

From the Bulletin, Feb 26th, 2011-02-25

DESIGNATED GIVINGS # 215 for the month of **February** will be in support of Jamaica Self Help.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION SUNDAY, MAY 15TH, our guest speaker will be Bishop Douglas Blackwell. In order to make this a very special day, the 175th Committee is planning to celebrate all of St. Paul's wonderful volunteers. Over the next few weeks, members of the Committee will be approaching the various groups and asking their members if they would like to create a display board (approx. 1 1/2 x 2 1/2 feet) describing their activities, past and present. We hope that we won't miss anyone, but if we do, please contact Gina or Bob Coleman at 705-359-3748.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER is a global ecumenical movement which brings Christians of many traditions together to observe a common day of prayer each year. A service will be held to pray for Chile and will meet at Queen St. United Church on March 4th at 2:00 p.m.

INCOME TAX RECEIPT for the year 2010 can be picked up from the back of the church any not picked up will be mailed Feb. 28th

BOOK CLUB - Tuesday, March 1st at 5:30 for a pot luck dinner and discussion of the book Sisters of the Wilderness by Charlotte Grey. There will be a sign up sheet on the parish bulletin board for those interested in attending. Please join us for a delightful and insightful evening.

GIFT CARDS update – We started selling gift cards mid last February and by month end we had sold \$12,120.00 I thought that when our parishioners got used to the benefits of gift cards offered, both to the church and themselves, sales would continue to grow. , and they did through 2010. However, February 2011 has been disappointing, only \$7,700.00 to date. Can we catch up today?

ISRAEL & JORDAN: October 18-30, 2011. Canon Bill Kibblewhite (retired priest of our diocese) and his wife, Linda, are leading this trip offered through Cruisenet Tours & Travel. Brochures are available from the office. The trip includes 11 breakfasts, a lunch, and 9 dinners. Highlights: Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Sea of Galilee, Tel Aviv, Church of the Nativity, Mount of Olives, Petra and much more. Toll free phone # 1-800-387-2055.

MEN'S BREAKFAST will be held **Saturday Mar. 12th**, in the main hall starting at 8:45 a.m. Breakfast is at 9:15 a.m. Please sign up on the sheet placed on the bulletin board if you intend to come and sign up a friend.

Next Week the Outreach Committee will be taking orders for the Fair Trade Coffee.

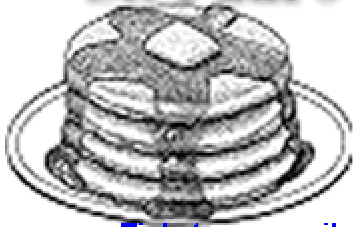
175th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVES will be sold in the Church Hall on the first Sunday each month throughout 2011 or contact church office.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Wed.	Mar. 2 nd	10:00 a.m.	Communion Service
		7:30 p.m.	Christianity 101
Thurs.	Mar. 3 rd	11:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
		1:00 p.m.	Crafty Ladies
		6:00 p.m.	Bell Choir
		7:30 p.m.	Sr. Choir
Fri.	Mar. 4 th	10:00 a.m.	Mom & Baby Exercise Group
		1:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Sat.	Mar. 5 th	9:00 a.m.	Chancel Guild
Sun.	Mar. 6 th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion
		10:00 a.m.	Holy Communion
		10:00 a.m.	Church School and Nursery

GIFT CARDS – To help the church in its fundraising effort please remember to buy your gift cards before you do your shopping

St. Paul's Pancake Lunch/Supper



* Lunch is from noon to 1:30 p.m.

* Supper is from 5-6:30 p.m.

Cost for Adults is \$7.50,
Children ages 6-12 - \$3.00 and kids
5 and under are free.

Tickets are available from the church office (324-4666 or at the door
All are welcome, bring a friend.

ST. PAUL'S/COMMUNITY CARE LUNCHEON – February 22nd, Tickets for our next luncheon are \$6.00 ea. until February 17th and after this date tickets are \$8.00 and are available from the church office or at the door.

CHRISTIANITY 101 will meet on Wed. Feb. 23rd and March 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the main hall.

Planning ahead - Lenten Series.

The sessions begin @ 7:30 p.m. with a 30-40 min. presentation from the speaker, a 10-15 min. coffee break and then about a 30 min. Q&A time.

Wed. Mar. 16	Quakerism Revisited -	Jeff Little
Wed. Mar. 23	Prison Ministry -	Rev. Frank Tyrell
Wed. Mar. 30	Baptist Church -	Pastor John Boyachek
Wed. April 6	Anglicanism -	Rev. Greg Physick
Wed. April 13	Christian Reform Church -	Pastor Keith Buist

A.W.A.R.E. (Anglican Women Alive Renewed Enriched)

If you have never been on a retreat, this one, held annually at Elim Lodge near Peterborough is a great one with which to start. The weekend-long event is designed to give women a break from the hectic pace of everyday life. There are no televisions and no computers! Instead, seminars, presentations, bible study groups, wonderful music, and lots and lots of fun activities combine to create a truly enriching experience.

This year's event will be held April 29th, 30th and May 1st. The cost is \$215. which includes all activities and all meals from Friday evening dinner to Sunday lunch. The guest speaker is Sheila Wray Gregoire a syndicated parenting columnist and author of four books. Our Chaplin is the Rev. Ruth Knapp. You can download a copy of the Registration form at www.awarepeterborough.com or Linda Finigan at 905-668-4969.

If you would like more information, please call Patti Cragg (after April 1st) at 705-320-8641 or Linda Finigan at 905-668-4969.