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# THE GRAPEVINE

**Sunday, August 26, 2018**

## **Prayer Cycles**

Please pray with us today and throughout this week for:

**Anglican:** The Anglican Church of Southern Africa; The Most Rev Thabo Makgoba, Primate

**Diocesan:** Diocesan Council

**Social Justice and Advocacy:** St. Matthias, Bellwoods and Bellwoods House; St. Matthias, Etobicoke and Ingles House; and St. Michael and All Angels, Toronto and the Beeton Cupboard.

**Deanery:** St. John the Baptist, Lakefield and St. Mark's, Warsaw, the Rev. Munroe Scott

**Parish Groups:** Chancel Guild—Gerri Carrier

**Parish Family:** Ellen and John Seddon; Gerry and Donna Sedgwick (27); Helen Shannon; Liz Shaughnessy; Andrew Shaw; Catherine Shedden (28); Wayne and Brenda Smart, Brad Smith and Nathan Brinklow (29); Ann Snelgrove; Walter and Wendy Somerville; Pat Spencer (30); Ruth Spencley and Larry John MacKay; Bob and Sibyl Stairs (31)

## **Readings for Sunday, September 2**

Song of Solomon 2:8-13; James 1:17-27; Mark 7:1-8,14-15,21-23

## **THIS WEEK**

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**Monday, Aug 27**

- 7:15 pm Al-Anon

**Wednesday, Aug 29**

- 10:00 am mid-week service

**Sunday, Sept 2**

- Services of Worship at 10:00 am and 10:05 am

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

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**Next meeting of the Knitters:** Wednesday, September 5th following the 10 am liturgy. The Rev. Deb Wilson will speak about a Learn to Knit Workshop and we will discuss how to help her with this project. Please bring completed hats, scarves, mitts or headbands and share donated wool. Anyone who crochets and wants to donate items mentioned above is welcome to join with our group.

**Questions of the Heart:** Wednesday evenings at 7:30 pm starting September 12th. The Rev. Dr. Don Freeman will facilitate this group exploring questions about your Christian faith or practice. See the bulletin board for a detailed outline. Contact Don at 705-749-3290 if you wish to attend.

**Peterborough Pride Week 2018:** A number of parishioners have asked about having a parish group in the parade at 2 p.m. on Sat, Sep 22. If anyone is willing to organise a group registration or is interested in being in the parade, please speak with Brad. We have access to banners etc from Proud Anglicans to show that we are a diverse and inclusive parish.

**Tickets on sale for Bishop's Company Dinner:** The Bishop's Company 57th Annual Dinner is Fri, Oct. 19th, 5:30-9:30 p.m. at the Toronto Marriott Downtown Hotel. Help celebrate the ministry of Archbishop Colin Johnson as he prepares to retire. A discussion with the Archbishop will be moderated by Judy Maddren, formerly of CBC Radio's World Report. To buy tickets, visit [bishopscompanytoronto.ca](http://bishopscompanytoronto.ca). Early bird deadline Sep 21st.

## **FOR YOUR INTEREST**

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**Summer Vacations:** The staff will be away on the following dates:  
Mary: August 6–September 4

**Summer Office Hours:** In effect from July 1st to September 4th.  
Monday—Closed  
Tuesday to Thursday—9 am to 2 pm  
Friday—9 am to 12 pm

**Fall Youth Retreat:** ReCharge, the annual diocesan youth retreat, is scheduled for Sept. 21-23 at Muskoka Woods. It will include music, inspiring worship, speakers and friendship in the great outdoors. The cost is \$90 per person until Sept. 1 or \$105 after Sept. 1, which includes all meals and dorm-style accommodations. Contact Christian Harvey for further details.

**Outreach Conference:** The annual Outreach and Advocacy Conference will take place on Oct. 27 at Havergal College, 1451 Avenue Rd., Toronto. This year's theme is "Transformed Hearts, Transforming Structures" with keynote speaker André Lyn, co-chair of the Archbishop's Committee for Intercultural Ministry. Workshops will be confirmed soon, with topics including youth perspectives, grassroots anti-poverty advocacy, housing for vulnerable seniors, Indigenous land and water protection, migrant worker ministry and more. Registration opens June 18. For further details go to <http://www.toronto.anglican.ca/parish-life/social-justice-and-advocacy/outreach-conference/>

**SMILE Dresses:** Is looking for children's t-shirts that are new or just very gently used, preferably without large advertising logos. Drop off through the office.

**Prison Ministry:** Thank you to all who continue to donate. We have a good supply of toothbrushes and face cloths which will be packed when we receive shampoo, soap, toothpaste and combs to go with them.

**Grapevine:** If you wish to receive the weekly "Online Grapevine", please email Carolyn [office@stjohnspeterborough.ca](mailto:office@stjohnspeterborough.ca) to get on the list. It's sent out every Friday morning with info from the print version as well as ministry rosters and other information of interest.

**Ministry Opportunities:** Envelopes for the Warming Room shelter and One Roof Community Centre (both ministries of the parish) are on the welcome table. Both programs rely on donations in addition to other funding. One Roof Community Centre invites additional support by the donation of goods and supplies: a list is posted on the bulletin board in the washroom hallway.

## **PARISH FAMILY**

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**August Birthdays:** Wayne Smart (1), Peg Humphrys, Morgan Tamplin (2), Barbara Kyselka, (3), Mary Anne Hammond (4), Karen Clysdale (5), Bob Davis (7), Mary Carter (8), Doug Drummond, Doreen Landry (10), Jen Burke (11), Robert Robinson (16) Del Patterson (18) Emily and Evelyn Hickey, Goodith Heeney (26), Thomas Donoghue (27), Julia Ledgard, Jean Legris (28), Clayton Vardy (29), Illi-Maria Tamplin (31)

**August Anniversaries:** Bill and Jean Sutherland (2), Mary and John Carter, Lisa Miller and Bruce Pond (10), Terry and Lisa Noble (19), Tom and Ellen Robinson (26), Paul and Shirley Clarke (28), Bob and Betty Hinton , Don and Margaret Freeman (29), Sean and Brenda McMurray (31)

*If your birthdate or anniversary is not listed and you would like it to be please contact Carolyn in the office with the details.*