

HAPPY Wednesday!
Here are some things you should know.

Attached are:
Holy week – INTRODUCTORY NOTES
AGAPE MEAL FOR MAUNDY THURSDAY
GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY

Please note, these are liturgies designed for use at home. We will not livestream these rites, but hope folks can join and invite others to do so on Easter Morning.

What worship looks like during the COVID-19 situation:



Join us Sunday at 10am for our time of worship together online.

How to Join Us:

If you are on Facebook: Go to the St. Paul's Cathedral, Kamloops BC page. The live stream of the service will begin at 10am and should appear for you at that time. If it doesn't, refresh your web browser and try again!

If you are not on Facebook: You should still be able to access the live streaming of the service without making an account. Go to this link: [Facebook Link](#)

and the live stream should begin at 10am. **You may need to say "no" to the invitations to create an account.**

Can't join us at 10am on Sunday? No worries! The service will stay on the Facebook page for St. Paul's and within a few hours will also be uploaded onto the Cathedral website for your viewing.

We look forward to gathering with you on Sunday morning through the ways that technology offers to us

Watch the Facebook page for wise words from Ken on a weekly basis!

Virtual Coffee with Ken, Kathie and Melissa



Join us on ZOOM for a "virtual coffee hour" at 10am on Tuesday, April 14 and Thursday, April 16.

This will be a time for conversation and checking in with those who drop by. It will be a new format for us all - so we'll see what works and what we can do differently as we seek to be together and support one another in new ways.

ZOOM is a platform that allows for video and audio presence, if your technology has those pieces, as well as the ability to phone in for conversation.

(If you are experiencing difficulty with joining us during the scheduled time, after trying the below instruction, call Melissa at 250-682-4866 and she will try to walk you through it!)

Access is fairly simple, follow these instructions:

CONNECT ONLINE

Click the link below in your web browser

<https://zoom.us/j/196396852?pwd=amFuLzBtSFZxQ25VcXJTNFJDOE9HUT09>

Zoom may install a piece of software on your computer so you can connect. If you use Zoom already it is likely there now. Finally you should see your picture on the screen. Tell Zoom you would like to connect with Computer Audio and you will be able to speak and hear and see others.

CONNECT BY PHONE

If for any reason your cannot connect with video you can call in by phone.

Dial +1 778 907 2071

When prompted enter the Meeting ID: **196 396 852**

IGNORE THE REQUEST for participant number by pressing #

When prompted, enter the Password: **806044**

EITHER WAY WE HOPE YOU CAN CONNECT WITH OTHERS NEXT TUESDAY AND/OR THURSDAY. The same link should work for all our coffee time meetings.

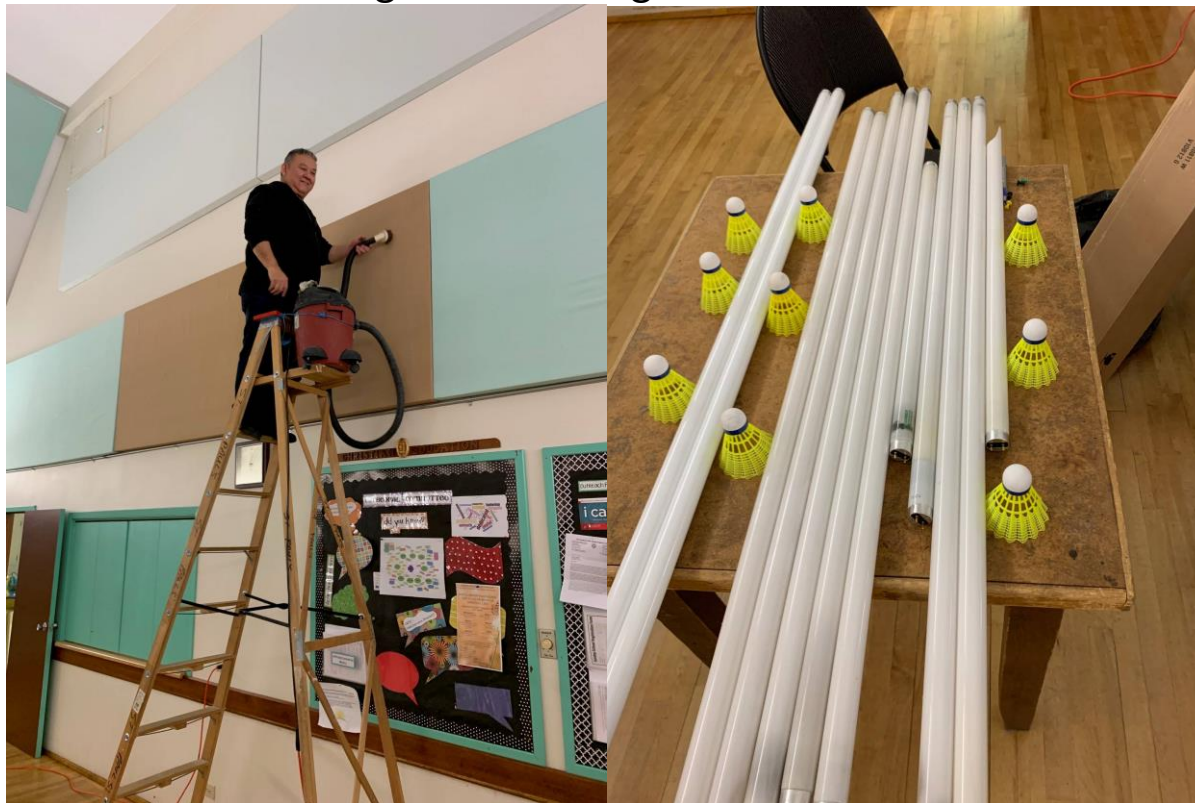
CONCERNING SECURITY, we are only sharing this link by email and not on our website so it is not "public."

What is going on with the Staff during the building closure?



We have had some calls and emails about what is going on with the Staff at the Cathedral.

Ron – keeps busy at the Cathedral. He has vacuumed every single sound baffle and light in the hall (they were very dusty) and he has replaced the fluorescent lights. Next up? He will be murphy's oiling the pews. He says there is lots to do for him around the building. He is finding some wild stuff!



Claire – also is keeping busy. She monitors the emails and phones and creates the Thursday email as well as the biddings and readings for the week. She still hands out soup as part of the soup ministry but is taking precautions to make it “contact free”. So many of the food programs have shut down or are in dire need of supplies so her numbers have gone up. She is also cheerfully depositing money that comes in. She tried to work from home but the email wouldn’t work AND her home coworkers were needy and wanted to go for a walk.



Honey wants to go for a walk!

New Soup hand out set up





She misses you all but asks that you please DO NOT come in!

Ken - The Dean now works from home except for the livestream on Sunday mornings. He is always available by phone at 778 220 2631.

Children & Youth Ministry



Dear families,

As we sit in the midst of Holy Week, this journey to the celebration of the resurrection, I am holding you all in my prayers.

I imagine what you may do this weekend to celebrate the Risen Christ. Maybe you'll have breakfast together with your family, write a message or draw a picture on your sidewalk in chalk, add art work to your windows, make a craft together, hike in the forest, bake something together, FaceTime with family and friends... I wonder what you will do together this weekend? If you create something in celebration of Easter send a photo my way and tell me all about it!

Watch the St. Paul's website on Friday for Easter Resources from Illustrated Ministry.



Melissa available to connect with families, children and youth via email, phone, MessengerKids, and video chat. She can also be reached at stpaulscathedralyouth@gmail.com or call/text [250-682-4866](tel:250-682-4866).

The Dove's ring the Bells



Mary and Gordon Dove have volunteered to ring the church bells every night at 7pm to thank and honour health care workers getting off their shifts at RIH. This is a lovely way to show how much we appreciate the front line workers!!

Building is CLOSED



Please know that St. Paul's Cathedral is closed until further notice for all uses. If anyone requires access to the building please leave a message for warden Jon Buckle at 250 571 0675. Please stay home, for yourself, and for everyone.

The Circular



As an activity for the time that we are confined to our homes I invite all you would be Ernest Hemingways and Margaret Atwoods to write a piece for the Circular about Family. It can be the history of your family, or an amusing story, or your adventures climbing the family tree, or what "family" means to you. You can tell us about your relatives near and far, your in-laws and your out-laws, etc. Tales of your fur babies are also welcome. It doesn't need to be the great Canadian novel, anything from a page or two to a paragraph or two is good. The deadline for submissions is June 15, but I could be flexible by a day or two.

Happy writing.

Elizabeth
Editor St. Paul's Circular

The Territory of the People newsletter can be found here –
[Newsletter](#)

PWRDF – Response to COVID-19



Dr. Jean Baptiste Mbonyingingo, Village Health Works' Medical Director, shows off a face mask made by members of the sewing co-op, in anticipation of a potential shortage should COVID-19 incidence increase as it has in Italy, Spain and the United States. At present, VHW health care workers have a sufficient supply of gloves and N95 face masks.

<https://pwrdf.org/pwrdf-directs-200000-to-covid-19/>

VST Summer School – News!



Vancouver School of Theology is pleased to announce its plans for July summer school programming. Almost all courses will continue as planned, with several re-scheduled into the 2021 Summer School program. In light of global solidarity efforts to eliminate the threat of Covid-19, all courses will be taught in virtual classrooms using Zoom, which allows for easy face-to-face interactions with teachers and classmates.

Vancouver School of Theology has been using Zoom with great success with it's growing number of distance students, and is pleased to extend this opportunity to its summer school participants. VST has been doing online education for 4 years now so our online delivery of courses is a quality learning experience.

[Summer School](#)