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THE GRAPEVINE

Sunday, October 21, 2018

Prayer Cycles

Please pray with us today and throughout this week for:

Anglican: The Church of the Province of West Africa The Most Rev Dr Daniel Sarfo Primate & Metropolitan, CPWA, Archbishop of the Internal province of Ghana and Bishop of Kumasi

Diocesan: Bishop's Committee on Healing

Social Justice and Advocacy: St. Stephen, Maple and the communist garden; St. Theodore of Canterbury and RJ Lang Elementary and Middle School

Deanery: The Trent-Durham Deanery Executive of the ACW

Parish Groups: Greeters—Donna Potts

Parish Family: Ron Crossman; Gerri Currier; Jacob Currier; Tim and Stacey Davenport (22); Barb Davidson; Gord, Julie, Dawson, Emily, Zack and Jordan Deck; John and Louise Delagran (23); Angela, Olivia, Fin and Amanda Dinesen; Lillian Docherty, Thomas Donoghue, Lisa Grant, Felix, Alexa and Oliver (24); Audrey Doogan; Esther Dore; Doug Drummond, John and Joan Duncan (25); Ina Dyer; John and Anita Earnshaw; Wynonna Edwards; Jerry Ellis (26)

Readings for Sunday, October 28

Job 42:1-6,10-17; Hebrews 7:23-28; Mark 10:46-52

THIS WEEK

Monday, Oct 22

- 7:15 pm Al-Alon
- Brad is at a conference and then on vacation until Oct 27

Wednesday, Oct 24

- 10:00 am mid-week service

Thursday Oct 25

- 7:00 pm Choir Practice

Saturday Oct 27

- 10:00 am Learn to Knit

Sunday, Oct 28

- Services of Worship at 8:15 am, 10:00 am and 10:05 am

LOOKING AHEAD

Social Justice and the Municipal Election: As we approach our municipal election on October 22nd, it's important to remember that municipal and regional governments all across our Diocese provide services and make decisions which directly affect the lives of their residents, especially the most vulnerable among us. See the Diocesan Social Justice and Advocacy Committee's Municipal Elections Guide to learn about the issues, then seek out opportunities to learn how candidates in our community plan to address these issues. The guide is available as a PDF at www.toronto.anglican.ca/sjac.

Fall Fashion Show: Monday October 29th 1:30 pm followed by tea/coffee and dessert. Fashions by Alia n' Tan Jay. Tickets are \$5 and available through the office or any ACW member.

Corporation Update to the Parish:

On Sunday, November 4, following the 10:00 services, the Corporation (Rector and Churchwardens) will give an update to the parish on a number of items, including our financial position going into the last two months of the year, an update on the corner development, and a call to a season of reflection and prayer for discernment of our mission heading into 2019.

Knitters News: The next meeting will be Wednesday November 7th after the midweek Communion service. A question to be discussed "can we add a couple more recipients to our list?" Still needed medium and large mitts for boys.

Remembrance Evensong: Sunday November 11th 4:00 p.m. there will be a commemorative Remembrance Evensong marking the Armistice 100th anniversary.

Trent-Durham Area Medical Assistance in Dying Workshop: Saturday, November 24th, 10:00 a.m.- 2:30 p.m. at St John's, Peterborough. Join the Rev. Canon Douglas Graydon and the Rev. Margaret Johnston-Jones to explore together the pastoral, moral, and theological questions surrounding medical assistance in dying. Register in the office or at <https://conta.cc/2xCxz2D>.

Fall Festival: Mark your calendars for December 1st for the St. Margaret's/ACW annual Fall Festival. Full details in late October.

FOR YOUR INTEREST

Church Photo Directory: If you have not already booked your photo time either online or through at church sign up please call Carolyn in the office to book your appointment.

Prison Ministry: Thank you to all our donors! We are in need of full size shampoo bottles, any kind will do.

Learn to Knit: St. John's is hosting a couple of learn to knit workshops on Saturday, October 20th and Saturday, October 27th from 10am to 11:30am. Please speak with either Arlene Hill or Deb Wilson to learn more about this. There is a sign up sheet on the welcome table in the Narthex.

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: 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.

Library: This month we have some new additions that will all enrich your spiritual life in interesting ways. There are two books by Henri

Nouwen ,a Dutch Catholic priest with Canadian connections : Sabbatical Journey, The Diary of his Last Year which is a personal journey of the last year of his life with the theme of friendship and prayer and Reaching Out: The Three Movements of Spiritual Life, which offers today's Christian a perceptive, systematic plan for living the spiritual life and achieving union with God. In the fiction section we have an interesting one – The Lost Book of the Grail by Charlie Lovett, about an obsessive bibliophile's quest through time to discover a missing manuscript, the unknown history of an English Cathedral and the secret of the Holy Grail. For the younger children there are a couple of books of prayers to read on their own or with their parents Thank You Prayer and Thank you for this Food which has action prayers, songs and blessings for mealtimes.

PARISH FAMILY

October Birthdays: Peggy Kruger (2), Mickey Bongers (3), Roberta Hubble (5), Helen Shannon (6), Betty Hinton (9), Lisa Noble (12), Kaleigh Coombes (13), Issa Horani (15), Catherine Shedden (16), May Reddick (17), Ray Kelbrick, Betty Williams (18), Doug Moulton (22); Jim Lillico (19), Jean Young (23), Holly Briggs-Lathangue, Sibyl Stairs (24), Marg Tippett (28), Brenda Smart (29), Susan Jones, Jaylene Mory (30), Charlie Davidson (31)

October Anniversaries: Dorothy Newmaster and Jack Goemans (7); Lucinda Hage and Murray Leadbeater (9); Mark and Susan Jones (10); Rob and Patrick Carter (12); Keith and Laurel Jones (18); Anita and John Earnshaw (23); Stuart and Roberta Hubble (26)

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