



GLADWIN HEIGHTS UNITED CHURCH

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Gladwin Heights is a member church of Affirm United

Announcements for March 15th, 2026

We look forward to seeing you
this Sunday at 9:30am!



*Happy
Birthday*

Ellen Alstad	March 9
Alan Peterson	March 9
Helaina Assels	March 22
Sandy Dahm	March 31

Weekly Worship Elements

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Luke 12:22-34

READER: Rita Green

HYMNS

MV 27 – “Creator God You Gave Us Life”

“With You, O Lord” – Songs from Taizé 31

VU 356 – “Seek Ye First”

“Abana in Heaven”

VU 654 – “All My Hope is Firmly Grounded.”

A Message from the Chair

I wish to express my deep gratitude for your kind words and gift cards presented to me on Sunday. I am deeply honoured that Gladwin has allowed me to be the Board Chair and Project Chair for our project. I have said many times Gladwin is a very unique special congregation that is very much a "family". There are many talented people who bring their individual skills to our church. I can't draw a straight line with a ruler, and my baking skills are poor compared to the excellent bakers in our congregations. I do have some skill at organizing and I am glad that I can contribute to our church family that way.

As I said in my message in the annual reports 2026 will be an exciting year for Gladwin, a very sincere thank you to you.

On another note: in light of comments made at the AGM a member of our congregation has increased their monthly contribution to \$500! This is a very generous amount and obviously most people cannot give so much. But an increase of even \$10/week will go a long way. We are blessed with congregation that always meets challenges. These are very difficult times financially for everyone but if you can find a few extra dollars to add to the collection it will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you,

-Gayle LaPointe

Gladwin's Events



MAUNDY THURSDAY Mediterranean themed potluck meal at Gladwin Heights April 2nd, (time TBA). Please bring a dish to share with the congregation



GARAGE SALE Our annual garage sale and soft good collection will be held Saturday **April 18th, 2026**. Unfortunately there is no storage at the church, please contact Ellen she can arrange something.



5/2 MINISTRIES WITH B'HAI we are making sandwiches to distribute to those who are homeless. We meet at the church on the **first Tuesday of the month at 2pm**

Cluster & Shared Announcements



RETIRED OLD MEN EATING OUT Next ROMEO date is **March 20th, at 7am** at JoJo's Restaurant.



BLESS, BREAK, SHARE: RECIPES FOR FAITHFUL LIVING Lenten Study – In-person, **11am to noon, Fridays at Trinity**. This devotional invites you to reflect on food and hunger as a spiritual practice. What do you hunger for? What feeds your soul? How do you feed others? Every meal and every table can provide an opportunity to grow in faith. Estimated price \$15 including tax.



QUEER GAME NIGHTS Weekly game nights **every Monday, 7-9pm at Trinity**, for queer folk and allies. Bring any games that you want to play. ***Location change***
Boardwalk Café & Games at 33760 Essendene Ave



ANASTASIA Gallery 7 Theatre proudly presents

Anastasia, An Epic Story of Self-Discovery! The era is the 1920s. As the Russian Empire crumbles, a young woman called Anya sets out to uncover the secrets of her past. With the assistance of the debonair conman, Dimitri, and his ex-aristocrat sidekick, Vladimir, Anya escapes her homeland and heads to Paris in search of answers. Pursuing her is the ferocious Soviet officer, Vaganov, a man unwavering in his determination to silence her. Running **March 18th – 21st, 25th – 28th, 2026 @ 7:30pm with matinees on March 21st, 22nd, 28th & 29th, 2026 @ 2:00pm** at the Abbotsford Arts Centre, 2329 Crescent Way, Abbotsford. Tickets and info: www.gallery7theatre.com or call 604-504-5940.

Group rates available!



IRISH LUNCH You and your friends are invited to an

Irish Stew (gluten-free) lunch on **March 15th at Trinity** following our worship service. Cost will be \$20 per adult, \$5 per child. Irish sing-along following lunch. Tickets for sale starting March 1st.

Please Note!



FACEBOOK SERVICE We broadcast our in-house service via Facebook Live, for those who are unable to make it in person. Visit the [Gladwin Heights Facebook Page](#) and look for the Service by date. It can be viewed online anytime.



**Gladwin Height is a recipient of a Seeds of Hope grant
in support of our redevelopment plans**

Church Reception Hours

St. Andrew's Office

Monday 8:30am-4:30pm
Wednesday 8:30am-2:30pm

Gladwin's Office

Tuesday 8:30am-4:30pm
Thursday 9am-12pm

Reverend Tim

10am-5pm