

Tally Ho Carriage Ride and Caroling: December 22, 7:30-8:15 pm, near the legislature, tix \$19.04/person. We may not have enough snow for a sleigh ride, but this event is just as much fun! Only 19 seats are available, so grab your tickets early! See Bonnie

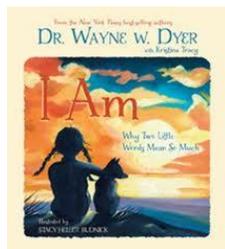


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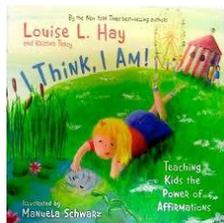
Christmas Concert Service: December 23rd, 11:00 am. The annual Christmas Concert and Service holds a special place in our hearts. All of the exceptional musical talent heard throughout the year comes together for this heart-warming and inspiring concert, that will leave you humming carols all the way home!

Book Table News

As we begin to think of the Christmas season ahead, our thoughts turn to finding suitable gifts for family and friends. The books selected for this month are two little books for children – books that you may wish to share with the children in your life. There are two titles on order “I Am – Why Two Little Words Mean So Much” by Dr



Wayne Dyer with Kristan Tracy and “I Think, I am! – Teaching kids the power of affirmations” by Louise Hay.



We will also be having a BIG BOOK SALE in November to clear away a stock pile of great books

that are in our store room. Keep your eyes on the book table for some wonderful deals!

Rev. Joanna Drewry

Please note: From time to time we will take pictures or videos of people at services or events to put on our Website or Facebook. Please let us know if you do not want to be included in this.

Positive Living Centre of Victoria Centre News for September 2012

Kim's Korner

Our hearts crave inner peace above all things. Yet, on November 11 of each year, we are reminded of how fragile peace is. *The Course In Miracles*, published by the Foundation For Inner Peace, is one answer to the call of our hearts for lasting peace. The principles it teaches are in fact the only answer, because they have within them the ribbon of truth that runs through all truth principles.

Lesson 185 of the Course says:



“I want the peace of God.”
To say these words is nothing. But to mean these words is everything. If you could but mean them for just an instant, there would be no further sorrow possible for you in any form; in any place or time. Heaven would be completely given back to full awareness, memory of God entirely restored, [and] the resurrection of all creation fully recognized. (W-pl.185.1:1-6)

This lesson illuminates the power in the call of our hearts and in our words. They affirm the teachings of Ernest Holmes in *The Science of Mind* text. They also affirm the transforming power that is within us. I have deep gratitude for the gift of this Centre, this teaching and every person who plays a part in the life of our Centre.

Submitted in Love,

Rev. Kim

President's Remarks

We are coming up to the end of the year and starting to think about which organizations we would like to tithe to. We will have a Tithing Service on January 6, 2013, where we will present 3 or 4 organizations with a cheque. We will invite the recipients to talk for a few minutes about their charitable activities. We tithe 10% of our yearly donations, supporting 2 children in the Philippines through the International Association for Transformation, and usually tithe the rest to a local organization doing good works in our community. Please let one of the board members know if you have a request for us to donate to a specific organization. We will be making our decision at our next board meeting in November. You can see the places we have tithed to in the past on our website.

Love,
Cathy Fletcher
President



Announcements and Events for November:

Goods and Services Requested for the Annual PLC Auction:

The Auction will be held on November 18th after the service. Please see Bonnie with any goods or services that you might like to offer for this event. On the day, our own Tom Wright will play auctioneer. It's always a wildly fun and boisterous time! Proceeds go towards the operating costs of the PLC.



The Night before Late Night Shopping: November 25th, 6-9:30 pm, Hillside Mall, admission by ticket only, tix \$5.00. Bring out your inner Santa at this fundraising event generously provided by Hillside Mall. It's a lively evening, with great prizes, including a trip for four to Disneyland, exclusive deals, tasty treats, and entertainment provided by our very own Louise Eldridge! We have received 200 tickets to sell, and all proceeds from our own ticket sales go directly to the PLC. So, let's all sell some tickets, and enjoy the pre-Christmas cheer, fellowship, and thrill-of-the-hunt deals available only at this event! See Pat Alfke-Wright for more info, and to get your batch of tickets.



Up-Coming Events:

Christmas in the Village: Saanich Historical Society, December 8th, or, in the event of inclement weather, December 15th. Explore the beautifully decorated pioneer village, and enjoy hot dogs, chilli, drinks, as well as the wildly popular train rides! Joanna and Rik have graciously offered to open their home for carol singing and hot chocolate afterwards. See Coralie Elliot for more info and to sign up.

Turkey and Potluck Lunch: December 9th, after the service. The turkey is provided, and sign-up sheets will be available for the potluck fixin's. See Christine Rerrie for more info.



PLC Bake Sale: December 16th. Bring you money and your wares for this fundraising event. A great chance to stock up on Christmas baking!