



# Parkdale

## *Evangelical Free Church*

*Passion for God, Compassion for People*

January 26, 2025

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*Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.*

*Matthew 11:28*

## Gatherings at Parkdale

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Mondays	10:00 AM Women's bible study
Tuesdays	11:30 AM Men's coffee time
Wednesdays	7:00 PM Men's Authentic Living
Thursdays	6:00 PM Home Bible Study @ Robertsons
Fridays (bi-weekly)	6:30PM Youth Alpha
Sundays	9:30 AM Prayer

## Upcoming Events

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- Jan 26: Potluck!

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

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- Jan 30: Tim S

## Schedules

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### Sunday School

- Jan 26: Emily, Tim
- Feb 2: Dona, Ted

### Coffee

- Jan 26: Shannon
- Feb 2: Helen

### COBS

- Feb 1: Webb
- Feb 8: Yu

## Connecting and Contributing

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Parkdale appreciates your generous offerings to support our ministries and enable us to maintain this place of meeting. People are welcome to give via:

- An offering box near the coffee table, mail, [parkdalechurch.ca/give](mailto:parkdalechurch.ca/give), or by e-transfer to [parkdalebookkeeper@gmail.com](mailto:parkdalebookkeeper@gmail.com)

### January 2025 financial report

Dec Revenue: \$20,921.76

Dec Expense: \$11,808.21

Dec Net Income: \$9,113.55

Proposed Budget Revenue: \$159,827.92

Proposed Budget Expense: \$152,740.00

Proposed Budget Net Income: \$7,087.92

*Speaker: Rob Stewart*

*Title: Gospel Servants*

*Scripture: 1 Corinthians 4*

This, then, is how you ought to regard us: as servants of Christ and as those entrusted with the mysteries God has revealed. Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful. I care very little if I am judged by you or by any human court; indeed, I do not even judge myself. My conscience is clear, but that does not make me innocent. It is the Lord who judges me. Therefore judge nothing before the appointed time; wait until the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart. At that time each will receive their praise from God. Now, brothers and sisters, I have applied these things to myself and Apollos for your benefit, so that you may learn from us the meaning of the saying, “Do not go beyond what is written.” Then you will not be puffed up in being a follower of one of us over against the other. For who makes you different from anyone else? What do you have that you did not receive? And if you did receive it, why do you boast as though you did not?

Already you have all you want! Already you have become rich! You have begun to reign—and that without us! How I wish that you really had begun to reign so that we also might reign with you! For it seems to me that God has put us apostles on display at the end of the procession, like those condemned to die in the arena. We have been made a spectacle to the whole universe, to angels as well as to human beings. We are fools for Christ, but you are so wise in Christ! We are weak, but you are strong! You are honored, we are dishonored! To this very hour we go hungry and thirsty, we are in rags, we are brutally treated, we are homeless. We work hard with our own hands. When we are cursed, we bless; when we are persecuted, we endure it; when we are slandered, we answer kindly. We have become the scum of the earth, the garbage of the world—right up to this moment.

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## Please Remember to Pray for...

- ✝ Our Church Board: Andy W, board chair
- ✝ Ministry/Partner: Freedom Session
- ✝ Missionaries: Daniel and Sandi M, ISMC at UVic
- ✝ Our World & Community: US president transition
- ✝ Lower Pacific District Church of the Week: LPD Conference in March



### Faith Unleashed – Living Beyond Mediocrity

When: March 7-8, 2025

Where: Fort Langley Community Church

Keynote Speaker: Mark Maxwell (Prairie Bible Institute)

### LPD Annual General Meeting Details:

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2025 @10:45 am

Fort Langley Community Church

We need you to attend to meet quorum. We will be voting our District Superintendent in for a second term, a couple of new Board members need to be voted in, we have a number of new churches to be voted into the district family, and a number of other important business items needing your attention.

### Prayer Need?

- Feel free to talk to the pastor after the service, or email us at [parkdaleonline@gmail.com](mailto:parkdaleonline@gmail.com) to send it to our prayer chain



### Need More Information?

- Check out [www.parkdalechurch.ca](http://www.parkdalechurch.ca) for sermon recordings, past bulletins, online giving, upcoming dates, and more

**COBS bread and other food items are in the foyer. Please help yourself!**