

THIS AND THAT

December 9th, 2021

And **THE OTHER THING** : If you have something to post contact us at office@st-pauls-lindsay.ca

ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, 45 RUSSELL ST. W., LINDSAY ONTARIO 705-324-4666



Extra Extra Read All About it.

Page 8 of The Anglican for December has an article about our **Tower of Tins**.

What a great way to let people know of our achievements and to encourage other parishes in ways to reach out in their communities.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS - If you would like to make a **memorial donation** for the purchase of flowers to beautify the church for Christmas. Please have memorial information to the Church Office no later than **Dec. 21** for the Christmas Eve bulletin.

Please be sure to clearly mark your envelope "**Donation Christmas Flowers**".



Our donations of unwrapped toys for the Center Church Christmas Hamper program

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR FESTIVE SERVICE AND DINNER

On December 25th

1:00 p.m.

Festive Celebration of Music and Readings

CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER

2:00 P.M. — 5:00 P.M.

Contact Church Office

ST. PAUL'S SEASONAL ACTIVITIES AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12th – ADVENT 3

10:00 a.m. – Holy Communion

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19th – ADVENT 4

10:00 a.m. – Lessons and Carols Service

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24th

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

7:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25th

CHRISTMAS DAY

Festival of Music and Readings 1:00 P.M.

CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER 2 P.M.–5 P.M.

IS STILL BEING OFFERED FOR THOSE WHO ARE ALONE OR LONELY

3 SEATINGS 2:00, 3:00 & 4:00 P.M.

NEW—PLEASE PRE REGISTER AT THE CHURCH OFFICE AS WE ARE LIMITED IN THE NUMBERS DUE TO COVID RESTRICTIONS.

SUNDAY, December 26th

VIDEO ONLY – Holy Communion

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2nd

10:00 a.m. – Holy Communion

(In person worship and live streamed)

WEDNESDAYS

9:30 am Morning Prayer

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

THURSDAYS

1:00 P.M.

Sisterhood of St. Paul's

Church Office Hours:

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs: 8:30 am to 3 pm

Friday 8:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.

When entering the church please sign in and out on the sign out sheet just inside the main hall door.

NEW Memorial Angel Tree

This year “Angels” are being sold in memory of loved ones, with the proceeds going to our Renovation fund.

During Advent you can purchase an angel for a minimum \$5.00 donation, the name of your loved one will be attached to the angel and placed on a tree at the front of the nave. Angels can be collected at Epiphany.



This fundraiser both provides a memorial to loved ones, and also helps our efforts to raise \$10,000 for needed work to the church.

Designated Giving #67 is our Renovation Fund number for those who wish to specifically donate to this project.

Christmas Gift Planning **MADE EASY**

Our Gift Card Fundraiser can help to shop for those who have everything.

It is easier to shop with Gift Cards than with cash. Cards may be purchased during the week from Valerie, in the church office.

Through this fundraiser, purchasing a gift/grocery/gas card from the church, the companies give a % of the card value to the church. Cards are available from the church office through the week.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Give a gift of a BAS Book of Alternative Services (\$20.) or

Common Praise Hymn Book (words only) (\$25.).

Available to purchase by contacting the Church Office



King Albert School (Boots and Coats)

The school is in need of donations of winter coats and boots for their children - used is fine, if in good shape.

There will be a basket at the back of the church labelled King Albert Students.

The gifts for Queen Victoria students will be delivered next week.

Thank you all for your contributions for these children.

MEMORY LANE



2005 Children's Christmas Concert

THE GIFT OF YEARS - *Growing Old Gracefully*

The January book study will be four Mondays starting Jan 10 at 7pm on zoom with Donna Gushue as facilitator. **“THE GIFT OF YEARS”**, is a book of many short reflections. The author, Joan Chittister, a celebrated **spiritual** writer states “These are the capstone years, the time in which a whole new life is in the making again. The gift of these years is not merely being alive it is **the gift of becoming more fully alive than ever.**”

The introduction states: “this book (is) for those who do not ‘feel’ old whatever their chronological age, but one day realize with a kind of numbing astonishment that they have not managed to elude it...indeed they are getting older by the day. At least as far as calendar days go. But inside they **know themselves to be coming out of one part of life and going into another..... or is it only the beginning of a whole new kind of life...?**”

Further details: An opportunity to continue after January on a different day or time will be negotiated with those who would like to continue. Kent bookstore can order the book for total of under \$25.

Please register with St. Paul's Church office 705-324-4666.

DESIGNATED GIVINGS # 215 for the month of December will be in support of **Giving with Grace Healing Fund.**

Through programs of loving pastoral care. This is how we show our compassion, our shared sorrow, and our willingness to walk side by side with our Indigenous brothers and sisters who suffered through many generations for the harm caused by our church-led residential schools..