

At the Kirk...

Today	3-4 pm	Lower Hall	Choi Kwang Do
Mon	11 am -1 pm	Church Hall	South End Playgroup
Mon	3:30 pm	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Tue	10 am	Sharon Ross'	Women's Coffee Group
Tue	4:30 pm	Lower Hall	Music Committee
Tue	6 pm	Gym	Men's Basketball
Tue	7 pm	Lower Hall	YOGA with Jenny
Tue	7 pm	Sanctuary	Choral Group Practice
Tue	7:30 pm	Parlour	Board of Management
Wed	10-11:30 am	Church Hall	Japanese Playgroup
Wed	3:30 pm	Lower Hall	Acupuncture Class
Wed	7-8:30 pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango
Thu	10:30 am	Green St. Berkeley	Spirit Connectors
Reading 'Christianity for the Rest of Us' by Diana Butler Bass (14-15)			
Thu	11am -1pm	Lower Hall	Weight Watchers
Thu	3 - 4 pm	Lower Hall	Argentine Tango
Thu	6 pm	Gym	Men's Floor Hockey
Thu	7:30 pm	Sanctuary	Choir Practice
Fri	9:30 am	Feb 15	Next Men's Breakfast
Fri	6-7 pm	Gym	Choi Kwang Do
Fri	6:30 pm	Lower Hall	Chinese New Year Dinner
Sat	2-4 pm	Lower Hall	Valentine Tea
Sun	10 am	Chancel	Holy Communion
Sun	10:30 am	Sanctuary	The Sunday Gathering
Sun	10:45 am	Church Hall	Church School & Nursery
Sun	11:30 am	Lower Hall	Coffee & Conversation

Cancelled. When in doubt because of the weather, please call the church (423-4294). The message will be updated by 9 am Sunday mornings, and for other weekly activities, at 12 noon for afternoons, and 5 pm for evenings.

Leadership in our Community

Trent D. Cleveland-Thompson, Pastor
 Heather Ferrier, Student Minister
 Robert Bossler, Assistant to the Minister
 Richard & Carol Robinson, Sextons
 Kathy Cochrane, Office Administrator
 Sancia Knorr, Church School
 Alison McDonald, Clerk of Session
 Alasdair Sinclair, OFM, Clerk Emeritus
 Alan G. Hayman, OFM, Senior Trustee
 Irene Parks, UCW President
 Colleen Estabrooks, M&S Enthusiast
 Linda Dean, Nominating Chair

Simon Abbott, Interim Organist & Choir Director
 John Walter, Assistant Organist
 Leah Collins Lipsett, Pianist & Jr. Choir Director
 Kevin Roberts, Flutist
 Maddy Spicer, Assistant Administrator
 Elaine Janson, Nursery
 John Gillis, Board Chair
 Ruth MacKenzie, Chief Steward
 Leslie Pezzack, Treasurer
 Ian MacDonald & Elliott Prouty, Presbytery Reps
 H. Douglas Ritcey, OFM, Honorary Elder
 Elliott Prouty, Head Usher

FORT MASSEY CHURCH

*A Congregation of The United Church of Canada
'A city upon a hill' ~ watching over Halifax since 1871*

The Sunday Gathering

10:30 a.m., 3rd February 2013

EPIPHANY IV

ORDER of SERVICE

* indicates standing for those who are able

THE FORT MASSEY CHIMES

PRELUDE Prélude à cinq parties Jaak Nikolaas Lemmens

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN** Fairest Lord Jesus VU 341

SOUNDING OF THE BELL

LIGHTING OF THE COMMUNITY CANDLE

OPENING WORDS – Heather Ferrier

INTROIT 'Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.'

THE PEACE *Peace be with you. And also with you.*

WELCOME & LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY

MINUTE FOR MISSION – Joanne Hayman

OFFERINGS

Offertory:

* **Response:** What Can I Do? (2x) MV 191

CHILDREN'S TIME – Robert Bossler

PRAYER & PRAYER OF JESUS

***CHILDREN'S HYMN** Walk With Me VU 649

READINGS Adaptation from Rudolf Bultmann:
Radical Conservative
Gospel of St. Matthew 6:19-21

What's Happening...

Taizé Prayer. St. John's United Church, Sunday, Feb. 3, 7 pm, in the Judith Grant Room at the Maritime Conservatory of Performing Arts, 6199 Chebucto Rd. (St. Mathias' Lane entrance).

Chinese New Year Dinner will be held Friday, Feb 8 at 6:30 PM. This year it will be catered by a local restaurant in our lower hall. Dinner includes Fried Rice, Fried Noodles, Meat and Vegetarian Egg Roll, Sweet and Sour Chicken, Ginger Beef, Fish dish, Vegetarian Chow Mein, Buddhist Delight (another vegetarian dish), Dessert and Drinks, Chinese cultural entertainment. Tickets are \$23/adult and \$15/child, and can be purchased from *Angie Ngu* or the Church Office.

Valentine Tea, Feb 9, 2-4 pm, Fort Massey Church Lower Hall. Includes a Bake Table. Sign-up sheet for sandwiches, cookies & squares is in the Tobin St. lobby. Free will offering for local charities.

Sunday Evening Dialogue, February 10, 6 -7 pm, *on what the United Church of Canada is learning from First Nations peoples*, at Brunswick Street United Church, Halifax. This dialogue will include topics like the Apology to First Nations people, Residential Schools, the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and Idle No More. Everyone is invited to participate. Facilitator: Russ Daye.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, February 12th, Rockingham United, Flamingo Dr.

Annual Meeting is Feb 17, 11:30 am, Lower Hall. It will be a working lunch. Please sign-up for sandwich ingredients in the Tobin St. lobby. Volunteers are needed to make the sandwiches on Sat, Feb 16, 10 to 12.

2013 World Day of Prayer Service, 2 pm, March 1, Bayers Road Baptist Church, 7077 Bayers Road. An evening service will also be held at 7 pm at Knox Presbyterian Church, 5406 Roome Street, Halifax. The service this year has been written by the women of France with the theme *I Was A Stranger And You Welcomed Me*. Guest speaker is Clare Howe, from Dartmouth, who will speak on her experience in France as a member of "Youth With A Mission".

Youth Forum/Intermediates at Conference 2013 Applications are available in the Tobin St. lobby.