



**ST BARNABAS
& ST JOHN**
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THE GRAPEVINE

Sunday, January 14 2018

Prayer Cycles

Please pray with us this morning and throughout this week for the following:

Anglican: The Anglican Church of Australia The Most Rev Philip Leslie Freier Archbishop of Melbourne & Primate of Australia

Diocesan: Nottawasaga Deanery

Social Justice and Advocacy: Christ Church, Deer Park and the Let Your Lights Shine outreach program and Christ Church, Holland Landing and the Women's Shelter of York Region.

Deanery: St. James', Emily; the Rev. Canon Milton Barry

Parish Groups: Youth and Young Adult Ministries

Parish Family: Richard and Peggy Abbott, Peter and Jill Adams

(15); Ruth Adams; Merrill Alton Graham and Mauri Graham, Elizabeth Ambler (16); Martha, Lilli and Abbagale Anderson; Christian Ansaldo; King Baker and Kathy Hnyp; Bob and Marlene Baker (17); John Balfour, William Balfour; Mary Bell-Plouffe and Daniel Plouffe (18); Patrick, Rachel, George and Rory Benson; John Bessai; Jessica Biggar (19)

Readings for Sunday, January 21st

Jonah 3:1-5,10; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:13-20

THIS WEEK

Monday Jan 15

- 7:15 pm—Al-Anon

Tuesday Jan 16

- Noon—Wardens Meeting

Wednesday Jan 17

- 10:00 am mid week service

Thursday Jan 18

- 10:00 am Finance Committee meeting

Friday Jan 19

- 10:00 am Smile Dresses

Sunday Jan 21

- Services of worship at 8:15 a.m., and 10:00 a.m.

LOOKING AHEAD

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Ecumenical Worship Service:

Sunday January 21st, 4:00 p.m. at St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, 1066 Western Ave. The theme comes from the Caribbean region: “Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power.” (Exodus 15:6). Join Christians of all backgrounds as we celebrate what brings us together: our unity in Christ. All are welcome!

Intercessors Workshop: The intercessors from St Barnabas’ and St John’s are joining together in one Intercessors’ Guild. The Guild is planning a Saturday morning workshop in the next month to meet each other, consider the best way to exercise the ministry of leading prayers, and to do some training together. Current intercessors will receive an invitation from Bruce Pond; interested parishioners may speak to Bruce or Mickey Bongers for more info. Those planning to attend are asked to indicate which of the following dates would work in order to help us choose one: January 27th, February 10th, or February 17th.

Annual Vestry: The annual meeting of the Vestry is scheduled for Sunday, January 28th following the 10:00 Nave celebration (there will be no 8:15 or Open Circle celebrations that day in order that all may hear the Rector’s Charge to Vestry and attend the meeting to follow in the Guild Hall). Reports from all Guilds are due into the office by January 21st. These reports are both narrative and financial.

St Barnabas Duplicate Bridge Club meets in St Barnabas' lower hall (use side door off parking lot) Sunday, January 28 at 6:30 pm. \$5.00/person collected for church expenses or outreach. We meet the fourth Sunday each month September to May (except December). To join, email demoulton@sympatico.ca or phone Eileen 705-748-4884. Newcomers welcome. Bring a partner!

Pancake Supper: Shrove Tuesday is February 13th and we would like to have the traditional pancake supper in the evening. If you're interested in helping plan and lead the event, please speak to Brad.

Ash Wednesday: In addition to the usual 10:00 a.m. here, the Covenant churches will celebrate an Ash Wednesday liturgy together at Christ Lutheran Church at 7:00 p.m. on February 14th.

FOR YOUR INTEREST

Children's Ministry Volunteers Needed

We are currently looking for teachers and helpers for children's ministry on Sunday mornings. If you're interested in helping or would like more information please contact Katelyn James at katelynjerjames@gmail.com.

Grapevine: If you wish to receive the weekly "Online Grapevine", please email Carolyn 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: Specially marked envelopes for the Warming Room shelter and One Roof Community Centre (both ministries of the parish) can be found on the welcome table. Both programs rely on donations in addition to grants and city funds.

Needs: One Roof Community Centre (705-874-1812) invites our support by the donation of goods and supplies in addition to financial donations. The list of typical needs is on the bulletin board next to the washrooms.

2018 Offering Envelopes: available from Carolyn in the office for anyone wishing to get a set for 2018.

Parking Request/Notice: Please consider parking on Sundays in the Hunter St circle, the ScotiaBank lot on the south side of Hunter St, or behind the courthouse (for a small fee) if you are able to walk up the hill or for longer distances. This will leave the upper Brock St lot and the spaces in front of the courthouse available for those who have accessible parking permits or who find hills/distances difficult. Thank you for considering this gesture of hospitality.

We also remind drivers that parking in the Glebe House driveway, blocking the three east-west oriented spots near the east end of the upper Brock St lot, or parking anywhere on the north side of the upper Brock St lot (which is marked No Parking) may result in being ticketed or towed.

OUR PARISH FAMILY

January Birthdays: Charmaine Magumbe, Ted Thorndyke, Jim Hill (2), Eric Griswold (3), Christopher McDonald, Eleanor Thorndyke (5), Ken Craig (6), Phyllis Scott (7), June Miller (8), Jean Warmington (9), Perry Smith (12), Noreen Raycroft (13), MacDonald Worrell, Perce Powles (16), Andria Brusey (17), Sue Lumley (18), Isaac Harvey, Mary Rorke (19), Mike Bishop (20), Stuart Hubble, Ellen Robinson (21), Kathy Werling (24), Joanne Findon, Marylyn White, Pat Spencer (28), Eric Warburton (29), Annie Levasseur (30), Walter Howell, Paul Kyselka (31)

January Anniversaries: Bob and Joanne MacKirdy (19)

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

New staff emails: To contact our staff, please use the following email addresses.

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