

THROUGHOUT THE SEASON



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KamloopsAnglicanCathedral.com

ACKNOWLEDGMENT & THANKS

We acknowledge with many thanks the support of the Ministry Fund of the Territory of the People

We gather on the traditional territory of the Tk'emplúps te Secwépemc – Kamloops & Area First Nation. We acknowledge their care for and working of the land prior to contact with Europeans. As Canadian Anglicans, we continue to work toward healing and reconciliation and a new experience of sharing the land together.



PREREGISTRATION FORM

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EVENTS I PLAN TO ATTEND

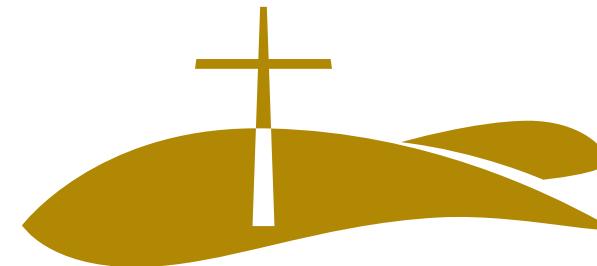
Watershed Discipleship Tour to Lac du bois

Farmers Field Tour and Banquet

Water Colours Paint-in

I also plan to attend the Water Music Ceilidh

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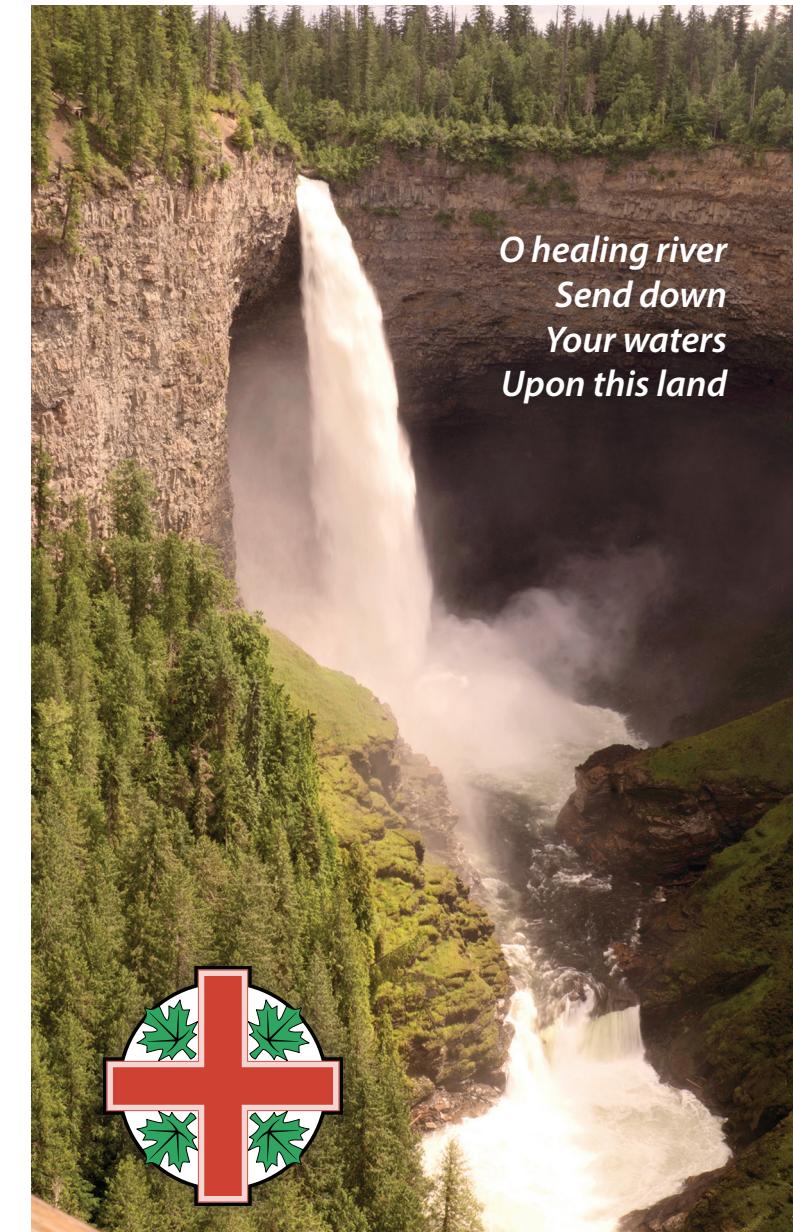
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SEASON OF CREATION 2017

SEPTEMBER AT ST. PAUL'S

YOUR ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL

IN KAMLOOPS BC



WATER: *The Gift of Life*

Commencing Sept 1 and continuing throughout the season

Everyone is invited to download, read and consider reacting to the challenges in the Green Churches Network **SEASON OF CREATION** 2017 calendar. There you will find suggestions relating to water and beyond . . . including electronics, recycling, transit, clothing . . . and so much more. We will check in at Sunday Morning Church to see how folks are getting on.

Friday, Sept 1

A not too early start . . . at 8 am log onto an online World Day of Prayer Service including:

- Bishop Mark McDonald, National Indigenous Anglican Bishop
- Archbishop Seraphim Kikoi of the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate of Alexandria
- Bill McKibben, co-founder of 350.org AND
- Yeb Saño, former climate negotiator for the Philippines

Login information is available from the office.

Sunday, Sept 3

We continue our focus on prayer at both morning services at St. Paul's. This is the second time that Anglican, Orthodox and Catholic Christians will join in prayer for the Care of Creation. **Special prayers and music will accompany our customary morning worship.** In the encyclical *Laudato si'* Pope Francis observes that Christians want to make their special contribution to safeguarding creation, but to do that they must rediscover the spiritual foundations of their approach to earthly realities, beginning with an acknowledgment that "the life of the spirit is not dissociated from the body or from nature" but lived in communion with all worldly realities.

WATERSHED DISCIPLESHIP: *A Local Response*



Saturday, Sept 9

We meet at the church at 9:30 for transport out to Lac du bois Provincial Park for our first outdoor adventure. Professional hydrologist Carl Pentilchuk will explain water systems and sustainable water management practices to us in the beautiful hills of North Kamloops.

We will be led in worship and reflection by the Rev. Laurel Dykstra from Salal + Cedar, an intentional Watershed Discipleship Community on the lower mainland. Science, engineering and nature will blend with worship, song and a special outdoor celebration of Holy Eucharist. This event is designed with all ages in mind. It will be serious; it will be fun.

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We will travel together to and from the site. Please bring a light lunch and some water. We will return to Kamloops by 1pm. The terrain will be mostly level so is accessible for most folks, most of the time.



Sunday, Sept 10 at both morning services

Laurel Dykstra will preach at both services telling the story of *Salal + Cedar* and explaining what Watershed Discipleship might mean for us in the Territory of the People. Laurel is a young and vibrant speaker who will intrigue all ages, including young adults and youth.

WATER MUSIC: *The Arts Help Us Celebrate*



Saturday, Sept 16 at 7pm in the Cathedral Hall

The Dean will be joined by Gordon Light and a host of other parishioner musicians for a Ceilidh (Celtic for party). Given this year's theme we are calling it *Water Music*. Accompanied by glorious snacks and treats, we will sing and laugh, and celebrate water, the source of all life in our lives and in our midst: Folk songs, Handel's *Water Music*, new compositions by the Dean, Ron Ste Marie, Gordon Light and Barbara Liotscos. We will also sing folk favourites and tell stories. Fun for the whole family. Remove word And this is a great low-threshold event to which you can invite friends, colleagues and neighbours remove words along to.



Sunday, Sept 17 at both morning services

Dan Hines is back as guest preacher on Sunday morning. Always folksy, lively and thoughtful, Dan is a familiar voice around St. Paul's. Dan is part priest, husband, father, politician, activist, group facilitator and more. His title is *Climate, Ice and Oceans: Musings from a team of NASA scientists studying the failing icefields in Asia*. It's all about wisdom and generational equity/ responsibility.

IN A FARMER'S FIELD: *Water Stories*



Saturday, Sept 23, meet at 2pm at the Ste Marie's in Rayleigh

This weekend we welcome Jerremie Clyde, a Calgary farmer, military historian, game theorist, husband and father. Jerremie has been active for many years as a faith-based farmer. He is an active supporter of the Canadian Foodgrains Bank and the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund which we support generously here at St. Paul's. He will help us think about water in agriculture, ably assisted by



Ron and Jennifer Ste Marie who are familiar with Jerremie's work and have been implementing Permaculture principles in their own garden . We will likely gather at their home 193 Puett Ranch Rd. in Rayleigh and ride together to a couple of local sites before returning for a sustainable banquet locavore banquet (emphasizing local ingredients) followed by the screening of a movie *Making Peace with Creation* by the Waters of Georgia Strait.

Sunday, Sept 24 at both morning services

Jerremie will speak on *Water, Scripture, and a Faith-Based Farm*. Part of his presentation was published in a recent Thursday email courtesy of the PWRDF.

WATER COLOURS: *It's Your Turn To Create*



Sunday, Oct 1

We round out this year's programme two ways. Dean Ken will speak during the morning services on the legacy of St. Francis. Each year we will continue the connection with this colourful reforming ecologically aware saint whose image adorns one of our chapel windows.



In the afternoon folks are invited to gather for a painting experience called *Water Colours* at Tricia Selmer's home, 5626 Beaton Road (directions available from the office). It all begins at 1pm Tricia and her assistants will help participants create art in a variety of media. At 4pm we will break for a tea party on the deck and share the results of our labours.

This is an All Ages Event. PLEASE NOTE: PREREGISTRATION USING THE SUPPLIED FORM IS NECESSARY FOR THIS EVENT. There is also a small charge of \$10/person or \$25/family to cover cost of materials.

