

# St. John's Presbyterian Church

1480 George Street  
White Rock



**13 MARCH 2022**  
**LENT II**  
**(AGM)**

## **WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD**

*Prelude Songs:*

*683 I Know Not Why Such Wondrous Grace  
As The Deer*

Announcements  
Greeting to Call & Worship

Lenten Liturgy

*Hymn: 195 Come, Ye Disconsolate*

Matthew 22: 34 - 40  
The Lord's Prayer  
The Apostles' Creed

## **GOD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD**

Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture Readings:  
**Genesis 15:1 – 12, 17 – 21**  
**Psalm 27**  
**Philippians 3:15 – 4:1**  
**Luke 13:31 - 35**

**Sermon**

Prayers of the People

*Offertory: Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

*Hymn: 644 May The Mind Of Christ My Saviour*

## **WE GO OUT IN GOD'S NAME**

Charge & Benediction

*Three-Fold Amen*

## St. John's Proclaims Christ in

### Welcoming Fellowship

#### Uplifting Worship and Compassionate Service

#### Remember in Prayer

Phyllis Barnson	Helen Boulet	Jean Chalcraft
Doug Eyjolfson	Marjorie Henson	Judy Forster
Anne McNaughton	Maxine Watson	Frances W

#### Happy Birthday!

Marlise Foster – 16<sup>th</sup>  
Christopher Chalcraft – 18<sup>th</sup>  
Reynhardt Crause – 19<sup>th</sup>

#### Bible Studies with Pastor Willem

Via ZOOM Wednesdays  
10:00 am & 7:00 pm

#### Worship Matters – Session 22

The Organ – Part 2  
History of the Organ from Classical to Modern  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2022  
11:00 am  
Live in sanctuary or on Youtube

#### AGM Meeting

Today immediately after the service

**Daylight Savings Time**

**Spring Ahead!**

**Turn clocks ahead 1 hour**

#### Piano & Organ Recital of Peace

With Christine Oliver & Reynhardt Crause

Thursday 31 March @ 3:00 pm

Masks required

By donation

#### Bible Readings: 14 March – 20 March 2022

Luke 13:1-9, Luke 13:18-35, 1 Cor 10:1-17,  
1 Cor 10:18-11:1, Psalm 63, Luke 2:41-52, Romans 4:1-12



### St. John's Presbyterian Church

**Worship with us at 10:30 on Sunday Mornings!**  
**Services live on Internet and broadcast on FM 89.3**

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## Creation, Community & Covenant

A Celebration and Learning from Indigenous Wisdom  
Healing of the land as a developed theology  
Raising our emotional intelligence to learn & listen  
Exploring unity that does not end in synchronism

March 12<sup>th</sup> – Richmond Presbyterian Church at 7 pm  
April 9<sup>th</sup> – Richmond Presbyterian Church at 7 pm

### Order of Celebration

7:00 pm – 7:30 pm Arrival & Greetings  
7:30 pm – 8:00 pm Guest Speaker  
8:00 pm – 8:30 pm Panel discussion  
8:30 pm – 9:00 pm Reflections on an Expression of Art

### Opening Speaker – Rev. Dr. Ray Aldred

Ray is a husband, father & grandfather. He is status Cree from Swan River Band, Treaty 8 and the director of the Indigenous Studies Program at the Vancouver School of Theology.

### Tickets:

\$20 General admission in person  
\$10 Student admission in person  
\$5 Admission on ZOOM

50% of the proceeds go to scholarships for the Indigenous Young Adult Leadership Conference  
<https://vst.edu/indigenous-studies-program/>

### Register now at Eventbrite

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Rev. Betty McLagan's 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday  
28<sup>th</sup> February 2022



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The world continues to be horrified by images of death and destruction coming out of Ukraine, a catastrophe we have not witnessed in Europe since the Second World War. The needs are desperate and today a 30-bed Emergency Field Hospital flew to the region on the Samaritan's Purse DC-8 cargo plane.

The hospital can serve 100 patients a day and has an ICU, emergency room, pharmacy, and operating theater where we can perform up to 10 surgeries daily. Many civilian deaths and injuries have been reported already, and casualties are expected to increase as the fighting rages.

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Additional Canadian Disaster Assistance Response Team (DART) members—including medical and logistics personnel—will join our staff already helping some of the more than 1 million refugees who've fled the carnage to neighboring countries. Two outpatient health clinics—equipped to treat 200 patients a day—will arrive on an additional flight. Throughout this response we will continue to work with our more than 3,200 church partners in Ukraine, many of which were distributing Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes as conflict erupted.

The most important thing we can do is pray. Please pray earnestly for the people of Ukraine and that God will soon bring peace. Now is the time to remember what Jesus told us: **“These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world”** (John 16:33).

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Franklin Graham.

Franklin Graham  
President, Samaritan's Purse