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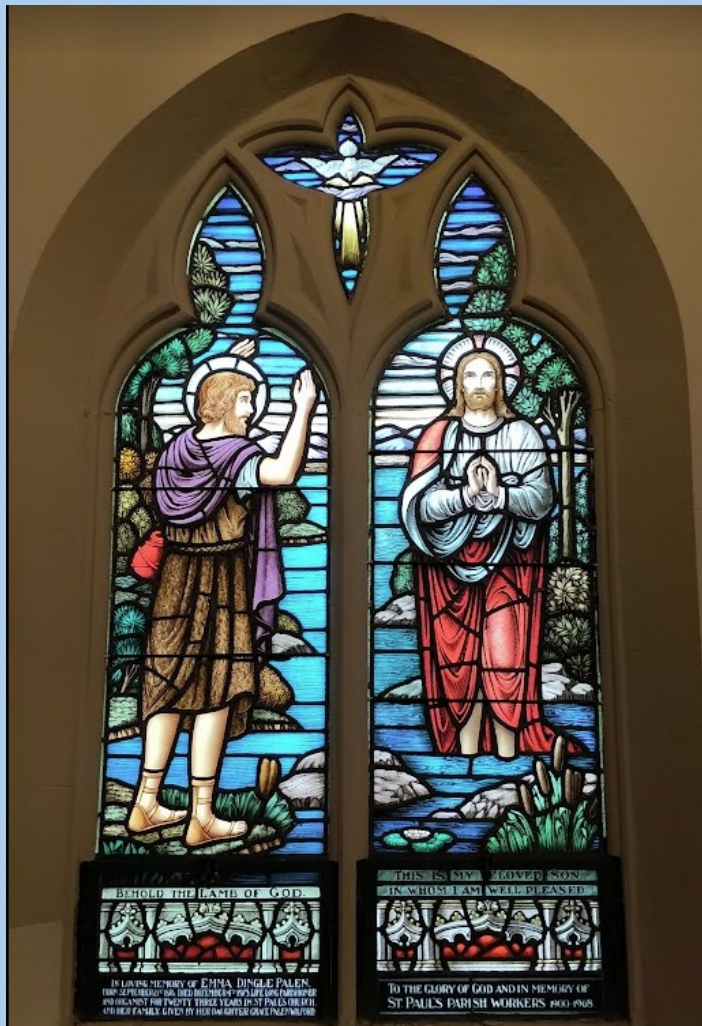
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I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. John 15:5

SUMMER

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May God bless you and keep you safe this summer!





Summertime Greetings!

Is there anything better than a good cuppa tea? It soothes both body and soul on a rainy day and just seems to make your corner of the world a little bit better for a moment at least.

Last Summer it was my privilege to share a cup of tea, some delicious food and good conversations with a number of different parishioners over several sessions of “Tea with the Vicar”. These times of sharing are very special to me and really important in the life of the Church, as being a part of the body of Christ encompasses much more than weekly worship.

One of our wardens is fond of saying “At St. Paul’s we feed the body as well as the soul”. When we gather for fundraisers, events or just sit and share a cup of tea, we are also building relationships with our brothers and sisters in Christ. Through “the breaking of bread” in a myriad of ways, relationships are built. Through relationship comes understanding, empathy, compassion, and ultimately, Christian love for one another.

This Summer, I invite you to join me at one of my “Tea with the Vicar” dates, if you are able. The dates will be publicized later in June. If you are not able to join me, perhaps this Summer you could invite someone that you would like to get to know better to join you for a cup of tea (or coffee). If there is a person or group of people that you don’t understand or know much about, this could be a pathway to building understanding between you.

Whatever you choose to do, whatever your plans are for the Summer, let the Holy Spirit be your guide. In Holy Wisdom and love, she will guide you along the right path.

“if you cry out for discernment, And lift up your voice for understanding, If you seek her as silver, And search for her as for hidden treasures; Then you will understand the fear of the Lord, And find the knowledge of God.” (Proverbs 2:3-5, NKJV)

In Christian love,
Rev Bonnie

Rev. Bonnie enjoying a cup of tea after church! She is looking forward to having tea with you this summer at “Tea with the Vicar”. Stay tuned.....



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Strawberry Supper Help:

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There will be a maximum of 200 tickets sold (over 25% sold before advertising started!!), so get your tickets soon.

Advance sales only (no tickets at the door).

SUMMER SERVICES REMINDER:

Starting Sunday July 7th through to, and including Sunday September 1st we will be worshipping in the church hall. That way, we shall benefit from the air conditioners, and ease of viewing the service on the tv. screens.



Welcome Back Sunday will be on Sept. 8

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The Canon's Corner: The Rev. Canon Greg Physick June '24



The recent baptism found me in a 'special place of memories & thought'. I baptized many using the Book of Common Prayer & the Book of Alternative Services. The latter is my favorite and once again, it did not disappoint. Each liturgy is a reminder that one has been called. Water is poured on the head, the sign of the cross made on the forehead (often nowadays with holy oil). One is marked as Christ's own forever. Yes a vocation (from the Latin, 'vocare'—to call) is a reality. The Church has a history of speaking of 'vocation' when referring to the Monastic communities and the Clergy. Yet, baptism is about vocation for all the baptized.

Marked as Christ's own forever, each is called to live out the faith wherever we are. Over the years I became ever more aware of what Monday would bring for my people. They were teachers, doctors, mechanics, bankers, police officers, seamstresses, bakers, nurses, nursing home caregivers, homemakers, husbands, wives, partners and parents and..... Yes the list goes on and on. They lived out other kinds of vocations. They came to church with a thousand and one thoughts and concerns, seeking peace, forgiveness, strength and grace because they believed, or prayed to believe more. Each came and would be sent out to live out a most special vocation through baptism: to serve Christ in a variety of ways. Baptismal promises in the BAS service talk about seeking & serving Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself; about striving for justice and peace and respecting the dignity of all; One is called to continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread and in the prayers; to persevere in resisting evil and whenever one falls into sin, to repent and return to the Lord; to proclaim by word & example the good news of God in Christ. And lately, to strive to safeguard the integrity of God's creation and respect, sustain and renew the life of the Earth.

Such is the reality of the Christian's vocation. In between Sundays much was lived out, shortcomings were many—for all, including the priest! Yet, another Sunday came around and Word and Sacrament were offered to hungry souls and at times, shaky hands were presented along with watery eyes, at the altar rail—including the grease stained hands of the mechanic.

Episcopal priest, Barbara Brown Taylor writes: 'If the church is where we learn who and whose we are, the world is where we are called to put that knowledge to use. Answering the call requires no particular virtues. Those who have been marked as Christ's own forever have everything they need, but a good imagination helps. There is even a chance that the Christian vocation is above all a vocation to imagine—to see what God sees when God looks at the world, and to believe that God's dreams can come true.'

How is your vocation being lived out? Leave the past in the past. Our loving forgiving God offers grace for this day, for tomorrow—and tomorrow's tomorrow. Imagine and dream!

Pax, Canon Greg



A SUCCESSFUL "SPRING THAW DINNER & AUCTION" WAS HELD ON APRIL 6TH!

Thanks to Barb Truax and her wonderful team who put on another successful "Spring Thaw Dinner & Auction"! It was an evening of delicious food, conversation, and numerous items available at both the silent auction tables, and the loonie auction for participants to bid on.



Barb Truax, our event coordinator, who made sure everything was well-planned and ready to go!

Don Brohm, our emcee, who helped keep the evening running smoothly.



Linda Todd, along with **Gina Coleman**, who looked after the auction item sales, cash and record-keeping tasks.



Pat O'Reilly, our auctioneer, who kept circulating the room ensuring that everyone who wanted to bid could.

Thanks to everyone who donated auction items!

Thanks to other people who helped with this event such as our bartender, greeter & ticket-taker, caterers, decorators, etc.

Thanks to the participants who came out to support this event!



WARDEN'S WALK by Betty Hooper and Paul Carpentier

Tempus Fugit – The middle of the year already! It seems like we have had many meetings and I feel like I've been caught in a revolving DOOR...door...door.

Many of you have noted we are without a church secretary. The management team along with Lorna Green and others have been manning the fort to do a cost/time analysis and hope that we will come to some conclusion in August on just how many days and hours the Office is needed. During July and August **PLEASE NOTE** we will only be in the office on **Tuesday and Thursdays from 9 till noon**. By mid August we hope to find someone to be the secretary (starting to train in mid August) for September. Suggested hours 9 to noon Tuesday and Wed and 9-1 on Thursday.

The Diocese had a workshop on a new book on visioning called "Invite Connect Welcome" Rev. Bonnie and Paul Carpenter attended the live session in Toronto while about five of us decided to watch the ZOOM session at the church, unfortunately we could not hear the speaker and after many adjustments at the site we adjourned. Rev. Bonnie and Paul enjoyed the worthwhile day and we will hear more of how we can put what they learned into practice this fall.

The property team cleaned out many of the bushes and debris left by our two legged night visitors. It seems to have help rid the problem. Paul and Betty Drummond are spreading mulch and planting flowers to enhance the grounds. We thank Betty for her dedication to looking after the flowers beds, bushes etc. for many, many years.

June 19th will be our last Advisory Board meeting until September. Thank you all for your patience and input to this necessary committee. Its been a learning curve for many as to how the church business functions. Have a great summer.

Thank you Gail Payne and the Outreach committee, and all those who contribute to the Food Pantry, especially the Tia Chi group. I was reprimanded by a young man, while putting a supply in the cupboard that "there's been no food for three days" I replied "if we don't receive, we can't give". Please sign up for stocking the cupboard Sun, Wed and Fri. It doesn't take long. (the sign up sheet is on the board.)

There are many people that volunteer to keep the worship and business going on a week to week basis. All the Service Assistants, greeters, sides people, choir assisted by Myrna Sloboda. The Chancel guild who quietly go about their duty. Linda and her crew selling Gift/Shopping cards. The various people that prepare treats, tea/coffee for our social time after church, and of course the dishwashers!!! This is a great time for **CONNECTING/WELCOMING**.

Possibly by the time this reaches your mail boxes the Strawberry Supper will be over for another year. Thank You Paul Carpentier for stepping in to organize this worthwhile event. Thank you ALL the volunteers that made this special time possible. Gracias. Perhaps someone would consider doing a fall Ham/potato Supper? Pumpkin pie umm!

Thank you all members of the Church Family and I hope you enjoy a wonderful relaxing summer and think about **INVITING** someone, **CONNECT** with anyone, and don't forget to **WELCOME** everyone! Blessings.



THE COLLECT FOR.....

Have you ever wondered about this prayer at the beginning of the service?

I asked my Mother, many years ago, what it meant and she told me it was a call to worship. Well, mom was close, it comes from a Latin word *collecta* while rather obscure, it refers to the “gathering of the people together” as well as the “collecting up” of the petitions of the congregation into one prayer.

Its a short prayer that asks for “one thing only” and is unique to churches in the Western world. So says Bishop’s Barbee and Zahl in their book “**The Collects of Thomas Cranmer**”.

Many of the collects still in use today are not only necessary to the liturgy, but also are part of the pastoral tradition of the Church, dating back to the turbulent times of our ancestors. Bishop Thomas Cranmer in The Prayer Book (1549) urges us to pray the Collects every day. Many of Cranmer’s collects are still prayed in churches today.

Some of our Collects date back to the early Roman church. Imagine going into the 5th century church on a particular Sunday of the church year and knowing enough Latin to recognize with delight and surprise the very same prayer to be found for that day is in the Book of Common Prayer and in the BAS!

We have just been through LENT (short for lengthen, as in daylight). Shrove (means shive=confess pre-lent) Tuesday or Fat Tuesday or Mardi Graw, Pentecost and Trinity.

A Brief History: The first half of the Christian Year is used to set forth the great doctrines of the Christian religion (“the acts of our great Redeemer wrought”) The second half teaches us practical duties, our response to what God has accomplished for us in Christ. Neither is complete without the other. Trinity Sunday links the two halves together. (Pg 68)

Its interesting that the two Collects for Pentecost and Trinity in the Book Common Prayer are the ones that Cranmer composed.

One of our former ministers encouraged us to TAKE THE BULLETIN (LEAFLET) HOME WITH YOU PRAY THE LORD’S PRAYER AND COLLECT EVERY DAY THROUGHOUT THE WEEK.

Lets see what ‘practical duties’ we can accomplish in the remainder of 2024.

(respectively submitted by Betty Hooper)



Our St. Paul's Family:

FROM OUR PARISH REGISTERS:

BAPTISM:

May 26, 2024 Brielle Joyce Holder
He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit. Matt. 4:11

FUNERALS:

Date of death:
Feb. 20, 2024 Linda Pearl Lamoureux
Apr. 5 Josephine Aldrich
May 24 Eileen Margaret Davies
Go in peace. Mark 5:34

CELEBRATING..... *(July—September)*



Doug Read
Donna Williams
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Hazel Armstrong
Beverly Baxter
Mary Lafete
Barb Truax
Catherine Philps
Shirley Hanes
Betty Tyndall
Jo-Anne Burridge
Julia Clarke
Linda Todd
Kathy LeGresley
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Happy Anniversary

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Marg & Don Brohm
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Betty & Lawrence Drummond
Linda & Larry Todd
Sandra & Bill Daniels
Ann & Gerald Armstrong
Phyllis & Paul Carpentier



**A special “WELCOME” to newcomers,
and visitors to St. Paul’s. We are glad to
have you worshipping with us!**

The Passing of Rev. Canon Rodney Barlow **(June 23, 1943—May 23, 2024)**



We were saddened to learn of the passing of Rev. Canon Rod Barlow, who was the Incumbent at St. Paul’s from 1995 until 2007. Our condolences go out to his wife Marnie and their family.

Note: We strive not to miss anyone. If you know of someone celebrating a special day, please let us know. Contact Diane S. “THE GRAPEVINE” editor. The celebrations in this issue are from July through September 2024.



St. Paul’s Church Services are listed on the last page of this Grapevine.

Due to our wide circulation on the internet and to the new Privacy Act regulations, no personal phone numbers are listed on the first or last page of all issues.





CHURCH PROPERTY UPDATE

Don Brohm, Church Property Manager, assisted by Ray Marshall and Don Chase



Let's start with good news; all rents are up to date.

As always with properties, repairs have to be made.

The slate high up on the Church roof have not been repaired as yet and the taps over the rinse sinks in the kitchen need attention as in new valve inserts.

We repaired a bookshelf that was loose in the Choir section of the Church.

The bottoms of the storm windows of the Church have been removed for the summer and A/C units have been made ready for the summer as well.

We have the heat turned off to the Church as of early May and discovered two valves leaking.

We had the eavestrough cleaned out on the Rectory and have discovered a motion sensor not working on the Rectory as well.

34 Glenelg St has some old piping that has started to leak from the drain that will have to be replaced .

36 Glenelg had a leak from the drain from the bathtub and this has been repaired.

Heating system cleaning for houses is slated for July 24.


JUST SO YOU KNOW

A few parishioners shared photos from our recent Baptism!




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REMINDER: We encourage all parishioners to use the quality goods and services of our sponsors and, please let them know that you have learned of them through "THE GRAPEVINE". Their generosity helps to make this publication possible. We wish all of our sponsors the best of the summer season. *Thank you.*
Diane Stecher, Editor.



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ST. PAUL'S SISTERHOOD

Shirley Hanes, Coordinator



Our small group continues to meet every Thursday afternoon from one to three, for tea and conversation while we work on knitting and other projects. We are steadily filling our cupboards with knitted hats, mittens, slippers and scarves. These many items are donated with love to King Albert and Queen Victoria schools, Women's Resources and the Seafarers. At the end of June we will once again fill personal and activity care bags for Women's Resources. Since our numbers in the group are small we appreciate any and all help from our parish family for items for these bags. We are always looking for crayons, colouring books, toothpaste, combs, Kleenex packs and small toys for both girls and boys.

We have set as one of our goals this year to look after the coffee hour once a month. Since we all now use a walker, we have appreciated extra help from time to time. Peter and Fred are the unsung heroes who do the dishes for us Sunday after Sunday. Thanks to both of you for your help with a smile.

As we go to press we are sad to announce the passing of one of our original members. Eileen Davies was a founding member of Crafty Ladies. She always joked that Rod called us the sneaky ladies. Rest in Peace dear friend,.... good and faithful Servant.

A Message from Diane Stecher, the "former" Music Director

I just wanted to express my sincere gratitude to Lorna, Jo-Anne and Don C. for giving me the opportunity to be hired as Interim Music Director February 2022 after I'd been playing the piano voluntarily since April 2020, during the Covid shutdown. I was a Warden in 2020 when Rev. Canon Warren asked me if I could take over on the piano. I became part of the 5-person Covid team that pre-recorded the services on Friday mornings while the church was closed. We Wardens were also transitioning from Rev. Canon Warren to interim minister, Canon Gloria, and then welcoming Rev. Bonnie as Covid restrictions slowly eased up. Soon we were permitted one solo singer, and by November 2021 I began rehearsals with the choir when everyone was allowed to be back in church. I have fond memories of those crazy times!

I also want to thank each member of the choir for working hard and being patient as we all tried to do our best to keep the music going during Covid and up until my last day as Music Director on Sunday April 7, 2024. I enjoyed getting to know each of you better! Those Choir members were: Barb Appleton, Don Chase, Betty Drummond, Ruth Gillis, Shirley Hanes, Betty Hooper, Carol Hughes, Suzanne McAllister, Ursula Ruhbach, Liam Skerrett-Ricketts, and Fred Wellings. On occasion, Paul Carpentier also sang as Cantor.

Lastly, I would like to thank Rev. Bonnie, and the members of the congregation who expressed support as I tried my best to "grow into the Music Director role", and who took the time to give the choir or I positive feedback! While I was not previously trained on pipe organs, it was truly an honour and privilege to be given the opportunity to learn the foot pedals and gain confidence in order to play both the piano and organ on Sunday mornings. I am also very grateful for the kind words, and support I received from people after they realized I was no longer leading the music at St. Paul's. So for now, I will be back in my former church pew on Sunday mornings, plus doing the Grapevine and a few other things. Respectfully, Diane Stecher.



ST. PAUL'S ARCHIVES REPORT

The Archives Committee of St. Paul's has been busy for over two years collating the vast array of historic documents, photographs, and general history of St. Paul's. The full committee consists of Ian McKechnie, Barb Truax, and Lorna Green. We have been fortunate to have the guidance of Angela Fornelli, MSc. Manager, Corporate Records and Archival Services / Municipal Archivist, City of Kawartha Lakes.

In 2022, we realized that simply sorting through the documents was not enough. We needed to have the appropriate materials to store the documents, the capability to digitize photographs, and an archivist who would be responsible for organizing the endeavour. And so, the committee submitted a grant application to Library and Archives Canada, Documentary Heritage Community Programme(DHCP) for funds to update our archive collection. Unfortunately, we were not successful. However, in late 2023 we applied again and in March of 2024 we received confirmation that our application was successful and we were awarded \$20,638.00 for our project. This has allowed us to provide remuneration for our dedicated archivist, purchase a laptop and scanner, and acquire professional archival supplies. This will ensure the preservation of the history that St. Paul's has stored in our building.

On May 15th, our archivist officially began the task of organizing our archival collection. This will be an ongoing project over many years. We are delighted to have the funds available to carry on the preservation of our important role in the history of the City of Kawartha Lakes.

NOTE: As per Contribution Agreement with DHCP: This Project has been made possible in part by the Documentary Heritage Communities Program offered by Library and Archives Canada/ Cet projet a ete rendu possible en partie grace au Programme pour les collectivites du patrimoine documentaire offert par Bibliotheque et Archives Canada.

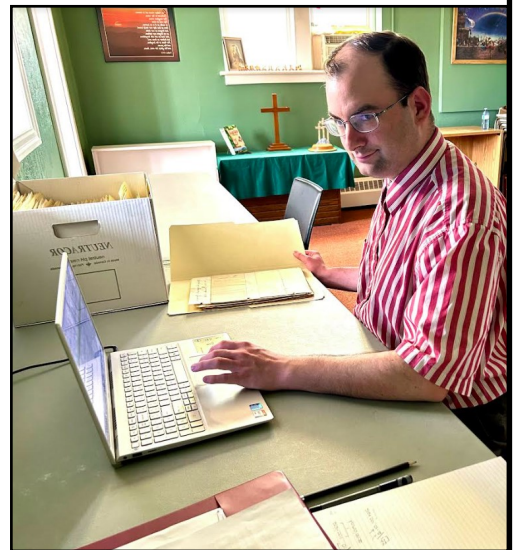


Our Archive Committee

Ian McKechnie

Barb Truax

Lorna Green



Ian McKechnie busy recording information about our archives.

Photo #1 (L) was provided by Sienna Frost.





ST. PAUL'S BOOK CLUB



By Lorna Green

Another book club season is coming to a close. We meet in June to choose the books we will read next year and to plan who will host each meeting. St. Paul's Book Club meets nine times a year to discuss book selections and share a pot lunch luck together. An additional Christmas meeting is planned in December at a local restaurant.

This past year we have read books set in Alaska, Canada, England, the U.S.A., and India. We have read about home children, elderly love, political hijinks, medical challenges, a Canadian actor's life struggles, and a 1950's woman navigating a world of science. In all this there has been much discussion, delicious food and wine, and, most importantly, a warm and convivial exchange of ideas.

"These books are my friends, my companions. They make me laugh and cry and find meaning in life." — Christopher Paolini



CHANCEL GUILD REPORT



The Chancel Guild is responsible for preparing the church each week for the Sunday church service, clearing up after the service as well as any special services during the week such as Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, funerals and weddings. As we have eight volunteers working in teams of two we are on duty for one week a month. Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas we all work together to decorate the church. If this ministry would be one that interests you please speak to Rev. Bonnie or me or one of the members of the guild and we can discuss any questions you might have. New members are always welcome.

If you wish to donate flowers in memory of loved ones please note the flower calendar and envelopes on the bulletin board in the main hall. Fill in the information and place it on the collection plate or speak to a Chancel member and they will take your request. Thank you to everyone who donated for flowers over the past year.

During the summer months flowers from your gardens are also appreciated.

If you have any questions please call me at (705) 324-0624.

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OUTREACH COMMITTEE by Gail Payne

Your Outreach Committee last met on June 2, 2024. We continue to try to fulfil Jesus' command to love our neighbours as ourselves, on behalf of St. Paul's.

Stamp Out Poverty: thanks to many contributions from the parish, we have been able to send, in April and in May, a large envelope of used stamps to Oxfam for their Stamp Out Poverty campaign. Please continue to collect. They request a 1/4 in. margin please.

Queen Victoria School: in April and also May, we delivered large totes and bags of clothing and footwear donated by the congregation and the Tai Chi Club. The school was most grateful.

Spring Outreach Service: on April 14 Rev. Frank Tyrell spoke to us about the Prison Chaplaincy in which he is involved. His message was educational and inspirational.

Food Pantry: this resource continues to be used extensively by our community. A sign of the local need is that within a few hours of filling, the pantry, it is bare again. Your support is much appreciated and essential to helping fill this need. Thanks too Tai Chi Club for your contributions.

Foster Children: our Foster Child in El Salvador has thankfully been able to leave her SOS Village and return to her family. In her place we are now sponsoring a 5 year old boy in the Dominican Republic. Betty Tyndall has graciously agreed to correspond with him on our behalf. Thank you Betty. Please pray for the health and safety of all of our 6 Foster Children, especially the 3 in Haiti.

The upcoming quarterly Allotments are as follows:

Outreach

Local: Community Care Lindsay

National: Yukon Diocese

International: Stephen Lewis Foundation

Designated Givings

July: Giving with Grace

August: Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples

September: ARocha

Designated Givings: In June we are supporting Doctors Without Borders in our Designated Givings.

Governance: we have finalized our plan which is available to any who wish to read it.

1 John 3:16-19

Thank you all for your continued prayerful and financial support of St. Paul's many Outreach programs.

James 1:22

Rev. Frank Tyrell

Giving a message on Prison Chaplaincy at our Spring Outreach Service.



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CHURCH ENVELOPES



Anyone who wishes to have envelopes, or if you would like to go on PAG (Pre-Authorized Givings) please contact the church office at 705-324-4666.

It is a very simple process to sign up for PAG or to change your PAG. Simply phone, email or drop a note into the church office in a sealed envelope with your instructions. If you are new to PAG, please pick up the forms at the back of the church or from the office.

Please advise the church office of any change to your address or telephone number so that our records are correct. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding envelopes, Pre Authorized Givings (PAG), contributions or receipts.

Thank you. *Marlene Wood, Envelope Secretary*

***A Special "Thanks" to Betty Drummond
for always keeping our church gardens looking so beautiful!!***



Pre-Authorized Giving

PAG is a form of giving to the Church. A monthly amount is automatically deducted from your bank account or your VISA/credit card to support your church. This program enables you to give your offering intentionally, proportionally and faithfully all year long through an automatic monthly withdrawal. Forms are available online on our church website. Or by contacting the church office by phone 705-324-4666 or by email: office@st-pauls-lindsay.ca the form can be mailed to you. Thank you!



LIST OF DESIGNATED GIVINGS:

You may wish to direct a portion of your givings to a designated fund:

- 1 – Living Waters ***
- 8 – Adoption of Foster Children
- 40 – Kawartha Lakes Food Source
- 44 – Sunday School & Youth Ministries
- 60 – PWRDF
- 67 – Renovations
- 95 – Church roof renovations
- 97 – Christmas Dinner
- 99 – Outreach (Including Local Outreach)
- 100 – Place Called Home
- 101 – Special Sound System
- 101 A – A Special Jacobs Gift
- 138 A – Chancel Guild Flowers
- 146 – Choir gowns, Music
- 150 – Faithworks
- 215 – Special Outreach Projects
- 250 – Special (Rector's discretionary fund)

Do you want to donate flowers in memory of someone, or in thanksgiving for blessings received?

There is now a Flower Chart, and Flower Donation Envelopes on the bulletin board in our church hall ready to be filled out. Just put the date you wish on the chart, and complete the information on the envelope along with your donation, and take it to the church office, or place in on the collection plate during the service. Thank you! Questions? Please call Marg at 705 324-0624.



Designated Givings #215 for June 2024: is in support of Doctors Without Borders.



Wherever natural disasters occur, or the horrifying images of war zones make us wonder what we can possibly do to help, there — with our support — these skilled and courageous men and women are the answer to our prayers. Please consider making a donation through Designated Givings #215 in June for **Doctors Without Borders.**



On the Day of Pentecost, we enjoyed special cakes at Coffee Hour thanks to Eileen Grace!





SHOPPING CARDS



Please support our Shopping Card program! You get full value for each gift card you purchase, and then the church receives a small percentage of sales when you use the card. So, while you shop, you are also supporting St. Paul's Church! Gift cards can be a handy way to shop for yourself and your family, and also to give away as gifts for birthdays, Christmas, or other occasions. Shopping cards can be purchased from the church office each week, or Sunday mornings in the church hall. If you have questions, please speak to Linda Todd, the coordinator.

Take a look at the gift cards available:

Restaurant cards available are Hobarts, Kelsey's, & Tim Horton's.

Grocery cards include Food Basics, La Mantias, Loblaws, and Bulk Barn.

Other cards: Canadian Tire, Giant Tiger, Home Hardware, & Shopper's Drug Mart.



LOOKING FOR A FEW MORE PEOPLE TO HELP WITH SUNDAY MORNING CARD SALES:

Help is needed from Parishioners to sell gift cards before and after the Church service. No experience required as you will be trained, it is a simple task that requires the recording of the card being sold and receiving payment. Just as a reminder we do take payment in cash, cheque, and debit, this way the church gets to keep a larger percentage of the funds. Please contact Linda Todd.



BIBLICAL WORDSEARCH ACTIVITY

Word Search for Jesus' First Disciples

Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle. The words can be left to right, up and down, or diagonally.

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B	E	L	E	P	E	E	I	R	I	U	N
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A FEW COMMUNICATION ITEMS (by D. Stecher, Editor)

The Events Team:

Don't forget to get your tickets for our June 20th Strawberry Supper in advance! (See pg. 3) Stay tuned for upcoming events happening later this year.

Archives: Grant

Our 2024 grant application to Library and Archives Canada's Documentary Heritage Communities Program was successful! This will provide much-needed funds to complete the rehousing of our archive collection. (See pg. 13).

Church Website: Update

The process has begun to develop ideas so that the church website can be updated this year! In the meantime, please continue to check our current website (www.st-pauls-lindsay.ca) for information on services, bulletins, live-streams, events, donations, and more!

Church Facebook:

Don't forget that we also post information on our Facebook page! If you are active on Facebook...check it out!

The Grapevine: Sponsors

We currently have 17 local businesses that sponsor our Grapevine. However, we are looking to get a few more. Please let us know of businesses that we can contact.

The Grapevine (our quarterly newsletter)

Our Grapevine is a major source of church information produced quarterly, and is available online or by mail. Thanks to local businesses who sponsor the Grapevine, we have been able to produce it in a very self-sustaining manner. Plus, every time you purchase goods or services from one of our sponsors—you are helping the local economy, and also proving to our sponsors that their business cards in the Grapevine work! Since we take the time to pre-sort the Grapevine printed copies, we benefit by a much-reduced postage rate from Canada Post!

A big "thank you" to our committee members who work hard on your behalf: **Betty Tindall, Beverly Baxter, Shirley Williams, Linda Todd, Diane Stecher, Lorna Green, and Barb Truax.**

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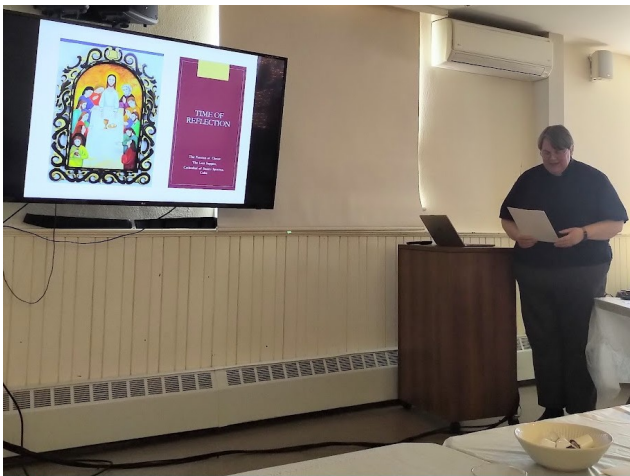
A sincere **thank you** to the groups, and individuals who submitted information, and helped with the production and distribution of this issue of "The Grapevine". Diane Stecher, Editor 😊



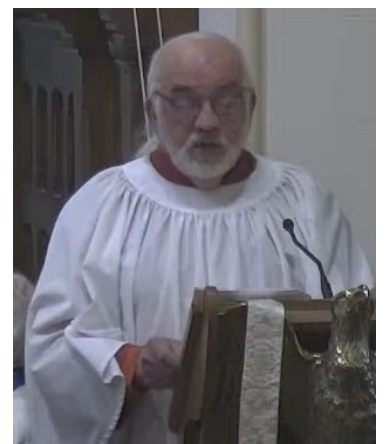
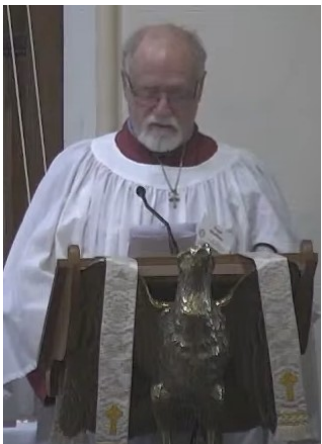
Photos from Lent & Easter



Mar. 10th Festival of Readings & Music: Choir singing & Ian Physick reading.

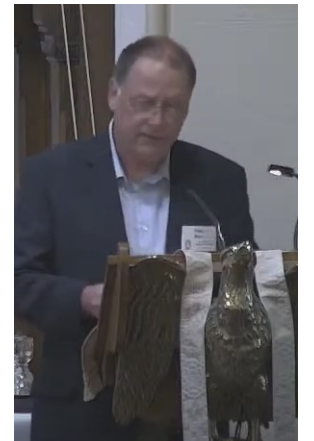


Mar. 28th Agape Meal: Rev. Bonnie giving a reflection & participants enjoying the meal.



Mar. 31st Easter Sunday service: Fred, Gayle, Rev. Bonnie & Don C.





Church service, Baptism, and Spring Thaw moments caught on camera!



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WEEKLY SERVICES

Our services on Sundays are at 10:00am. **All are welcome!**

Sunday June 16—Pentecost 4 10am

Sunday June 23—Pentecost 5 10am
National Indigenous Day of Prayer

Sunday June 30—Pentecost 6 10am

Sunday July 7—Pentecost 7 10am *(in the church hall)*

Sunday July 14—Pentecost 8 10am *(church hall)*

Sunday July 21—Pentecost 9 10am *(church hall)*

Sunday July 28—Pentecost 10 10am *(church hall)*

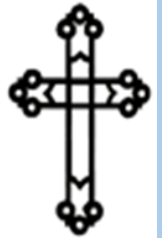
Sunday Aug. 4—Pentecost 11 10am *(church hall)*

Sunday Aug. 11—Pentecost 12 10am *(church hall)*

Sunday Aug. 18—Pentecost 13 10am *(church hall)*

Sunday Aug. 25—Pentecost 14 10am *(church hall)*

To view services online go to our website: <https://st-pauls-lindsay.ca>



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