



Barrhaven United Church

called to worship sent to serve

Welcome!

Participating in worship this morning ~

<i>Worship Leader:</i>	<i>Rev. Carla Van Delen</i>	<i>Organist:</i>	<i>Sara Surjadinata</i>
<i>Scripture Reader:</i>	<i>Diane Filby</i>	<i>Senior Choir Director:</i>	<i>Barb Ackison</i>
		<i>Senior Choir:</i>	<i>Thanks!</i>
<i>Welcome Desk:</i>	<i>Trish Barlow</i>	<i>Ushers:</i>	<i>Penny Setterfield and Brad Jesty</i>
<i>Greeters:</i>	<i>Jane Grant</i>	<i>Counters:</i>	<i>Sharon Switzer-McManus and Don Winchester</i>
<i>Sound:</i>	<i>Gord Crumpler</i>	<i>Refreshments:</i>	<i>Beth Cumming and Liz Nieman</i>
<i>Sunday School:</i>	<i>We are looking for a volunteer!!!</i>		

And you! The congregation at BUC!

How to Reach Us at BUC

Check the website www.barrhavenunited.org & follow the links.
Call the church at 613-825-1707

Office Administrator: Andrea Sinclair
Office hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30am -12:30pm
bucadmin@gmail.com

Minister: Rev. Carla Van Delen
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For Pastoral emergencies call: (613) 915-0081
bucminister@gmail.com

Christian Educational Congregational Minister: Margie Ann MacDonald
margie_ann_macDonald@hotmail.com or 613-440-1561

Chair of Council: Kelly Harvey
buccouncil.chair@gmail.com or 613-790-1665.

BUC Pastoral Care Team: Melanie MacDonald
bucpastoral.chair@gmail.com or 613-692-4569

<u>Happening This Week</u>				<u>Coming Up in October/November</u>			
Sunday	5	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service	Sunday	12	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service
		11:00 a.m.	Jr. Choir Practice			11:00 a.m.	Jr. Choir Practice
Monday	6	9:30 a.m.	Pastoral Care Mtg.	Wednesday	14	9:30 a.m.	Study Group
		7:00 p.m.	Bazaar Meeting.			7:30 p.m.	Meditation
		7:00 p.m.	M&C Meeting	Thursday	15	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
Wednesday	8	9:30 a.m.	Study Group			6:00 p.m.	Healing Pathway
		7:30 p.m.	Meditation			7:30 p.m.	Sr. Choir Practice
Thursday	9	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Group				
		6:30 p.m.	Healing Pathway				
		7:30 p.m.	Sr. Choir Practice				
Friday	10	9:00 a.m.	HP Training				
Saturday	11	9:00 a.m.	HP Training				

Keep in your prayers.....

In addition to those you hold in your own heart, please keep in your prayers those from our congregation.



*Sandra Fry & family
Linda Mitchell*

Please call the office, the minister or pastoral care team when family and friends need comfort and prayer. The care ministry wants to extend the congregation's support. Call the office to let us know of celebrations- births, adoptions, engagements, weddings and anniversaries.



November 12th Lectionary:

Joshua 3: 7-17; Psalm 107: 1-7, 33-37; Micah 3: 5-12; Psalm 43; 1 Thessalonians 9-13;
Matthew 23: 1-12.

➤ **Stewardship Seconds:**

Stewardship does not put God in a box labelled "church on Sunday". Stewardship brings God to every part of daily life and speaks out against oppression wherever it is found.

➤ **Upcoming Services**

Sunday, November 12th: 23rd Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, November 19th: Reign of Christ Sunday
Sunday, November 26th: First Sunday of Advent and Hanging of the Greens

➤ **Covenanting Service**

You are invited to the Covenanting Service between Barrhaven United Church, Ottawa Presbytery and the Reverend Carla Van Delen on Sunday November 5th, 2017 at 7:00pm at Barrhaven United Church. The Reverend Elaine Beattie will be the worship leader and Reverend Grant Dillenbeck will be the preacher for the evening service. Light refreshments to follow in the church hall.



CARING AND FELLOWSHIP

➤ Barrhaven United Church's Pictorial Directory

Barrhaven United Church's Pictorial Directory of 2014 was updated with an addendum in the summer of 2017, in anticipation of the arrival of our new minister, Rev. Carla Van Delen. Many people took the opportunity to have their picture taken to bring it more fully up to date. (ADDENDUM is at the back of the original directory. The next pictorial directory will happen in 2019). In the meantime, you can check out faces and names of those attending BUC, by 1. requesting and wearing a name tag and 2. taking a look at the directory on display on Sunday mornings, on the table just outside the sanctuary entrance. Many new persons are worshipping at BUC this fall. Putting names and faces together helps to create a friendly congregation.....and really helps our new minister!!! A special thank you to Heather Chang who brought her photographic artistry to this effort!!

➤ News from the Social Committee

Reception for Rev. Carla's Covenanting Service: A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex for 25 people to bring one dozen goodies each. Please bring them already plated and ready to serve. We also need help with setting up the hall (starting at 6pm) and cleaning up afterwards.

Games Night: Mark your calendars for Saturday, November 11th, 6:30pm - 9:30pm. Lemonade will be provided. Please bring snacks to share and your games of course!

Advent Potluck and Carol Sing: Mark your calendars for Sunday, December 3rd! Crafts for the children begin at 4:30pm, with dinner at 5:30pm and a carol sing afterwards in the Sanctuary. A sign-up sheet will be available in November.

➤ Do you enjoy coffee after church on Sunday?

Did you know that this weekly fellowship over coffee is in serious jeopardy? We have far too few people who have signed up to do the work needed on a Sunday morning to prepare coffee, serve it and clean-up afterwards. Volunteers work in pairs and without more recruits, the weekly rotation simply can't be maintained and coffee hour will need to be reduced to Sunwich Sundays only.

If you are willing to take a turn making coffee at least twice a year, please contact the office or email Bucmembership.chair@gmail.com or sign up to volunteer on Oct 29th at the Volunteer Fair. (When the Volunteer Fair is completed the tally of volunteers will inform the decision whether to continue weekly coffee or not).

➤ **Healing Pathway**

There will be Healing Pathway sessions on Thursday, November 16th and Thursday, November 23rd from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. There will also be a Healing Pathway session on Friday, November 24th from 9:00am to noon.

There will also be Healing Pathway training at BUC on Friday, November 10th and Saturday, November 11th.

To book a Healing Pathway session, please contact Cathy Murphy at **613-867-8267**. Your Healing Pathway Practitioners are: Doug Collins, Linda Hearty, Melanie Macdonald and Cathy Murphy.



LEARNING

➤ **An Update from the Christian Education Committee**

The cupcakes decorated by the Sunday school students raised \$84.40 towards our support for Tran Thi Kim Tuyen, our foster child in Vietnam. Thank you to all who generously donated.

Members of the Pastoral care ministry will be sharing their time with the Sunday school this week to teach about that important ministry. Thank you.

➤ **The BUC Rotating Book Club**

The BUC Book Club has set up its own version of a "Free Library" which we are calling the "BUC Rotating Book Club." Thanks to Sara for finding us a bookcase which is located at the entrance to the coatroom. The Book Club will supply the books and maintain the library so we ask that no donations be made. There is a "two book maximum" rule and we ask that borrowers read, return, and choose again. The library will be closed during special church functions such as concerts, bazaars, etc. to ensure access to the coatroom. Any questions, suggestions, or additional information contact any book club member or Eileen Parent.

➤ **Prayer Cards**

Prayer Cards contain a message of prayer for some aspect of the news. You are invited to take a card home, put it somewhere visible to you each day and, at times during the day, reflect on the concern and take it 'into your heart'. You may want to study the background of the message to be more informed – study in this way is prayer as well. The cards in the larger box are created especially for adults; the more

colourful cards in the small box are for children.



OUTREACH

- If you missed last Sunday's Outreach insert re: upcoming opportunities to support our local Outreach projects, please pick one up from the table in the Narthex.



RESOURCE STEWARDSHIP

- **Fall Clean-Up Day**

We will be holding our Fall Clean-Up Day on Saturday, November 11th. Because this is Remembrance Day, the start time for the main effort will be 1:30pm. However, those with no commitment in the morning are welcome to join us at 8:30am to kick off the work, supervised by John Miller.

Most of the work will be to collect and bag leaves and debris throughout the property but there are other jobs to do as well. Please come and join Facilities for a few hours of work. Many hands make light work!

George Macdonald, Facilities, (613) 692-4569

- **2017 Christmas Bazaar: Saturday, November 25, 2017 - mark your calendars and get involved!**

The 2017 Christmas Bazaar is sneaking up on us again this year. In just a little more than a month, we will be having our largest fundraiser of the year. There will be sign-up sheets in the Hall for the next few Sundays after the Service. We will need:

Baking: If you like to bake and are making things for Christmas, why not make a few extra and donate them to the Bake Table. For example things like cookies, tarts, buns, bread, squares, cinnamon buns, loaves - any baking is very appreciated. Any questions, please call Karen Collins at (613) 825-1581.

Bazaar Bling: Once again we need your used fashion accessories to add colour and sparkle to our jewelry table. This "Bazaar Bling" can include jewelry, scarves, belts, and handbags or purses. A box for your donations can be found in the Narthex. The cut-off date for the donations will be Nov. 19th. (see box

in the Narthex). If you have any questions, please contact Debbie McMillan at (613) 825-6881.

Attic Treasures: Have you cleaned your closet or cupboards out? If there is anything you are not using and no longer want, you can donate it to the Attic Treasures table, and they will gladly take it off your hands. Maybe someone else can use it! Please contact Sandra Smith at (613) 843-7558

Books: Looking for used books, soft or hard cover. No magazines please.

Calling all crafters and sewers: If you are busy making hand-crafted items for the Christmas season, please make a few extra and donate them to the church's Crafts and Knitting Table for this year's Bazaar. The following are just a few suggestions because we know there are many other possible creations out there that we would be happy to accept. Suggested items: mittens, neck warmers, hats, scarves, table runners, placemats, baby items, wine bags, wall hangings, decorative pillows, Christmas decorations, tree ornaments, bookmarks, jewelry and wood crafts. You are only limited by your own creativity, but keep in mind that all items for this table must be hand-crafted and new.

Your creations can be given to Wenda Martinho (613) 825-2821 or Debbie James (613) 825-4799 any Sunday or can be dropped off at the church the day before the Bazaar (hours for drop-off will be announced closer to the day.)

Cookie Corral: It's like going to the bakery and buying by the half or whole dozen or as many as you like of each kind. We are still looking for a few more bakers to make 10 dozen cookies to make a nice variety of cookies to sell. If you love to bake this is a good way to contribute to the cookie coral. Contact Debbie Backstrom at (613) 986-0607.

Volunteers Needed:

Sign up in the Hall:

- table helpers
- door greeters
- set up and take down crew
- parking Supervision
- Hall Decorator

Questions?

Please contact Leona Crumpler at 613 823-0822 or email leonac125@gmail.com

➤ **Dymon Storage Opportunity:**

Once again Dymon Storage has generously offered a \$500.00 storage certificate in support of BUC's Bazaar and Silent Auction. The certificate applies to a new client and can be used *in addition* to any other published Dymon offers. It includes a truck and driver for pick up. **If you, your family or friends require storage prior to the BUC Bazaar, we are making this gift certificate immediately available at a "buy it now" price of \$300.00 (an outright savings of \$200.00 plus tax).** Please contact George or Melanie Macdonald, Silent Auction Coordinators, for further info or to purchase the certificate: **613-692-4569 or Bucmembership.chair@gmail.com.**

