

First United Church

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Washrooms are located through the doors to the left of the stage and in the lower hall through the exit between the coat racks.

Please remember that First United strives to be a **scent free facility**.

Church business (general inquiries, committee info, bulletin announcements, etc.) should be directed to the Office Administrator.

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Wednesday	9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Thursday	9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am - Noon

We are able to receive bulletin announcements until
Thursday at Noon.

Rev. van Vliet is usually in the church offices Monday through Thursday afternoons.

He tries to take Fridays off.

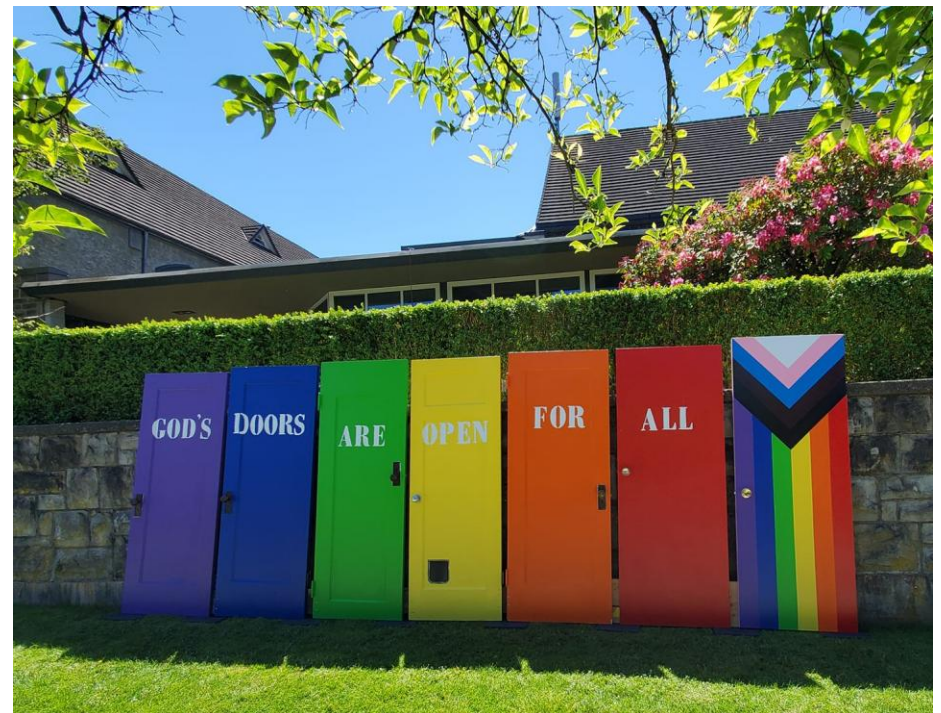
If you have a pastoral need call **634-5301** or feel free to email, or drop in to the office.

In case of emergency, he can be reached at 632-7129.

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June 27, 2021



This installation outside Shaughnessy Heights United Church in Vancouver was vandalized last week – but repainted by volunteers the next day.

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Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: (adapted from Jeremiah 29: 11 – 13)

L: I know the plans I have in mind for you, declares the Lord. They are plans for peace, not disaster, to give you a future filled with hope.

P: When you call upon me in prayer I will listen to you.

L: When you really search for me you will find me.

Prayer of Thanksgiving for God's Presence

Reading: Mark 4: 35 – 41

Message: Crossing to the other shore

Hymn: *My Love Colours Outside the Lines* MV 138

Offertory Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Hymn: *Like a Healing Stream* MV 144 v. 3 , 4

Blessing

Postlude

Office Summer Hours: The church office will switch to summer hours beginning tomorrow, June 28th. (Mon – Thurs 9am – 1pm; Friday 9am – noon).

Announcements

West Haven Camp: Registration is now open for Day Camps. Email westhavencampnl@gmail.com for information. There are still opportunities for volunteers (age 15 and up).

BTW: With the help of funding and donations we have two roofs redone, but still have three more that require work. Financial donations are always welcome. There are envelopes available in the back if you wish to contribute.

Volunteers Needed: We are still looking for one more person to help with FaceTime live and Video recording of the services on Sundays. Equipment is available and we can make it possible for volunteers to access the Facebook page on their personal device for FaceTime live. Please contact Elaine Huxter at 632-9773, or the office.

Thank You: to Calvin Pretty, Alan Kirby, Charles Cameron and Bruce Penney for cleaning out the storm drain and taking care of some other maintenance around the church grounds. Many hands make light work!

Like a Healing Stream

MV 144 v. 3, 4

3. Like a river strong with a restless current,
Spirit water rushing on to distant shore,
God is carving out a channel in a new direction,
calling for an end to hate and war...
like a river strong.
4. Like a mighty sea reaching far horizons,
Spirit water with a love both deep and wide,
God is working in our hearts to shape a new tomorrow:
God will always challenge and provide!
Like a mighty sea, like a river strong, like a gentle rain,
like a healing stream.

Memorials

- Local:** In loving memory of Ron Bennett from the
Accordion Group
- Local:** In loving memory of mother, grandmother and
great grandmother, May Gardner from Brad & Daphne
Gardner and family
- Local:** In loving memory of grandparents & great
grandparents, Myrtle & Scott Yates from Daphne &
Brad Gardner and family
- Local:** In loving memory of grandparents & great
grandparents Jessie & Abel Stratton from Daphne &
Brad Gardner and family
- Local:** In loving memory of sister & Aunt, Kathy Tavenor
from Daphne & Brad Gardner and family
- Local:** In loving memory of dear friend, Jeanette Preston
from Daphne and Brad Gardner
- Local:** In loving memory of our mothers Myrtle Yates and
Jessie Stratton from Kitty and Edgar Stratton
- Local:** In loving memory of daughter, Kathy Stratton from
Kitty & Edgar Stratton
- Local:** In loving memory of Edith Tibbitts from Jeff and
Emeline Follett and family

Local: In loving memory of Elaine Brown by a family friend

West Haven: In loving memory of friend Edith Tibbitts
from Mary Bennett and Donna Hicks

West Haven: In memory of Lynette Adams from a friend

My Love Colours Outside the Lines

MV 138

1. My love colours outside the lines,
exploring paths that few could ever find;
and takes me into places where I've never been before,
and opens doors to worlds outside the lines.
2. My Lord colours outside the lines,
turns wounds to blessings, water into wine;
and takes me into places where I've never been before
and opens doors to worlds outside the lines.
We'll never walk on water if we're not prepared to drown,
body and soul need a soaking from time to time.
And we'll never move the gravestones
if we're not prepared to die,
and realize there are worlds outside the lines.
3. My soul longs to colour outside the lines,
tear back the curtains, sun, come in and shine;
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where I've never been before
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