

Church Notes – August, 2010

Something to ponder....*We have been otherworldly ever since we hit upon the devious trick of being religious, yes even "Christian", at the expense of the earth.... Whenever life begins to become painful and oppressive, a person just leaps into the air with a bold kick and soars relieved and unencumbered into the air. A person leaps over the present, disdains the earth, is better than it, and has his easy eternal victories next to the temporal defeats.*

Dietrich Bonhoeffer.

Kids for Saving Earth Eco Day Camp for Kids! August 16- 20 is free, fun, and very nearly full! Call Karen at **486-7284** for more info and to register.

"Make a Joyful Noise" all-music service on **August 22, 10:30am** to be followed by refreshments and fellowship. **All are welcome!** Donations for the Food Bank will be gratefully received.

Prayer Group: Is in recess until September, to ask for prayers, please call Doretta Smith at **486-7192**

Milestones: Died: Michael Joseph Tremblay on July 10, 2010. Our condolences to family and friends.

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 Vananda. We would very much like to be **your** church!

TEXADA ISLAND UNITED CHURCH

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

August 1 – Holy Communion – Karen May, DLM

August 8 – Karen May

August 15 – Karen May

August 22 – **"Make a Joyful Noise!"**

August 29 - TBA

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

Board Chair: Ann Carlson, 486 7263

Legion Chaplain: Stan Smith, 486 7192

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