Alberni Valley United Church April 26, 2020



"Love gives power to hope and faith." -Toba Beta

	<u>Upcoming Zoom Meetings & Gatherings:</u>	
April 28	Gentle Yoga	10:00 am
	Prayer Chapel	1:00 pm
April 29	Wednesday Communion	12:00 pm
April 30	Café Connect	10:00 am
	Chair Yoga	10:30 am
	Watercolour Meditations	3:00 pm

Violet Green Swallow Birdhouse Making Kits still available for curbside pickup. Order by email or phone Email: avunitedchurch@shaw.ca Phone: 250-723-8332

Inter-spiritual Contemplative Practice: Join us for our next gathering online via Zoom. https://zoom.us/j/960983040 Meeting ID: 960 983 040 Sunday May 03, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Wednesday Bible Study: 2:30 pm, https://zoom.us/j/543593065 Meeting ID: 543 593 065

Wednesday Communion: 12:00 – 12:30 pm, Tune in via Livestream.

Gentle Yoga with Mary: Tuesday April 28 @ 10:00 am. Zoom Meeting https://us04web.zoom.us/j/914967295 Meeting ID: 914 967 295

Chair Yoga with Mary: Thursday, April 30 at 10:30 am. http://us04web.zoom.usID844659337 Meeting ID: 844 659 337

Candlelight Prayer Vigil: Tuesday, April 28 @ 1:00 pm. For people who have died during COVID-19. Join URL: https://zoom.us/j/699206555

NEW Watercolour Meditations: Thursday, April 30, 3:00 pm. Join Zoom Meeting

https://zoom.us/j/966534356?pwd=WHRBTEhEWExOaFU3V1hWMUISMl JoZz09, Password: let go

NEW Café Connect: Thursday, April 30 10:00 am. https://zoom.us/j/309713535

*We are looking for additional monies to add to Minnie's discretionary fund.

Another small group is launching next week: "Journaling in the time of COVID 19".

Minnie has plans to offer a small group, "The Spirituality of Aging." Please let the office know if you are interested. The group needs a minimum of 6 people.

We are also launching the **NEW** Facebook page for the Center titled **'Courageous Community Center'**. Please visit the page and hit **like** under the main header image. www.facebook.com/courageouscommunitycenter also www.facebook.com/albernivalleyuc

Bread of Life needs: canned/non-perishable food, toilet paper, brown sugar, coffee, oatmeal, margarine, salt & pepper, ground meat, vanilla, spoons, bleach, cash donations and volunteers.

Plus, calorie dense food such as boost, protein/granola bars, tuna and cracker packages, peanut butter packets.

The Moose Hide Campaign is a grass roots movement of Indigenous and non-indigenous men and boys who are standing up against violence towards women and children. Wearing a moose hide signifies your commitment to honour, respect, and protect the women and children in your life.

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Gathering Online

Welcome:

Call to Gather:

Acknowledgement of Territories:

Introductions:

Announcements:

Hymn: And on this Path MV 8

Hymn: I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me VU 575

Lighting the Christ Candle:

Prayer of Praise:

We Listen for the Word of God

Song with the Young: Dance with the Spirit MV 156

Time with the Young and the Young at Heart:

A Time of Offering: Prayer Over the Gifts:

Scripture: Jeremiah 29: 10 & 11

Scripture: John 20: 19-31

Sermon: The Tenaciousness of Dandelions is Needful in our Turned Upside-

Down World

We Respond

Hymn: We Come to the Garden:

Prayers of the People:

We Go Forth

Closing Hymn: We Shall Go Out with the Hope of ResurrectionVU586 Blessing: