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St. Paul's United Church
11526 76 Avenue NW
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Sharing the Banquet October 27th, 2024

If you are joining us for the Sunday worship online, please see our <u>service</u> <u>bulletins</u>. Alternatively, the QR code can be scanned to view the bulletin for this week.



ACTIVITIES AT ST. PAUL'S OCTOBER 27 - NOVEMBER 3

SUN 10.27	10:30 am	Sunday Worship Rev. Anna Constantin Sharing the Banquet	
MON 10.28	9:30 am 4:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm	Yoga Moxy B Studio AA Support Group A Joyful Noise Choir Braille Tones Meeting	Foote Auditorium Foote Auditorium Bentley Room Foote Auditorium Friendship Room
TUE 10.29	7:00 pm 7:30 pm	Tai Chi Nar Anon Support Group	Foote Auditorium Bentley Room
WED 10.30	9:30 am 7:30 pm	Staff Meeting Choir Rehearsal	Anna's Study Sanctuary
THU 10.31	9:30 am 5:00 pm 7:00 pm	Quilting Group Moxy B Studio Tai Chi	Foote Auditorium Foote Auditorium Foote Auditorium
FRI 11.01	11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm	Private Counselling Belgravia Bridge Club Youth Group	Labyrinth Friendship Room Bentley Room
SAT 11.02	1:00 am	Braille Tones	Sanctuary
SUN 11.03	10:30 am 11:50 am	Sunday Worship Rev. Anna Constantin Sharing the Banquet Newcomers Conversation Bentley Room	

Rev. Candace McNeill will be out of the office on Study Leave the week of October $28^{\rm th}$ – Nov $3^{\rm rd}$. She will be attending the Interim Ministry Network Conference.

Please note that Youth Programming will go ahead on November 1st at 7 pm as planned with Rev. Anna Constantin.

Labyrinth of Mystery

Harry Hagan

We are born into life's grey paradox
Of discovering our true home with you.
We locate a corner of your peace,
Then misplace it in the bustling world.
We find a focused direction for a while
But seem to lose it time and again.
We perpetuate this pattern of journeying
Until we eventually realize that you
Are wherever we are on the path of life,
No matter how labyrinthine it may be.

Today: I am at peace as I find my way.

from Fragments of Your Ancient Name by Joyce Rupp

Acknowledging Rev. Dr. Catherine Faith MacLean who is recognized with the honorary Doctor of Divinity.

St. Stephen's College confers honorary degrees and awards each year at the College's convocation ceremony. This year, the 100th Annual Convocation will be held October 28 at 7 pm in Convocation Hall on the U of A campus. The convocation address will be delivered by Catherine MacLean on the theme:

Making Meaning in Times of Tension.

You are welcome to attend. Details are found here:

https://www.ualberta.ca/en/st-stephens/community/

The Newcomers conversation group will meet Sunday, November 3 at 11:50 in the Bentley room.

You do not need to be a newcomer to participate. This is a great way to learn about and get to know one another. Everyone is welcome.

The children in Church School will be kicking off an initiative to collect colourful band-aids for the month of November. We look forward to sharing more information about this initiative during a Time of All Ages this Sunday.

Acknowledgements:

Our Music Director, Susan Farrell, received a **Choir Alberta Award of Distinction.**

Rev. Candace McNeill, our Minister of Faith Formation, received a **Family Faith Every Day** grant for work with families with children aged 0-3 for the next 3 years!

We continue our study of the different ways we live out our faith in the church and the world using the metaphor of the **Theological Banquet** based on Janet Gear's book, *Undivided Love: Navigating Landscapes of Living Faith.*



Please join us for our last discussion Sunday morning in the Library, October 27th, 9 - 10 am.

Day 5

There will not be a Day 5 presentation on Thursday, Oct 31



Murder Me Always

A Comic Murder Mystery

A comedy Murder Mystery by Lee Mueller at St. Paul's United Church - Foote Auditorium November 7 - 9 @ 7 p.m.

Join us for Mystery and Mayhem!

Tickets moxybstudio@gmail.com

(See poster in Friendship Room)



Time for All Ages

Last Sunday, Jack Francis related the story of Patches, an orphan sheep. He provided a photo of the original Patches and had the replica he'd built present at story time.





Pot Luck Celebration October 20th

Following the positive response to the Theological Banquet, we had a potluck lunch after Sunday worship to celebrate the many ways we come together as a church. Thank you to all who contributed and the many who participated!





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