



Dear Friends,

Kingfisher Bay Retreat is open. We're following strict COVID protocols and are excited to welcome you.

How is it possible that almost a year has gone by since the first shut down! BC takes on a whole new meaning these days! Spring is in the air again. Birds are singing, the sun is rising earlier and the winds feel a little less chilly these days. Soon we begin our annual watch for the ice to melt in the bay and the challenge to be the first to jump into the icy water!

Even with the unpredictability of life these days, these signs of Spring and this Lenten period are promises of God's faithful provisions and love. Along with many of you, we have experienced deep sadness and grief during this season along with immense gratitude for the many blessings in our life. We watch our children grow and thrive; a miracle in itself. We enjoy good food and shelter and have shared our outdoors with many friends by campfires and walking in the woods. I would be remiss if I didn't tell you about the new addition to the Kingfisher family; a lively, sweet golden doodle puppy named Sandy, after my brother who left us far too early this winter.

Kingfisher Bay Retreat continues to be a place of rest, healing and renewal during these times. Although things are much quieter, we are grateful to be able to offer personal, couple and small group retreats. Perhaps you know someone who could use some time at Kingfisher. Do you know we have been able to support individuals and groups with your donations to our scholarship fund? Thank you for the extra tips, artwork purchases and memorial gifts. It has meant a lot. We also welcome volunteers to come to help with the outdoor clean up this Spring.

May Spring bring hope and blessings of resurrection in your life and family. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Terry and Ben (and Kingfisher Team)