

Announcements and Upcoming Events

DESIGNATED GIVINGS # 215 for the month of **January** will be in support of **Alzheimer Society**. Locally, compassionate experienced counsellors help enrich the lives of people with all levels of dementia, provide support for those who love them, and education about the disease for friends and family, including children....

NOTE: Income Tax receipts for the year 2016 are available **and can be picked up in the mail slots by the name tags**. Any tax receipts not picked up by February 28, 2017 will be mailed out. If you have any questions or concerns re envelopes or donations please contact Marg Brohm at 324-0624 or call the church office.

ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING will be held on **February 12th** following the 10 a.m. service.

 We request that all coordinators, leaders and chairperson prepare a group report. Vestry Reports are written as a review 2016 church activities and are due **Wednesday February 1st**.

ST. FRANCIS BIBLE STUDY – Meets the first and third Monday of the month, at 1:30. The study will be held in the church Library.

Next meeting is on Monday February 6th.



St. Paul's Book Club Meeting Tues. Feb.7th @ 11:30 a.m.

Hosted by Shirley Hanes, 13 Melbourne St. W. Lindsay.
705-878-1632

This meeting is to discuss our current book
The Story of Beautiful Girl by Rachel Simon

E.T.A.

What: Lunch with Lois Magahay parishioner and author of a new book about Lindsay, "Tidbits from Our Past".

Where: Main Hall here at St. Paul's.

When: Monday, February 13 @ 11:30

Why: Fellowship, food and fun hearing little bits of this and that about Lindsay's past good and bad.

Who: anyone who lives alone, is alone for activities, or who wants to get to know others. Note that couples who are willing to mix are more than welcome to join us.

How: Must sign up by Fri. Feb. 10 or call Donna Gushue at 705-328-3692 so chairs and tables are ready and to order in some food. **What Else:** A donation to cover the cost of the food would be appreciated.

CAMPBELL SOUP LABELS will no longer be collected. *Heritage Christian School appreciates the support given via the soup labels.*

Upcoming CHURCH EVENTS

- **ANNUAL PANCAKE LUNCH / SUPPER – Tuesday February 28th**
Pancakes – Sausages – Dessert – Beverage

Tickets: On Sale Now

Adults \$8.00 Children 6-12 years \$4.00
under 5 years Free

LUNCH: 12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.

DINNER: 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

- **ASH WEDNESDAY services – March 1st. 12:00 (Noon) & 7:00 p.m.**

2017 LENTEN SERIES **led by The Rev. Bob Hartley**
STORIES OF FAITH IN ADVERSITY

Interesting Stories with
Practical Biblical Principles for Modern Living

5 weeks Study of Christian Victory

March 8th – April 5th

Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

SPRING THAW - April 1, 2017. *How can you help? What can you donate?*

We have not really had winter but Spring Thaw is still only 2 months away.

It is a great evening of entertainment, delicious dinner by Edna and of course all the Auction items available by bidding in ***the Loonie Auction, Silent Auction or Live Auction.***

Already we have received a beautiful 3ft X 4ft painting by AJ Casson (member of the Group of Seven).

If you have a specialty i.e. baking, sewing, reading, driving, professional services etc. or auction items to donate, please contact Patti Fisher 705-340-8534 or Linda Todd 705-324-7439. Thank you.

CHURCH TREASURER NEEDED - The primary role of the Treasurer is to manage and maintain the church's financial records and procedures and to provide periodic status reports to various entities within the church: Advisory Board, Finance Committee, Wardens and Vestry. Most of the day-to-day ledger updates are the responsibility of the Bookkeeper, who reports to the Treasurer. Experience with, or the desire to learn, MS-Excel and Sage Accounting software would be beneficial. Time required would average 4 hours per week, with additional time required for yearly budget preparation/consultation and year-end reporting (late January).

TRENT DURHAM AREA DAY - Wrestling with God is the theme of this year's Area Day. Jacob's wrestling with God/Angel as recorded in Genesis 32:22-32 is a metaphor for the journey of the ancient Hebrew people in their relationship with the divine. Jacob's name is changed in this encounter to Israel, which means to wrestle with God. This metaphor is one that can also apply to our own spiritual journey.

St. Peter's Anglican Church Cobourg, Ontario Saturday, March 4, 2017 9:30am –3:30 pm **Registration fee** includes full day event with two workshops & lunch. ***NEW*** Online registration available.

Deadline for advanced registration is Thursday, February 27, 2017

Further details are on the church bulletin board.

Tues.	Jan. 31 st	4 – 8 p.m.	Bottomline Youth Ministry
Thurs	Feb. 2 nd	1:00 p.m.	Crafty Ladies
		7:00 p.m.	Choir
Fri.	Feb. 3 rd	9:15 a.m.	Happy Cooks
		4 :00 p.m.	Bottomline Youth Ministries
Sat.	Feb. 4 th	9:00 a.m.	Chancel Guild
Sun.	Feb. 5 th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion Service
		10:00 a.m.	Holy Communion Service

VALENTINES GALA Come join us at Heritage Christian school on Saturday, February 11th at 6:00 for a classy evening of fabulous food, gorgeous ambience and hilarious comedy. This year our fundraising Gala features the comedy troupe "The Fidgets" who will liven the night with hilarious skits and improv routines. **Tickets** \$75.00 or \$150 for a couple. Tickets available through Heritage Christian School office or online at myhcs.ca "