

Texada Island United Church Notes – January 2011

Something to ponder.... *When we celebrate Jesus' baptism, we celebrate an act of giving, of submission, but also of vision. Jesus went under the water at the hands of cousin John as a sign of being human, as a sign of submitting himself to the dream of Judaism, which was a vision of a whole community. We give of ourselves because we know walking alone is empty, but sharing with community and humanity is full. We give to that dream.*

-David Lander, in "Gathering" ACE 2010-11

Spring Bazaar & Bake Sale! February 12 @ Community Hall. Mark your calendars!

Christmas Tea & Bake Sale & Christmas Concert and Carol Sing! Thanks to all for your support and your caring, and especially to those who donated their time and talent to make these events so successful!

Prayer Group: All welcome at 1205A Gillies Bay Road, 1 pm on Tuesdays. For info or to ask for prayers, please call Doretta Smith at **486-7192**.

Milestones: Births: Narayan Michael Fisher Quinton on July 31, 2010 in Victoria, a little brother for Talin. Proud parents are Madeliene Fisher and Collier Quinton. Congratulations!

Deaths: Delvina Marie McKay, December 10, 2010 in Comox. Celebration of Life to be held in the spring. Our condolences to son Jim and the family.

Tom Carney on November 30, 2010 at PRGH. Celebration of Life was held December 12 at the Ravenous Raven. Our condolences to Anne and the family.

Please notify **Karen** at **486 7284** re births, deaths, anniversaries, weddings, so I can let everyone know about these important events in the life of the community!

Texada Island United Church is a welcoming, inclusive, **community** church serving several denominations. If you are new to the island, or just haven't been to church in a while, please visit us in Van Anda. We would very much like to be **your** church!

TEXADA ISLAND UNITED CHURCH

Weekly services Sunday at 10:30am. All are welcome!

Minister: Karen E. May, BSR, DLM 486-7284 or 413-0994

Board Chair: Ann Carlson, 486-7263

Legion Chaplain: Stan Smith, 486- 7192

Website: <http://texada-united-church.dlfpr.ca> for upcoming events, pictures, recent sermons, and more! Check us out!