

**8:00 am Celebrant and Preacher: The Rev'd. Canon Dr. Harold Munn**  
**10:00 am Celebrant and Preacher: The Very Rev'd Peter Elliott**

**DATES TO NOTE**

Today	Men's Breakfast, 8:30 am, Fireside Room
Today	Abendmusik Lenten Vespers, 7:30 pm, Church
Mon. Mar. 9	Monday Mantras, 10:00 am, Garden Room
Mon. Mar. 9	Lenten Study Series, 7:00 pm, Church
<b>Tues. Mar. 10*</b>	<b>Parish Council</b> , 7:30 pm, Garden Room, early date to accommodate Spring Break
Tues. Mar. 10	Outreach Committee Meeting, 7:30 pm, Upstairs Meeting Room
Sat. Mar. 14	Kairos Blanket Exercise, 10 am – 1:00 pm, Fireside Room
Mon. Mar. 16	Monday Mantras, 10:00 am, Garden Room
Mon. Mar. 16	Lenten Study Series, 7:00 pm, Church
Sat. Mar. 28	Community Outreach Project: Dunbar City Planning, 10:00 am, Fireside Room
Mon. Mar. 30	Altar Guild Easter Meeting, 2:00 pm, Fireside Room
Sat. Apr. 4 - Sun. Apr. 5	Youth Group 24-hr monastic retreat, Church
<b>Sun. Apr. 5</b>	<b>Palm Sunday, 10:00 am</b> , with procession of the Palms



**HOLY WEEK SERVICES**

Thurs. Apr. 9	Maundy Thursday, 6:00 pm Simple Supper followed by service in the Church
Fri. Apr. 10	Good Friday: Stations of the Cross, 10:00 am, Gym Good Friday Service with sung Passion, noon, Church
Sat. Apr. 11	Easter Vigil, 7:00 pm, Church
Sun. Apr. 12	Easter Sunday Services, 8 am & 10 am



**KAIROS BLANKET EXERCISE**

"The Kairos Blanket Exercise program is a unique, participatory history lesson - developed in collaboration with Indigenous Elders, knowledge keepers and educators - that fosters truth, understanding, respect and reconciliation among Indigenous and non-indigenous peoples." Learn more at <https://www.kairosblanketexercise.org/> and "Welcome to the Blanket Exercise" at <https://vimeo.com/129161339>.

Melaney Gleeson-Lyall will lead the Kairos Blanket Exercise on Sat March 14 in the Fireside Room 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM, a return of the very well received workshop held over a year ago. Coffee, tea and snacks will be served at the end. Invite friends to attend. Please register by March 12 so we know how many participants to expect: there is a sign up sheet in the gym or email Beth Vondette.

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## EUCCHARISTIC PRACTICE DURING THE CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK

The Diocese of New Westminster has issued directives for safe Eucharistic practice during the coronavirus outbreak. From today going forward, as well as observing proper cleaning practices, we are being directed NOT to intinct at Communion due to the increased possibility of fingers contaminating the Communion wine, and to exchange the Peace without physical contact. If you wish to refrain from using the shared chalice, know that accepting the bread alone constitutes full communion. For more information, follow the link below:

[www.vancouver.anglican.ca/news/important-information-about-the-coronavirus-and-the-eucharist](http://www.vancouver.anglican.ca/news/important-information-about-the-coronavirus-and-the-eucharist)

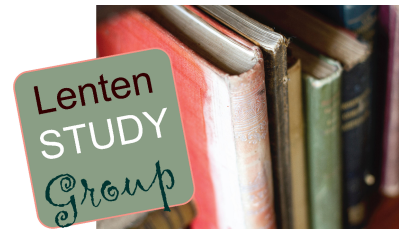


### MESSAGE FROM THE WARDENS

Stuart Hallam is on medical leave that he announced at the end of the service on Sunday Feb. 16. Let us move forward with empathy and mutual support. Write Stuart a card or a note of support: we'll deliver. We are blessed to have support in Supply Priests who are filling in for Stuart over the next weeks: Liz Hamel, Harold Munn and Peter Elliott, recently retired Dean of Christ Church Cathedral.

### LENTEN STUDY SERIES

This year's study series is based on the book *How to be a Bad Christian... And a Better Human Being* by Dave Tomlinson and is held on Mondays at 7:00 pm, March 2 - April 5. The first session attracted 16 participants! We meet with Harold Munn in the prayer square in the Sanctuary next Monday. Copies of the next chapters of the text are available in the Narthex for you to read beforehand. Do join us!



### TAX RECEIPTS

Tax receipts for 2019 have been picked up or mailed to you. If your donation was given in the form of securities or shares, the tax receipt will be issued by the Diocese. Paul Harrison, Envelope Secretary

### ABENDMUSIK LENTEN VESPERS

The Abendmusik Choir directed by our organist, Michael Murray, present a quiet, contemplative Lenten Vespers service tonight at 7:30 pm at St. Philip's. Donations collected during the Offertory hymn go towards the Menno Simons Centre. All are welcome!



### HEAD GARDENER

We are delighted to announce that our new head gardener is none other than our wonderful Pat Brandon! She is eager to gather volunteer gardeners. Huge thanks to Pat. See Pat at church or contact her at [caretaker@stpdunbar.com](mailto:caretaker@stpdunbar.com)



## SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

At Parish Council meetings, it was decided to have one rummage sale this year on May 30th. We seek a couple of coordinators to pull it together, and then of course a team of helpers. Debbie Matheson can take a leadership role as a coordinator. Help! [debbiematheson53@gmail.com](mailto:debbiematheson53@gmail.com)



### LOST & FOUND

Dig through the lost & found box under the mailboxes (between the Gym and Noah's Ark). Check the umbrella stands. Unclaimed items will be given to the needy after a month. Valuable items are stored in the office for safe keeping. Contact Beth if you have misplaced valuables. [manager@stpdonbar.com](mailto:manager@stpdonbar.com)

## LENT MADNESS AND SUPREME SAINTLY SELECTOR COMPETITION IS BACK!

On the weekdays of Lent, information is posted at [www.lentmadness.org](http://www.lentmadness.org) about two different saints. Each pairing remains open for 24 hours as participants read about and then vote to determine which saint moves on to the next round. The winner is awarded the coveted Golden Halo. Parish Manager Beth has created a friendly competition for those interested in vying for the "Supreme Saintly Selector" trophy on display in her office. Email Beth each weekday with the name of the saint you voted for; the most accurate selector wins the trophy. Beth Vondette [manager@stpdonbar.com](mailto:manager@stpdonbar.com)



### PARISH MANAGER AWAY ON FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2020

Beth will be away for a weekend conference on Friday, March 13, 2020. Carol Simpson will be in the office to answer the phone and keep the Parish running as normal. Thank you, Carol!

