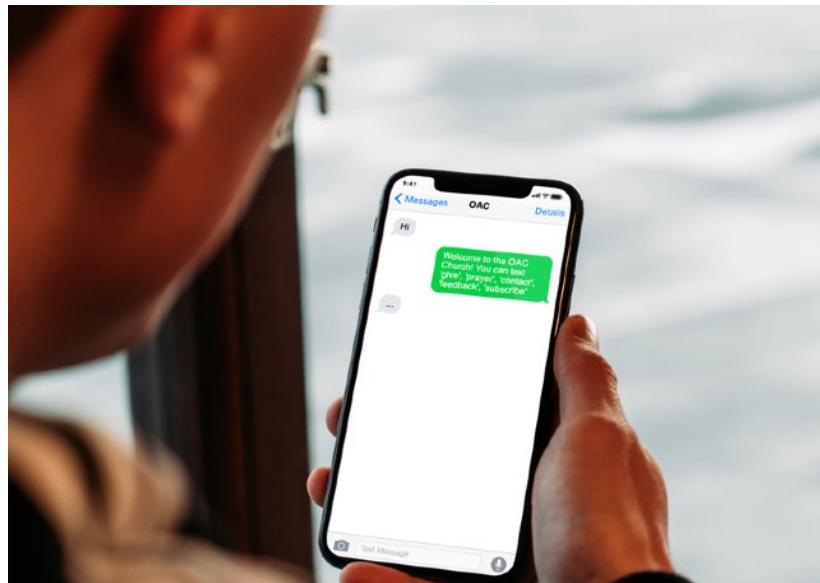


UPCOMING EVENTS

- Feb 08 Church Officer Training - 3 pm - Westminster Church, 7925 10th Ave, Burnaby
- Feb 15 Parent Date Night - 5:30 to 8:30 pm - Oakridge Adventist Church
- Feb 14 Early Bird Team deadline for the Sun Run (49 + GST)
- Feb 21 Young Adult Vespers - 6:00 pm - Dublanko's Family Home
- Feb 22 Feast on Flatbreads - 5:00 pm - Fellowship Hall
- Annual General Meeting - 6:00 pm - in the Chapel
- Feb 29 Child Dedication - During the Service - Oakridge Adventist Church

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Feb 08, 2020

HERITAGE SABBATH

9:15 am in the Chapel

每周六上午 10am -10:50am
BIBLE STUDY

Adult Quarterly - Library
 Young Adult - Room 106

Growing Together:

PreK/Kindergarten - Room 220
 Primary and Junior - Chapel
 Parent/Adult - Lobby
 Teens - Room 252

崇拜聚会 11am WORSHIP

赞美 **PRAISE**
 OAC Praise Team

禱告 **PRAYER**
 Gaileen Woytko

信息 **MESSAGE**
 Fight Right: Frenemies
 Pr. Rhoda Klein Miller

捐獻 **OFFERING**
 Local Church Budget

WORDS OF HOPE - Rhoda Klein Miller



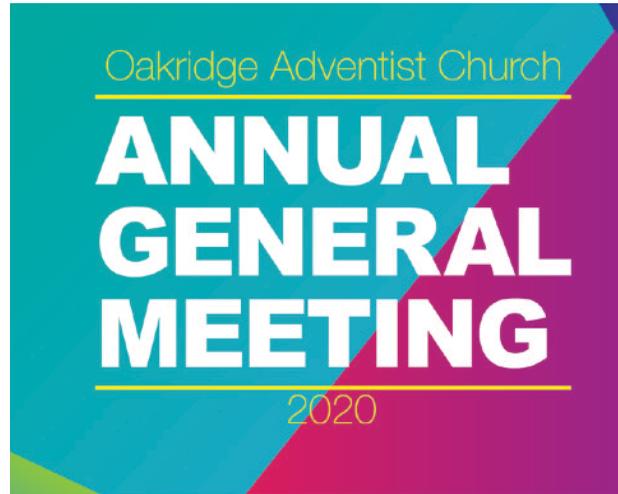
The scene played out on crisp black and white video captured by a nighttime camera focussed on a culvert opening beneath a highway in California. The movement of a coyote triggered a sensor and began the recording. What followed next was truly unexpected. The canine turns, looking over its shoulder for its lumbering sidekick and playfully bows as if to coax its lagging pal to keep up. From the tall grass at the edge of the frame a badger emerges and the two plod on together through the tunnel.

The internet is full of cute animal videos. What made this one go viral? Perhaps the novelty of an unlikely friendship between competing predators. Maybe we are desperate for some hopeful evidence that trust can be formed despite a history of rivalry. That coyote reminds me of Jesus who joyfully

forged the most unexpected friendships. Jesus was a master at bridging divides and crossing boundaries, inviting partnership, and turning villains into heroes. The Bible records how He patiently dealt with flip-flopping allegiances, called out abuses of power but offered forgiveness and grace to every repentant heart. Jesus gave His life for us "while we were in opposition to Him" as a demonstration of His reconciling love (Rom 5:8). What offences will you forgive, what prejudices might you give up to find friendship with a former enemy?



Saturday, Feb. 22 watch cooking experts form and flip their fantastic doughs then sample and vote for your favourite! From tortillas to Finnish pancakes you'll learn and taste something new. Come at 5pm and stay for the AGM at 6pm!



Our AGM is scheduled for Sabbath, February 22, 6:00 pm. Come and be inspired by how God is blessing our efforts in ministry during 2019. Be part of this participative format, your feedback is highly important to keep growing!

Sunset today 5:15 pm

Next Friday 5:25 pm

COMMUNITY LIFE

WELCOME TO OAC: Thank you for joining us today as we worship God together this Sabbath! If you are a new visitor, we invite you to 7 Minutes or Less directly after the service to receive a free gift and get better acquainted with us.

MEMBERSHIP TRANSFERS: Second Reading

Leaving OAC: Aaron Guiller to Victoria SDA Church. Richard Toombs to Chilliwack SDA Church. Efren Calaguian to Inspire Ministries (New Westminster, BC).

SUN RUN VANCOUVER: is 70 days away, and OAC team has a 10k training program to help you to be in shape for the run. Whether you are an experienced runner or newbie, we can help you to know the route and improve your performance. Grimaldo Da Silva Assunção will lead 3 sessions that will take place in different locations. Contact him or stop by Ask Me counter the training program.

YOUNG ADULT VESPERS Want some time to relax and enjoy community? Come out for a time of fellowship and worship. Friday, February 21 at 6:00 pm we will enjoy food, music, and a devotional thought. Bring your favourite dessert. Ask Ryan Brousson for location.

PARENTS DATE NIGHT are you overdue for a date night but don't want to bust your budget? Saturday night February 15 from 5:30-8:30pm OAC youth will take care of your kids while you get some time to yourselves. It is totally free but donations are gladly accepted. Pre-register at the Ask Me desk or contact the OAC office to take advantage of this service.

CHILD DEDICATION Is there a new addition to your family you wish to bring before God with thanksgiving and commitment to lead them to Jesus? The next child dedication service will be Sabbath, Feb 29. Please contact the church office if you'd like to be included.

WE SERVE OUR COMMUNITY every month and you can be part of it by joining us in cleaning and organizing hygiene item for people in need next Saturday, Feb. 15 at 10 am in the lower level. Another way to get involved is by sorting out food donation at Vancouver Foodbank warehouse Tuesday, Feb. 18 at 5:30 pm.

WOMEN'S CHRONIC ILLNESSES SUPPORT GROUP: Come to share your unique journey, & experience prayers, acceptance, support, and love. Every Saturday in March, from 1 to 1:30pm in the OAC Library.

CHURCH OFFICER TRAINING: Today, at 3 pm join MetroVan churches at a training event for all key roles and church positions. The event is open to everyone at Westminster Adventist Church 7925 10th Ave, Burnaby.

2019 TAX RECEIPTS are available for pickup from Debbie in the lobby today following the service.

WOMEN'S SPRING RETREAT will take place April 24-26 at Tigh-Na-Mara Resort, Parksville BC. Dr. Joyce Choe will be this year's guest speaker. Register at bcadventist.ca or call to 604-853-5451 (ext 105). Accommodation deadline is March 25th.

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