

November Service Theme: Integrity

The theme this month is 'Integrity'—the state of wholeness, or of being true to oneself or in alignment with one's principles and values. We'll explore this theme from the perspective of human life cycles, human maturity, gender identity, relationships and the earth. Visit the Beacon web site to download a theme sheet with suggested readings, movies and questions relating to the subject of Integrity.



"Perhaps each of us has an inner compass that points to our true self. Whether we follow it or not, it will not diminish in power; it always points in the direction of integrity, the way home."

From *My Grandfather's Blessings* by Rachel Naomi Remen, M.D.

**NOV
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A Light in the Window

Rev. Arthur Berman

Coordinator: Marilyn Medén

Rev. Berman, a chaplain at the Vancouver General Hospital, presents an exploration of home and family, their meaning for us, and how our religious movement contributes to our sense of community.

Rev. Berman has been a Chaplain for the Vancouver General Hospital for 16 years. He is a member of the North Shore Unitarian Church.

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Telling the Truth

Rev. Debra Thorne

Telling the truth to ourselves and to others may lead to integrity. But the real truth is a fun but bumpy ride over the potholes made by little white lies, false claims, embellishments and tall stories! When must truth be spoken? On what do you stake your integrity?

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The Grace in Aging

Rev. Debra Thorne

Aging is a spiritual practice like no other. If we were to take to heart the precariousness of our existence, what strivings and consuming, what cherished beliefs, what clung to personal stories would we let go of? And in that letting go are we prepared for what will return to us?

- Choir sings

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Climate Change: Really, Why Should I Give a Hoot?

Terry McComas

Co-ordinator: Rev. Debra Thorne

One hears many alarming predictions about climate change, but sees few examples in our daily life. The local weather remains mild, our fish still swim, our gardens continue to grow. Experts generally agree that the impacts elsewhere will be more pronounced. So, why should we care?

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Extending our Welcome

Rev. Meg Roberts

Coordinator: Joan Morris

Beacon went through an educational process and an official vote in 2004 to become a Unitarian Universalist 'Welcoming Congregation', acknowledging support for the inclusion and participation of gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people. That was eleven years ago. What are some issues transgender people face today and how can we, with integrity, be more welcoming of transgender people?

- Choir sings
 - Congregational Budget Meeting after church, and soup lunch
- Rev. Meg Roberts is a quarter-time consulting minister with Comox Valley Unitarian Fellowship. She is a guest minister in Unitarian congregations across BC. Rev. Roberts also offers Spirit Arts workshops, using creativity to explore our spiritual lives.*



**Beacon
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Sunday worship services and religious education classes are held at the Sapperton Pensioners Hall, 318 Keary Street, New Westminster. Services start at 10:30 am. More info at www.beaconunitarian.org.

Deadline for the December issue of The Beacon: November 15th, 2015
Please send to: Newsletter@BeaconUnitarian.org

A Vision and a Mission



Two years ago a small group of enthusiastic members—David Hamilton, Jean Donaldson, Hannah Brown and Audrey Taylor—and myself jumped into the project of renewing the vision and mission for Beacon that would take the community to the next stage of its evolution. As many of you

remember, we presented ideas through skits and dramatic announcements on Sunday morning; we held workshops and hosted small group conversations; then we presented our first and second drafts, heard your critiques and edited. Then we lost momentum. I must admit that I lost momentum for this project as we all got busy responding to the immediate needs of growth in the community.

Now we are ready to present to you the Vision and the Mission Statement that will be used to guide me, the Board, and the Worship and Stewardship Committees in making decisions about how to serve you and the wider community (*see right*).

The congregation will ratify this statement at the Congregational Meeting on Sunday, November 29th.

If you have comments or critiques before then, please send them to Audrey Taylor (audreyzwaaltaylor@live.ca) or myself (minister@beaconcongregation.org).

—Rev. Debra Thorne

Proposed Vision & Mission Statement:



**Beacon
Unitarian
Church**

OUR VISION

CONNECT

With Compassion & Respect

INSPIRE

Learning & Spiritual Growth

TRANSFORM

Through Joy & Justice

OUR MISSION

Our mission is to
celebrate the worth and dignity of all people and
to live in conscious relationship with the earth.

For inspiration, we draw on the world's
great scientists, artists, humanists and theologians,
as well as on our personal experiences.

So we are inspired to create greater equality,
greater justice and greater hope for our world.



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Teresa Morton stands beside our new "feather flag".

Board Bitz

As a Board of Directors, we continue to be amazed and grateful for the awesome community that is Beacon!

Thanks to the Membership and Connecting Committee, Phil Campbell, and everyone who filled in their *Let's Connect* forms, we now have a good sense of who would like to do what at Beacon—which will really help when there are tasks that need doing, committees that have new needs, or when new projects are initiated.

Speaking of new projects, the Board now has the beginnings of a dedicated group to move the Refugee Project forward. There is lots of work to be done, so look for more updates and for a formal presentation at our Congregational Meeting on Sunday, November 29th, right after church.

And, speaking of the Congregational Meeting, the first order of

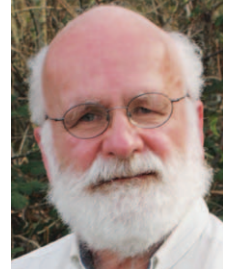
business will be the discussion and passing of a budget for 2016. As usual, we have high needs and high expectations for a small church. As you read this, you will already have gotten some good information from our Stewardship committee about Beacon's financial needs and we hope you will find it in your hearts and pocket-books to give generously and help support this wonderful community!

Also, at the Congregational Meeting, we will be asking for your endorsement of the long-awaited Mission Statement, to compliment and expand on our Vision Statement. You'll find the Mission Statement on page 2. It is the result of input from many, many people in our congregation.

As you can see, you don't want to miss the Sunday, November 29th Congregational Meeting. Peggy is



Audrey Taylor,
Co-President



Terry McComas,
Co-President

organizing a soup lunch and you don't want to miss that either.

Many thanks to Nancy Rupert, Laura Redmond, Carol Woodworth, Susan Millar and Debra Thorne, for the excellent new website!

We are still looking for a Co-Director of Religious Education, to take over from Laura and work with the older children. If you have any ideas of where to look for a good, new RE Co-Director, please tell Terry McComas, Carol Woodward or Audrey Taylor.

From the Stewardship Committee

Harvesting the Power: Changing Lives

Beacon's vision is to connect, inspire and transform people's lives. Our Stewardship Pledge Drive is part of our plan to fulfill the power of this vision for 2016. Many have already given their pledges, having considered the significance of this community to their lives, and have made a financial promise to support the work of the church in 2016. On October 25th and the first two Sundays in November we will have a Stewardship Information Table where you can make your pledge and have your questions answered.

Beacon is an amazing community in which everyone contributes not only their treasure, but also their time and talent. In this way we fulfill our vision. Because of all your contributions, and in particular the financial contributions, Beacon is able to thrive as a strong and joyous congregation that can change lives.

The Stewardship documents are posted on the Beacon website. For more information contact Sue Sparlin, Stewardship Committee Chair, cell phone 778-319-7827 or email sue.sparlin@shaw.ca.



Anita Hagen, 1931-2015

Beacon Member Anita Hagen— Loved, Remembered & Celebrated

You can view the memorial service for Anita Hagen through the video links below:

Anita Hagen Memorial Celebration September 19, 2015 version 1

full HD version 1280 x 720 : 5 Gb file size

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B2vvaWXQNJrmMmJaUFM1bFFWbzA/view?usp=sharing>

Anita Hagen Memorial Celebration September 19, 2015 version 2

Wide Screen High Quality 740 x 480 : 1 Gb file size

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B2vvaWXQNJrmVDFwcG9oNE5xSHM/view?usp=sharing>

What's going on in Religious Education Classes



We have had a busy autumn so far in RE.

On September 20th we had a multi-generational service on the theme of peace. We all sang together, made art together, and spoke together about how Beacon members of all ages could live together in community.

On September 26th we had a Family Night dinner at the Lunderville residence. A number of Beacon families attended the potluck event. We are very much looking forward to our next family dinner on December 5th. It will be our traditional Night Tree Party, and we will create edible Christmas ornaments that we will hang outdoors for birds and wildlife to enjoy (see page 7).

Downstairs in church school our *Seekers* class has been meeting

in a yurt that they set up outdoors. The contained space has helped to keep the class focused, and all of the students have enjoyed the weekly hot chocolate.

The *Children's Community* is continuing to explore their updated space. They are enjoying a new class format, in which the children can choose their own activities during work time. And of course the weekly snacks continue to be a hit with everyone.

We had an excellent response to our call for adult members of Beacon to spend one Sunday this year in church school. Our goal isn't just to have more adult help downstairs, it's to build connections and community between children and adults. No experience or planning is necessary, you just have to be there! There are still a number of weeks available, so if you haven't signed up yet we encourage you to do so. Email amber@strocel.com.

—Amber Strocel

Let's Connect



What a fabulous response to the *Let's Connect* form you filled in this past month. We had well over half of the congregation tell

us how they would like to connect with Beacon in ways that would be fulfilling to them. Your enthusiasm is so heart warming. We are definitely the little church that can. Thank you to everyone who participated.

The Connections and Membership committee is compiling all of your many responses and will find ways to give each and every one of you the opportunity to get involved in the areas you have checked off. We are working hard to assist you to feel connected with the wider Beacon community. One excellent way to do that is by attending a small-group Circle Dinner. This is a great way to meet new and longtime members of Beacon in a relaxed social setting.

The next Circle Dinners are being held on November 21st; contact Donna Hamilton at Donna-h@telus.net to sign up.

Thanks to everyone who made our *Let's Connect* survey such a success. Together we are making Beacon the little train that could!

Submitted by Joan Morris on behalf of the Connections and Membership committee: Jean Donaldson, Susan Tarras, Joan Morris, Rev. Debra Thorne.

Poetic Justice Special Event November 22nd

Franci Louann co-founded *Poetic Justice*, a 'most-Sundays' event here in New Westminster, in 2010. She has been the Booking Manager & now shares co-ordination with James Felton, who brings a wealth of technical know-how with him. There are usually two featured poets and always an open mic. All welcome—poets or fans. Events are 3–5 pm and usually held in the Back Room at the Heritage Grill, 447 Columbia St, near Columbia SkyTrain Station. On November 22nd, there will be a special event with a launch of Trevor Carolan's *Literary Storefront, The Glory Years, Vancouver's Literary Centre 1978–1985*.

Franci Louann was 'Fran Workman' in Dorothy Livesay's last anthology, *Woman's Eye 12 BC Poets*, in the 70's. Livesay was also a Unitarian.

On November 8th and December 13th, *Poetic Justice* will follow Beacon's *Theology Pub* (see page 6) in the same location.

More information at www.poeticjustice.ca —where poetry prevails.



Movie Recommendation: Hadwin's Judgement



Renée Spakowsky's son-in-law, actor Doug Chapman, is starring in the NFB Documentary *Hadwin's Judgement*, a true story about a west coast lumberjack fighting against clearcuts. This movie is based on the book, *The Golden Spruce*, by John Vallen. It opens on November 6th at the Van-City Theatre (runs until November 12th). It won first prize at the Vancouver International Film Festival. It includes three interviews with indigenous Haida and boasts stunning photography. Length: 1.5 hours. More info: <http://www.hadwinsjudgement.com>. Tickets, \$11, can be purchased at <http://www.viff.org>.

Costumed Karl Perrin to Run 2K



Our sister church in Vancouver, has recently started a Climate Fund, which will be used for placing solar panels on buildings owned

by non-profits in Vancouver, possibly even UCV itself. Many of you will recall Karl Perrin, who attended Beacon two years ago. Karl will be running 2K in a costume in Stanley Park on Sunday November 8th, as a fund-raiser for the Climate Fund. If you would like to make a pledge to assist Karl, he asks that you contact him at perrink@shaw.ca.

Regional Fall Gathering Review

What a privilege to be able to attend the Regional Fall Gathering, October 2nd–4th, and represent Beacon.

Held in Nanaimo, the gathering was co-sponsored by the Nanaimo fellowship (FUFON: First Unitarian Fellowship of Nanaimo) and the Comox Valley Unitarian Fellowship. It was a wonderful opportunity to be inspired, meet other Unitarians and make connections. Networking with other church members, I discovered new resources and ideas that we can consider for Beacon.

The worship service on Sunday was inspiring with Rev. Samaya Oakley's message of heart connections. We met some of the CUC (Canadian Unitarian Council) staff and learned about the new Vision that will be rolled out over the next year.

Sharing an early draft of the Vision, the staff asked for reactions from participants. It was inspiring to hear the wealth and depth of responses as we considered the new wording for the CUC Vision. Along with a focus on the seven principles and six Sources were five 'Challenges'. They read: we will be "deeply connected, boldly inclusive, actively engaged, theologically alive and spiritually grounded." I love the strong active language.

Check out this link: <http://cuc.ca/governance/visioning/> to get more information. A short video clip explains the importance of the visioning process. You'll even see our own Rev. Debra on the video.

Highlights for me were the keynote speaker, Christine Boyle, and the afternoon session with FUFON's choir director leading a joyful singing workshop. As usual, there were several excellent workshops from which to choose.

Christine Boyle, a United Church minister who attended Starr King Seminary in Berkley California was a powerful speaker. She spoke about climate issues with compelling honesty. She challenged us as a faith community to do more than just the 'small personal steps' that we each try to do with recycling etc., and to get more involved with the larger community in addressing the many challenges of climate change.

Connecting with other Unitarians from around BC, learning and being inspired, and enjoying the opportunity to work and worship together made this weekend most worthwhile.

—Joan Morris



Eclectic Blog Restarts



Marilyn Medén is restarting her blog at marilynmeden.wordpress.com. It will be eclectic, a bit fun, and an adventure. We will meet people you are unlikely to know, ride a scooter, add to the value of bras, and "save" the planet with *Pizzas For The Planet!*

We invite you to explore these great ways to connect to the Beacon community and yourself!

Theology Pub, to discuss relevant issues on religion and spirituality, in a relaxed pub atmosphere. Next meeting November 8th at 1 pm at Heritage Grill's Back Room (see below). Contact Franci Louann: flouann@telus.net.

Soul Matters Groups, delve into the monthly sermon themes—"Integrity" for November. Part personal sharing, part spiritual deepening, the groups meet once a month either at 1 pm Wednesday, or 7 pm Thursday. Contact Debra Thorne: minister@beaconunitarin.org.

Join the Beacon Choir, for musical fun and skill development. Rehearsals are every Tuesday at 7:30 pm, at Miller Park School in Coquitlam.

Contact Charlene Dubrule, choir director, 604-464-3992 or char4myc@shaw.ca.

Humanist Discussion Group, meets the last Sunday of the month at 7 pm to discuss a wide range of current topics (see below). Contact Marilyn Medén: m.j.meden@telus.net.

Lunch Bunch, meets every Thursday at noon. Bring your own lunch and share in a lively and topical conversation. Contact Sally Frith salfrith44@gmail.com.



Check out the Book Club, which meets at 7 pm the 2nd Thursday of each month (Nov. 12th). Contact Bev Lock: 604-525-6791 or lockbev@gmail.com. The book for November is *The*

Best Exotic Marigold Hotel by Deborah Moggach.

Beacon Men's Group, Nov. 5th, 19th and Dec. 3rd, 7–9:30 pm. Contact Tyler Vittie at cycleman58@gmail.com.

Attend a 'Getting to Know U' session, to meet other newcomers and deepen your knowledge of how Beacon functions and what Unitarianism is. Contact Jean Donaldson for future dates: donaldsj@telus.net.

Attend a Circle Dinner and connect with other Beaconites in a relaxed setting. Next dinner is Nov. 21st (see below). Contact Donna Hamilton: Donna-h@telus.net.

Help out on Sunday mornings as a Coffee Host (contact Sue Sparlin: sue.sparlin@shaw.ca), **or sign-up as a Sunday Morning Greeter** (contact Susan Tarras: starras@telus.net).

Theology Pub: Eat, Drink, Think

Deep conversations in a relaxed atmosphere

DOING DEATH

**It's the ultimate mystery.
What have you come to
understand happens to us
when we die?**

*Hosted by Franci Louann and
Rev. Debra Thorne*

Sunday, November 8th, 1 to 3 pm

The Heritage Grill, Back Room
447 Columbia Street, New West.
(½ block west of Columbia
Skytrain Station)

Humanist Discussion Group

**From slime molds to cerebral
cortex—the evolutionary
pathway of our emotions
and feelings**

Speaker: Al Sather

Sunday, October 25th, at 7:30 pm

Al will be basing this talk on *Soul Beliefs: Causes and Consequences – Unit 2: Belief Systems* offered by Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, <https://www.coursera.org/learn/soulbeliefs2/>

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Circle Dinners

The next set of Circle Dinners will be on Nov. 21st. This is such a great way to get to know other folks at Beacon. There is no set agenda—just a gathering of like-minded folks for a potluck dinner with good food and good company. We had four circles in September. This time, families with children will be available to come too.

If you are willing to host a dinner on Nov. 21st, please get in touch with Joan (joanmorris@telus.net) or Donna (donna-h@telus.net) by Nov. 1st. If you mentioned last time that you would host next time, please remind us! If you already know that you can't attend on Nov. 21st, let us know—it is very helpful in our planning!

**Advance Care Planning
Session #1:
Necessary Conversations**

Dr. Peggy Lunderville &

Rev. Debra Thorne

Sunday, November 15th, 1 to 3 pm

At Sapperton Pensioners Hall



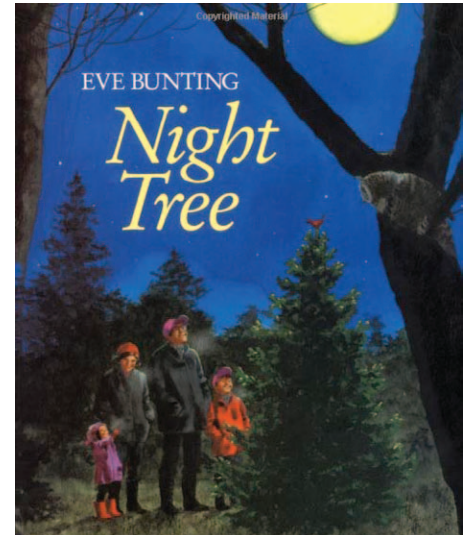
Most of us find it difficult to have conversations with our friends and families about what we want as our death approaches. The longer we wait the harder it is to have these necessary conversations. Let's start now. What are your beliefs, values, and understandings about end-of-life care? What would make prolonging life unacceptable to you? How do you have these difficult conversations?

Two Important November Meetings

Tuesday, November 3rd:

Co-ordination Council meeting,
1–3 pm, at Bev Lock's

Sunday, Nov. 29th: Budget/
Congregational Meeting, and
soup lunch, after the service.



Night Tree Party – Christmas gifts for our feathered and furry friends

“Night Tree” is a story by Eve Bunting that tells of a family's annual Christmas tradition of making edible ornaments for neighbourhood wildlife, and using them to decorate a tree in the forest. At our party, you can string cranberries and popcorn on thread, or add peanut butter and seeds to pinecones. Later we'll go outside and hang our ornaments on a tree and sing carols in the moonlight.

Date: Saturday, December 5, 2015

Time: 5:30–8:00 pm

Place: Home of Peggy Lunderville
(Close to Gaglardi exit on Hwy. 1)

Phone: 604-522-3001

Bring: Warm clothing, a flashlight and a contribution of food to eat & share.

RSVP: Laura Redmond (604-939-9310) or lauraredmond2@telus.net. If you forget to RSVP, please come anyhow!



Advent Wreath Social – Sat. Nov. 28th

Join Peggy Lunderville in making an advent wreath out of cedar boughs and candles. The advent wreath becomes an important part of the Sunday morning services in December. We'll also sing a few carols and enjoy a potluck dinner. Please plan on joining us for this special celebration!

Date: Saturday, November 28th, 2015

Time: 5:30–8:00 pm

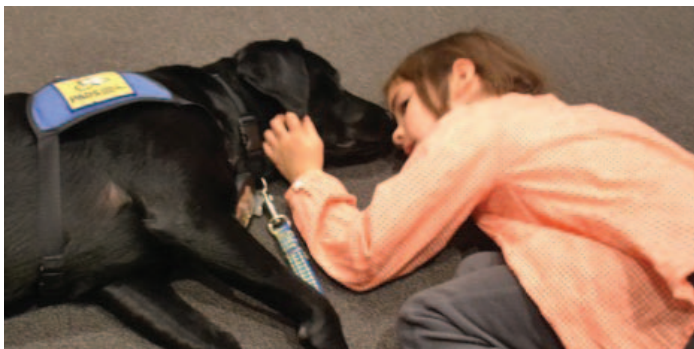
Place: Home of Peggy Lunderville (Close to Gaglardi Exit on Hwy. 1)

Bring: A contribution to the potluck dinner

RSVP: Peggy Lunderville, 604-522-3001 or prlunder@gmail.com



Merlot, Tia Froh, and Beacon member, Jean Donaldson.

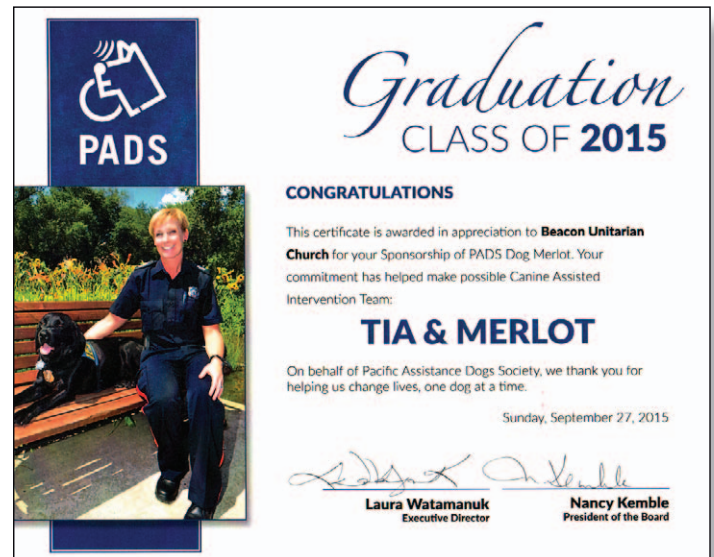


Merlot and her human.

Merlot graduates!

Our PADS puppy, Merlot, has graduated with highest honours! Here is her diploma and a record of her well-earned nap after the ceremony.

Merlot is now working in Regina with police Sgt. Tia Froh in Child Services, where she is a canine intervention (trauma) dog. She has become quite muscular chasing frisbies in her spare time.



This certificate is awarded in appreciation to Beacon Unitarian Church for your Sponsorship of PADS dog Merlot. Your commitment has helped make possible Canine Assisted Intervention Team: Tia & Merlot

New Westminster Homelessness Coalition's *I's on the Street* program

The New Westminster Homelessness Coalition (NWHCS) (<http://nwhomeless.ca/>) brings together individuals, groups and organizations who are working to end homelessness in New Westminster. Members meet bi-monthly to share the work of their member organizations and to implement programs that may assist individuals in need of housing and support. Clients served come from all walks of life—men, women, children, seniors, the addicted and mentally ill. One of NWHCS's mandated statements is

that they will engage and empower clients to become self-supporting and productive.

I's On The Street is an award winning cleaning service which employs eight people from New Westminster who are either homeless or live with a mental illness.

It is a non-profit social enterprise designed to serve as a "stepping stone" to regular employment. *I's On The Street* is based on a proven business model with thirty years of success in Metro Vancouver.

I's On The Street relies on key

partners like business improvement associations. Currently the program is limited to the Downtown area with an "eye" to expanding throughout *New Westminster*. *I's On The Street* is a unique collaboration of the Downtown BIA, the City of New Westminster, New Westminster Mental Health and the New Westminster Homelessness Coalition.

(Editor's note: some of this information was updated at the service on Sept 13th. In future, we hope to have updates directly from *I's on the Street*.)

ADVANCE CARE PLANNING SERIES

Sponsored by Sapperton Pensioner's Association and Beacon Unitarian.

Sunday November 15 2015

1 to 3 pm

Advance Care Planning Session #1

Necessary Conversations

Dr. Peggy Lunderville & Rev. Debra Thorne

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Sunday January 24 2016

1 to 3 pm

Advance Care Planning Session #2

Necessary Paper work

Terry McComas & Rev Debra Thorne

Have you chosen substitute decision makers and do they know what you want? Where do you keep your documents? This session explains the five necessary documents needed for end of life care: The Advanced Directive, Representation Agreements Section 9 and Section 7, Power of Attorney, and Will.

Sunday February 21 2016

1 to 3pm

Advance Care Planning Session #3

The Final Stretch

Kathleen Johnson RN (Hospice Nurse)
& Rev Debra Thorne

90% of Canadians want to die at home, but more than 54% of us die in hospitals. Hear firsthand about the choices you have for dying comfortably at home, or in residential hospice care. Learn about Death Midwifery, compassionate advocates who support continuity of care, for you and your family.

Sunday March 20 2016

1 to 3pm

Advance Care Planning Session #4

Having the Last Word!

Rev. Debra Thorne

Here is your opportunity to have the last word! Practical tips on writing your obituary and planning your memorial. This is your creative opportunity to construct how you want to be remembered in words, music, or maybe dance!

All workshops free of charge. Donations welcomed for printed materials.

Limited seating. Please confirm your reservation by emailing

ACPRregistration@beaconunitarian.org or call 604-626-8006

Location: Sapperton Pensioner's Hall, 318 Keary Street, New Westminster,
Near Royal Columbian Hospital and Sapperton SkyTrain Station

Beacon Calendar

Nov 2015 (Pacific Time - Vancouver)

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<div>Service Theme: Integrity</div> <div>Stewardship Sunday (2)</div> <div>10:30am - Food Bank Sunday</div> <div>10:30am - Worship Service</div>		<div>1pm - Co-ordination Council</div> <div>7:30pm - Choir Practice</div>	<div>7pm - Build Your Own Theology</div>	<div>12pm - Lunch Bunch</div>		
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