



BBC News

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to Burlington Baptist Church. We pray you will find our fellowship warm and our worship meaningful. Guests are encouraged to sign one of our guest books before leaving. Regular and large print bulletins, and hearing-assist devices, are available. Everyone is invited to stay for fellowship and refreshment following the service.

All children are invited to come forward for a **Children's Time** in our service. Then, following a prayer, they will leave us to attend Sunday School. There are activities for children on the table at the east entrance, to your right when seated in the sanctuary.

We will celebrate **The Lord's Supper** in our service this morning. As a congregation we practice "Open Communion," meaning that all followers of Christ who wish to share in the meal are welcome to do so. And when we gather for Communion, we are invited to make a special offering to our church's Benevolent Fund. This fund is used to respond to those in need among us. Thank you for your generosity and compassion expressed in giving.

Our **Greeters** today are Dolly Sarsfield (West Door) and Sandra Andersen (East Door), the **Welcome Associates** are Arlene and Milt MacLean, and the **Tellers** are Nandy Vista and Jim Nowlan.

Coming Events

1. **Monday, February 12: Jessie Woelfle Mission Circle meet 1.30pm in the Sanctuary.**
2. **Tuesday, February 13: Adult Study Class 2.00pm in the Upper Room.** We will be studying "How Jesus Became God" (2014), another of The Great Courses from The Teaching Company. It is taught by Professor Bart D. Ehrman, the James A. Gray Distinguished Professor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. For further information contact Lorne Ogden.

Coming Events Continued

3. **Tuesday, February 13: Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, 5.30pm in the Sanctuary.** Price: \$8 per person, \$20 per family. Entertainment by: The Buskers.
4. **Wednesday, February 14: *Circle of Friends* (CoF) 11.00am** in the Sanctuary. Please contact **Mae Radford** 905-333-4065, **Dawn Yarker** or **Bill Woodland** if you have a question and/or if you wish to help.
5. **Thursday, February 15: Choir Practice** - Join us in the Sanctuary from **7.00pm to 9.00pm.** All are welcome and needed.
6. **Friday, February 16: Community Dinner 6.00pm at Wellington Square United Church.** This is a free event every Friday and everyone is welcome. This week volunteers from BBC will be lending a hand, with prep team from 4-6pm, service and clean-up team from 6-approx. 8pm. Volunteers are always needed, so please consider volunteering for a couple of hours to help this much needed service.

Advance Notices

2018 Lenten Study: *The Mystery of Everything* is an original Lenten course by author, Hilary Brand, which takes the multi-award-winning film about Stephen Hawking, *The Theory of Everything*, as its starting point. The course explores ways in which the mysteries of the universe and of everyday life – and the acceptance that we have more questions than answers – can reinvigorate our faith and spiritual journey. Groups will meet for five consecutive weeks:

Fridays @ 10.30am in the Sanctuary - February 23 to March 23

Sundays @ 6.30pm in the Upper Room - February 25 to March 25

Please sign up for the group you will attend. Space may be limited.

Book and Bake Sale 2018: The sale runs from **Thursday April 26 to Saturday April 28, 2018.** The proceeds are used to support the projects of the Learning and Spiritual Growth Team, as well as the library..... **Books:** The Team is happy to take all your discards, as well as those of your neighbours & friends. Books of any genre, magazines (not more than 3yrs old), CDs, DVDs, VHS tapes, puzzles may be brought to the church and left in the library or in the bottom of the library cart, marked “for book sale”. No multi-volume sets, out-of-date science or computer books, please, as they are not saleable. For further information, contact Lorne Ogden or any member of the L&SG Team. **Baking:** Baked goods are not needed until the week of the sale, and all donations are welcome. The most saleable items include loaves, muffins, cookies, and squares; however, cakes, pies, rolls are also saleable, just not as quickly. For further information, contact Cindy Mastin.

Advance Notices Continued

Vacation Church School will be held from July 16 to July 20. Please mark these dates on your calendar.



Other Notices

We remember them in our prayers.....

Peggy Kitchen.
Noni & John McColm.
John & Bev Cronk.
Ted Yarker.

Perfume & Allergies: We respectfully ask that you refrain from wearing perfume to Church. We have members of the congregation who may have severe reactions to perfumes. Thank you for your consideration.

The USED STAMP Program

For the Canadian Bible Society raises much needed money for the translation, printing & distribution of Bibles. Please cut stamps from envelopes, leaving a 3/4" border and place in the box marked 'Stamps' below the large noticeboard in the foyer. Please remember that Flag or Queen stamps can not be used. Thank you.

As you leave today.....

On the tables inside each entrance you will find the Winter edition of **MOSAIC**, the magazine of our *Canadian Baptist Ministries*, do take a copy as you leave today.

Church Office Hours

- open Tuesday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

- contact Jackie, our Office Administrator,

- by calling 905-634-2477

- by email at Office@burlingtonbaptist.com





DOORS OPEN : 5:30 PM

DINNER : 6:00 PM

TICKETS : \$20:00

**TICKETS NOW ON SALE AT
FOYER BOX OFFICE**