Warden on Duty for November

Dave Arnott

Tuesday, November 22th

2:00 pm - Allison Manor with Rev. Robin 6:30 pm - CLB

Wednesday, November 23rd

12:00 pm - Meals on Wheels 8:00 pm - ACW

Thursday, November 24th

6:30 pm - Choir Practice

Sunday, November 27th

8:30 am - Holy Eucharist BCP 10:00 am - Holy Eucharist/Men's Fellowship 7:00 pm - Gospel Hymn Sing

Sidespesons November 27th

Team #1, Gerry Fagan

Eucharistic Assistants November 27th

8:00 am - Madonna R.

10:00 am - Nancy Ann, Gerry, Isabelle, Shirley

Greeters November 27th

10:00 am - Betty Tilley, Phoebe Smith

Readers November 27th

Caitlin Taylor

Servers November 27th

Caitlin Taylor, Hanna Delaney

Prayers November 27th

Grace Woodland

Baptism Dates

Dec. 11th, Dec. 28th, Jan. 8th

Baptism Preparation Dates:

December 4th, February 5th from 3:00 pm—4:30 pm

Ultreya: November 30th. There is a change in location. Please note that the next Ultreya will be locaed at the Church of the Ascension, 58 Smallwood Drive, Mount Pearl. Music starts at 7:30 p.m., the Ultreya at 8:00 p.m. and fellowship at 9:00 p.m. All are welcome! As is our tradition, there will be no Ultreya in December.

Upcoming Meetings

A meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday night at 7 pm in the Blagdon Room with those responsible for organizing the following Worship ministry teams:

Readers, Planners, Prayers of the People, Greeters, Eucharistic Assistants, Sidespersons.

PLEASE Make every effort to attend.

Ex-officio meeting:

Our regularly scheduled ex-officio meeting will be held on Monday, November 28th at 7:00 pm

Vestry Meeting:

Our regularly scheduled vestry meeting will be moved from Tuesday, November 29th to Monday November 28th at 7:30pm

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THE CANDLE

November 20, 2011

Mission Statement

The purpose of All Saints is to be a family of worshipping Christians dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.

On behalf of the CBS/Paradise Community Food Bank we would like to thank each and everyone for your past and continuing support. Again this year our board has decided to prepare and distribute our Christmas Hampers in one day; therefore; we are asking the churches to accept monetary donations. Food items will automatically be sent to the Food Bank.

Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please feel free to contribute whatever amount you wish, no amount is too big or too small. We are responsible for 40 Christmas Hampers at a value of \$50.00 each.

Food hampers will be prepared and distributed on Tuesday December 20th. **Christmas Hamper Costs:**

Full Hamper	\$50.00
Turkey	\$20.00
Fruit/Vegetables	\$10.00
Other items	\$5.00

Fall Fair

A special thank you to our Fall Fair Committee for organizing and implementing a successful Fall Fair. John Henry Jowett once wrote that a "Ministry that costs nothing, accomplishes nothing." You gave of your time, talent and treasure and great things happened. Our parish hall became a beehive of activity as friends and neighbours came together: what a blessing to see all the happy faces working for God.

Sunday School:

We continue to look for volunteers to teach or assist with our Sunday School program on Sunday mornings. If you aren't available on a weekly basis you might be able to assist once a month. Our Sunday School will be in church once each month for an intergenerational service and in class for approx 1/2 hour every other Sunday.

Book Corner

Living Justice: A Gospel Response to Poverty is a book for Christian faith communities to live out the justice mandate to love the stranger, the widow, the orphan, and to seek just relations within society. We learn more about poverty in Canada and explore the Christian call to respond, and to seek for ways to make change. It includes reflections, discussion questions, activities and prayers. It is produced by Citizens for Public Justice. In a way it speaks to the current Occupy Movement's concerns.

What can prayer do for me? This is a question that might come to mind over the course of time.

Phil. 4:6-7 says: "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the **peace** of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

Dennis Fisher (writer for Our Daily Bread) says: "As we place our concerns in God's capable hand, we find a quietness that only He can provide."

Psalm 46:10 says: "Be still, and know that I am GOD."

Before you jump in and start praying for a new truck or to win the lottery, try something simple and worthwhile. Search for a little PEACE for your hectic life. Think about it. What is worth more than silver and gold? In my mind, the answer is definitely "peace of mind".

Have you ever awakened in the middle of the night? Afraid? Anxious? Unable to quieten your thoughts? Worrying about your family, and the world? My answer to this dilemma is PRAYER. Simply, ask God to take over all your cares and worries and replace it with a good nights sleep. Reflect on the words of Phil. 4: 6-7. It works!

Renovations Update

Phase 1 is complete with the exception of the main entrance doors and the exterior Cross. We are having crosses etched in the glass of our doors and this should be completed shortly. The exterior cross will be placed on the west side of the tower over the main entrance.

Phase 2 will include renovation, restoration and alteration to the interior. We anticipate completing the work in three stages as follows (A.) North wing (B.) South wing (C.) Center including chancel

We are gathering information regarding costs and making application to the Diocese for permission to begin phase 2 asap. We will keep you informed and we ask that you continue making your contributions to ensure a timely and successful completion of the interior work.

Thanks again for your contributions thus far.

Confirmation: is a choice not a requirement

Preparation for confirmation begins with regular Church attendance and Faith Cafe -- these are pre-requisites for the confirmation classes. Faith Cafe is held on the last Sunday of each month from 7pm - 8pm. Our next session is set for November 27th upstairs in the parish hall.

Mark your Calendar for 7pm on December 18th.

The Advent season is a time of preparation: as we ready our hearts and homes for Jesus. We will speak of the great joy, hope, peace and love that he brings. On December 18th we will gather as a community of faith to support those who will have a difficult time finding the gifts of the Christ child because of loss. They may have experienced the loss of independence, income, or loved ones. They may be feeling alone and lost themselves. Please prepare to join us for an evening of remembrance and thanksgiving as candles are lit, songs are sung and the gospel message is proclaimed.

Hold on my child, joy comes in the morning.

Sign-up Sheets

Are you interested in becoming a reader, sidesperson, greeter, or liturgical planner? Our teams would love to have you join them. Please sign up by placing your name, telephone number / email on the sheets that have been placed on a table at the back of the church or call the parish office during the week.

Thank Offerings

Thank offerings have been given to the Renovation Fund for:

- Rachel Fagan celebrating her 89th birthday on November 4th by Roxanne & family.
- Esther Greenslade celebrating her 95th birthday on November 11th.

Memorials

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Renovation Fund in Loving Memory of:

- Sam Bussey by Graham Taylor Tire Repair Ltd.
- ♦ Parents Isaac & Annie Jane Dawe, parents Harry & Lillian Haines by Bert & Jean Haines & family.
- Annie Greenslade (remembering her birthday November 18th) by Gloria & family.
- Father, George Porter (lost his life in the Garland Disaster while returning to work in the mines on Bell Island November 10, 1940); mother, sister, brother & other loved ones by Helen Chaytor.