

# Announcements and Upcoming Events

**DESIGNATED GIVINGS # 215** for the month of **November** will be in support of **FOSTER CHILDREN**. Thanks to the help of St. Paul's parishioners, six children in Central America and Haiti are grateful for the safe and healthy life they enjoy. Through S.O.S. Children's Villages and The Arms of Jesus Mission, we can be sure they're being nourished in mind, body and spirit.

**THE SEASON OF HOPE** - Join Rev. Warren for a 4 week journey leading up to Advent. **Tuesdays November 20 & 27 from 7 - 8 pm.**

We will explore Old Testament prophecy as well as the visits of the Archangel Gabriel to Zechariah foretelling the birth of John the Baptist and the visit to Mary and the promise of the birth of Jesus.

We meet in the Parish hall. Cost: Free. Bring a friend !

**ADVISORY BOARD** meeting will meet on **Wed. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>**, @ 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall

**We need your help to deliver the CHRISTMAS LETTERS.** They are now in the mail slots located in the main hall. The letters are in alphabetical order. Any letters not picked up this week will be mailed out on **November 26<sup>th</sup>**.



**ADVENT EVENSONG AND CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING** will be held on **Dec. 2nd @ 4:00 p.m.** Toys will also be collected at this service.

**THE KING ALBERT SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM** will take place in the Main Hall on **Monday December 10<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday December 11<sup>th</sup>**. We need Program helpers and cookie donations (no nut products please). If you can help with this important ministry please sign up on the sheet in the Main Hall.

**2019 BUDGETS** are now being prepared. All Committee or Group leader are requested to submit your special otherwise we will assume that what was budgeted in 2018 is fine for 2019.

**SHOPPING CARDS** – Have you bought your Christmas gifts yet???? Having trouble finding a gift for the one who has everything, why not purchase a gift card from St. Paul's Church.

We have several restaurant's cards for a special dinner out or for the handyman, there are Home Hardware, Canadian Tire Cards etc. Perhaps a new snow blower is needed.

**Don't forget the coffee/donut lovers at Tim Hortons.**



**2018 LINDSAY CHRISTMAS HOUSE TOUR** - Enjoy an afternoon visiting six Lindsay homes dressed in their Christmas splendour! Visit the beautifully restored St. Mary's Catholic Church and the Old Gaol Museum. Have tea enroute at Mackey's Celebrations.

Tickets are \$20.00 and available after church today or the Church office.

## **Volunteers needed. ST. PAUL'S NEEDS YOUR HELP!**

For many years now St. Paul's has depended on our fund-raising events to maintain our church – and we think we've become pretty good at it. However, as time passes, it is becoming more and more difficult to find enough volunteers to ensure the success of these events.

**If not already volunteering at some events**, could you assist at our Strawberry Supper, our Fair Booth, Market Day, or some other event? Do you know of anyone who would volunteer – a student, a neighbour, a friend?

We do work hard at these events but we have a lot of fun as well.

Please call Ray Marshall at 705-878-8653, or email to [raymarshall53@gmail.com](mailto:raymarshall53@gmail.com) to see how you could help your church.

## **WOMAN'S RESOURCES "Santa's Workshop"**



*This is the time of year that St. Paul's parishioners share some joy with the residents of the Women's Resource Center. It's a time when we help someone less fortunate by donating personal items + children's toys to the Resources 'Santa's Workshop'*

*When a woman and her children are fleeing an abused home and arrive at the Women's Resource Shelter for help; these families often flee quickly and take very little with them. The Shelters priority is making sure that the woman and her children are safe.*

In November and early December we at St. Paul's make a large donation of personal items and children's gifts to *The Women's Resources annual "Santa's Workshop"* (this is a time when mothers choose Christmas gifts for their children and the children are able to choose gifts for their moms). **From November 15<sup>th</sup> to December 9<sup>th</sup>** there will be a box placed at the back of the Church and another in the church hall for your donations. *Betty*

The College Community Choir presents ***"Christmas Fills the Heart"***, under the direction of Melissa Stephens with accompanist Ruth Eberts, on Saturday, Nov. 24th at 2 pm at St. Paul's. Our special guests are Juliette and Grace Silveira. Tickets are \$15 for adults and \$10 for children 12 and under and are available from choir members or email [collegecommunitychoir@gmail.com](mailto:collegecommunitychoir@gmail.com).

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| Mon.  | Nov. 19 <sup>th</sup> | 1:00 p.m.      | St. Francis Bible Study   |
| Tues. | Nov. 20 <sup>th</sup> | 4:30-8:30 p.m. | Bottomline Youth Ministry |
|       |                       | 7:00 p.m.      | The Season Of Hope Study  |
| Wed.  | Nov. 21 <sup>st</sup> | 10:00 a.m.     | Coffee Club               |
|       |                       | 7:00p.m.       | Advisory Board            |
| Thurs | Nov. 22 <sup>nd</sup> | 1:00 p.m.      | Crafty Ladies             |
|       |                       | 7:00 p.m.      | Choir                     |
| Fri.  | Nov. 23 <sup>rd</sup> | 9:15 a.m.      | Happy cooks               |
| Sat.  | Nov. 24 <sup>th</sup> | 9:00 a.m.      | Chancel Guild             |
| Sun.  | Nov. 25 <sup>th</sup> | 8:30 a.m.      | Holy Communion Service    |
|       |                       | 10:00 a.m.     | Holy Communion Service    |