

Announcements and Upcoming Events

DESIGNATED GIVINGS # 215 for the month **April** will be in support of **"Giving with Grace"**. The more we learn about how we as a church dishonoured our Indigenous brothers and sisters, causing humiliation and pain, the more many of us long to help and heal. Here, through this General Synod fund we can express that love and healing in a concrete Christian way.

EASTER FLOWERS – To make a memorial or thanksgiving donation for the purchase of flowers to beautify the church for Easter morning. Call the church office at 324-4666 before Tuesday April 16 and/or mark it clearly on your church envelope "Donation: Easter Flowers".



**Palm Sunday EVENSONG –
SUNDAY, April 14th – 4:00 p.m.**

**ORDER FORM – Chocolate Easter Egg \$5.00 each
(only 100 eggs available)**



You may pre-order your Easter Eggs by placing your name and number of eggs you wish on the list. The list is located on the sign up board in the main hall.



Friday, April 12th - 9:00 a.m. we will be making **PALM CROSSES**. Parishioners are needed and welcome to help the Chancel members make the crosses for Palm Sunday. ***It is very easy to learn how to make the cross please consider joining us. Thank you.***

SEDER SUPPER Wednesday April 17th

We start the Seder promptly at **5:30 p.m.**

To ensure we have materials for everyone **please Sign up.**

It will be an authentic version using the Passover Haggadah, or booklet in English and Hebrew, led by Rev. Warren. There will be readings of the Passover story before the meal. After the supper the Seder continues for another half hour. The goal is to be finished by 8:00 p.m.

Sign-up sheet is in the main Hall.



EASTER CONGREGATION PRAYERS – During Lent and Holy Week we pray specifically for each parish member by name. If you wish to participate, please see Paul Carpentier after service for a short list of names.

THE KING ALBERT SCHOOL EASTER PROGRAM will take place in the Main Hall on **Monday April 15 & Tuesday April 16**. 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.**

Let's save on POSTAGE - EASTER LETTERS are now in the mail slots located by nametags. Please pick up yours **today** and save the church the cost of postage.

Letters not picked up will be mailed out

Wednesday LUNCH & LENTEN SERIES Noon – 1:30 p.m.

LIFE TRANSFORMED: THE WAY OF LOVE IN LENT

Each week at 11:00 a.m. there will be a short communion service

There will be a light lunch at a cost of \$5 and no cost for the study. The lunch and study end around 1:30 pm



A TYPO ERROR in the Lent/Easter issue of The Grapevine. "**Steamboat Restorations**" by Don Chase (page 16). He worked approximately 2000 hours not the 20000 that was printed. Sorry Don

ADVISORY BOARD MTG. will be held on Thursday, April 25th

A beautiful Lent-Easter 'poem' "**JUST A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**" was submitted by **Carol Hughes** to be published in the latest issue of the parish newsletter, unfortunately as it is lengthy and I was unable to find enough space. Copies are on the table in the parish hall, please take one. Betty

Additional community announcements are posted on the bulletin board in the parish hall.

SPRING THAW 2019 - MARCH 30, 2019

WOW!!

It was a fantastic fun evening!! An enthusiastic crowd gathered in the Parish hall to enjoy an evening of delicious food, humour and the antics of "Loonie auction craziness"

My thanks to all – So many enthusiastic individuals are needed to make such a successful evening!

Let me begin by sending kudos to –

- the donors of the many items in the Silent and Loonie auctions. You have been most generous.
- to **Linda Todd and Gina Coleman** for developing and overseeing the auctions – a wonderful team.
- To our Master of Ceremonies, **Don Brohm** and our auctioneer, **Michael Green**. Don and Michael together provided much comedy with their energetic and humorous styles . They are a dynamic duo !
- To our **Chef extraordinaire, Edna Smith** who outdid herself with yet another delicious dinner. It was scrumptious!
- To the wait staff of happy volunteers, provided by **Betty Drummond**
- To **Paul Davies**, our wine steward and to **Betty Tyndall**, our gracious hostess
- To Carol Hughes who designed the table centerpieces and colour scheme. Spring was in the air!!
- the group of **energetic men and women** (Eileen and Paul Davies, Shirley Williams, Denise Banham, Jan Guillard and Shirley Hanes who moved and set tables, stuffed glasses and washed linens

However, no event would be a success if there was not huge support by **all who attended and joined in the fun!** And, importantly, the evening was a financial success!

A Huge thanks to all

Barb Truax

Tues.	Apr. 9 th	4:30-8:30 p.m.	Bottomline Youth Ministry
Wed.	Apr. 10 th	10:00 a.m.	Coffee Club
		11:00 p.m.	Lenten Service
		Noon-1:30 p.m.	Lenten Study
Thurs	Apr. 11 th	1:00 p.m.	Crafty Ladies
		7:00 p.m.	Choir
Fri.	Apr. 12 th	9:00 a.m.	Palm Cross Making
		9:15 a.m.	Happy Cooks
Sat.	Apr. 13 th	9:00 a.m.	Chancel Guild
Sun.	Apr. 14 th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion Service
		10:00 a.m.	Holy Communion Service
		4:00 p.m.	Evensong Service