**Baptisms**

We are delighted that you are considering Shady Creek/Brentwood Bay United Church for a baptism. We are honoured and will be pleased to discuss the details with you. Feel free to contact us at 250-652-2713, or scbbuc@shaw.ca.

These Frequently Asked Questions may help:

**What are your facilities?** We are a historic church situated in the center of the Saanich Peninsula - a little white church nestled under the trees. We can seat up to 75 or 80 comfortably. Our buildings are handicap-accessible. Our church location is 7180 East Saanich Rd., Saanichton.

**Do you welcome LGBTQ Couples and individuals?** Yes! We welcome couples to the Shady Creek/Brentwood Bay congregation for baptism, and we are pleased to welcome their children as well.

**What about Preparation for the baptism?** Our minister will be happy to talk with you, to share information related to the baptism and discuss any questions your may have.

**Do we need to be members of the congregation for our child(ren) to be Baptised?** No. Baptism is God’s gift. We welcome your children, and recognize that they are God’s children, as we all are.

**How much will it cost?** Baptism is conducted as part of the Sunday worship service. Anything that you choose to donate, as part of the usual offering, is up to you. Tax receipts will be issued for any donations of $25 or over.

**What happens after the service?** We have a refreshment and fellowship time after worship, with tea, coffee, water, juice and assorted goodies. Everyone is welcome.