brenna Baker and our wonderful Chancel Choir!





#### **Jazz Carol Service**

**Sunday, December 28<sup>th</sup> @10:30 am in the Parlour** ~ And now for something completely different! Join us for an informal service in the parlour with Mary Parsons and our fabulous guest musicians Philip Luke and Samantha Luke!

## **Community Knitting and Crochet**

**Saturday, January 3rd & 17th ~ 9:30am - 11:30am** ~ Bring your current project and materials, beginners welcome! Coffee, tea and snacks will be provided. Please enter through the doors off of the Stanley Ave parking lot.





#### Social Media at Melrose

Did you know? Melrose has an active social media presence on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram!</u> Check out our pages for information on Melrose events, the wider church and for messages of inspiration!

## A Message From the Office

Office hours are Monday to Friday, 9am to 2pm. Please be sure to submit your church related items for the bulletin or newsletter by Wednesday of each week. Kindly email <a href="mailto:melrose@melroseunited.ca">melrose@melroseunited.ca</a>. Thank you!







