

Community Spotlight:

PORT NELSON UNITED CHURCH



Where is PNUC located?

PNUC is located in the heart of Roseland at the corner of Rossmore Boulevard and South Drive (3132 South Drive, Burlington).

What inspires PNUC in its eco-journey?

We are concerned that the 'point of no return' is rapidly approaching, if not here already. We owe it to our beautiful planet to do everything we can to reduce our footprint. We need to look at how this can be done in our homes, at our church and in our community. If a church can model being green to its community, perhaps some will ask themselves "What can we do at our home to follow their lead?"

Visit their [website](#) to learn more, or follow them on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

What "green" initiatives are in place at PNUC?

PNUC is pleased to share that we have done the following:

- Installed photovoltaic (PV) system on the roof (producing local power)
- Installed electric vehicle chargers
- Replaced lights with energy efficient LEDs
- Added energy efficient appliances
- Installed skylight for passive lighting, and making use of large windows for more natural lighting
- Hosted awareness building events for youth about climate crisis, renewable energy and the PV system
- Created a Community Peace Garden, an accessible native plant & pollinator garden that welcomes community members to walk through, meditate in and enjoy the space - set to launch in 2022
- Beginning the process of "Green Certification," which will look at various energy audits, building energy efficiencies, etc.
- And much more exciting plans are on the way!

