Warden on Duty for Feb: Sandra Taylor

<u>Tuesday, February 21st</u> 2:00 pm - Personal Care Home Visit — Cluney's (Rev. Sheila)

#### Wednesday, Feb 22nd

12:00 pm - Meals on Wheels 7:00 pm - Ash Wednesday Service 8:00 pm - Choir practice 8:00 pm - ACW

#### <u>Sunday, Feb 26th</u>

8:30 a.m. - Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist 7:00 p.m. - Gospel Hymn Sing

Sidespersons, Feb 26th Team # 2, Dave Butler

Eucharistic Assistants, Feb 26th 8:30 a.m. - Barb Porter 10:00 a.m. - Sherry, Barb T, Nancy Ann, Gerry

Greeters, Feb 26th 10:00 a.m. - Cvril & Jane Peach

7:00 pm - Dot Davis & Jean Mercer

#### Readers, Feb 26th

Albert Ball Ruby Ball Jessica Davis Cecil Parsons

Servers, Feb 26th

Jessica P, Carissa H, Ashley E

<u>Today at 7pm</u> God's Story your Story: When His becomes yours.

Together we will look at how our life story is part of a grand, overarching narrative. Our church's journey of faith will continue to explore the divine story and discover God's divine plan for us.

<u>Baptism Dates</u> April 15th, May 13th, June 10th, July 8th

<u>Next Baptism</u> <u>Preparation Date:</u> March 25th, May 6th from 3:00 pm—4:30 pm

#### The Ed Sullivan Show is sold out !

Lenten Study

Topic: Women of the Bible Time: Mondays 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm starting February 20th to April 2nd Place: At home of Madeline Critchell (5 Venice Hts.)

Sign up at the back of the church or phone 834-9769.

The same study could be offered on Thursdays from 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm if there is enough interest.

Change in location for our 7pm Sunday Services Effective immediately ALL 7PM SUNDAY SERVICES will be held downstairs in our Parish Hall. This decision makes sense in light of the cost to heat our church building for the full day on Sunday.

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# THE CANDLE

February 19, 2012

Our regularly scheduled PRAYER AND PRAISE SERVICE for this evening has been cancelled for this week only.

# **Gospel Concert and Ecumenical Service**

As part of Winterfest 2012, the Town of Conception Bay South is pleased to present a Gospel Concert with Glen Tetford. Come out and enjoy and afternoon of music at the All Saint's Parish Hall at 2:00 PM on Sunday, February 19th. Admission is free for all with a goodwill offering during the concert. Following the concert at 4:00 PM, there will be an ecumenical service for residents of all faiths within the community. For more information on this event, please visit www.conceptionbaysouth.ca

<u>**The Ecumenical World Day of Prayer Service**</u> will be held at the Salvation Army Long Pond this year on March 1st at 7:30 pm. Refreshments will be served after the service. We would love to see you there - Come and bring a friend?

#### Shrove Tuesday

This is actually the day before Lent begins. The day is named for the shriving or confessing that was traditional on this day before beginning Lent. This day is also known as Fat Tuesday, because it was a time for eating the things from which one would abstain during Lent. Pancake suppers are traditional as they were a way of using up some of the ingredients not needed during Lent.

The ACW invites you to a Pancake Supper on Tuesday, Feb  $21^{st}$  at 5:30 pm. Cost: \$7.00 adult and \$3.00 child.

# **Financial report**

Day to day operation:

Total expenses for 2011 - \$348,870 Total income for 2011 - \$347,859While we have done everything we can to cut costs, we will need a total income of \$359,800 to balance our anticipated budget for 2012. It is important that you contribute through regular envelope offerings: don't assume that someone else will pay for the ministry you expect. Many thanks for your continued support.

#### **10 Second Sermons**

Some think of the church as a Winnie the Pooh pajama suit. Safe and warm, but they hope to goodness no one sees them in it. -Miilton Jones

# How To Drug Proof Your Kids

On March 5th - 7th, 7:30-9:30 PM, at Faith Pentecostal Church (36 Foxtrap Access Road, CBS), there will be a parent program on How To Drug Proof Your Kids. This program will equip parents, teachers and others, with education, tools and strategies to help steer children away from the harmful use of drugs. This early intervention program works to prevent adolescent drug abuse problems before they have a chance to start. Special guest for Session 2 on Tuesday will be Cst. Darryl Nixon of the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary. Please call 834-2806 to register or for more information. Deadline to register is February 17.

## <u>Stewardship Team</u>

Consider for a moment that everyone on earth has the same amount of time : 24 hours per day, 168 hours each week, 525,600 minutes each year. What makes us different isn't the amount of time we have but the way we exercise our gifts and talents within that time. We can waste time; we can spend time; or we can invest our time wisely. Stewardship is about faithfully developing and using our gifts, talents and resources within the amount of time God has allotted to us. In every stewardship relationship there are two parties involved: the master who hands out the resources and will one day ask for an accounting; and the steward who is entrusted with the resources and must eventually answer for how they were invested. God is the master; he distributes gifts at his discretion. We are stewards, accountable to him for all that we do with all that we have.

As a Christian community our goal is to respond positively to God's call : to make wise use of our time, talent and treasure. We are looking for a small team of people to head up a stewardship campaign: to educate and encourage good stewardship. If this is something you have a passion for / an interest in, please contact the Parish Office at 834-4501. Our first meeting will be scheduled in early March.

# Keeping a Holy Lent: What is the Season of Lent?

Lent is a season of preparation leading up to Easter. It is the forty days plus the six Sundays before Easter. (Sundays are celebrations of Jesus resurrection) For centuries, it has been observed as a special time of self examination and penitence. Lent is a time for concentration on fundamental values and priorities, and is not a time for self punishment. Throughout Lent, the worship services of the church take on a simpler tone, appropriate to this season. Banners are removed from the church. Crosses showing the risen Christ are veiled. The word Alleluia is not used in the words of the liturgy or hymns. These practices help the worshipping community to mark this season of renewal as a special time in the church year.

The custom is to mark the season of Lent by giving up some things and taking on others: we see it as a holy time of preparation. Lent is also an especially appropriate time for the sacrament of confession. While confession to a priest is not required to receive God's forgiveness, it can be a meaningful rite of reconciliation to God.

We also mark the season by attending midweek Lenten services beginning with our Ash Wednesday service on Feb  $22^{nd}$  at 7pm. We invite you to make these services part of your journey.

During our Sunday morning services throughout Lent we will be using a series entitled '*By My Hand: For My Sake*'. Look at your hands: amazing things – two palms, ten digits, capable of working in harmony and two thumbs capable of wielding a mighty hammer or a tiny tweezer: your hands have been marvelously engineered by God. The question is why?

#### Our AGM is scheduled for March 4<sup>th</sup> Pot-luck supper: 5:30pm Evening Prayer: 6:30pm

pm Meeting: 7:00pm

Those who vote and those eligible to be nominated for vestry must be a baptized member of this congregation, at least 16 years of age, and for three months prior to our AGM, must be involved in regular worship, fellowship, and financial support to our congregation.

Regular vestry meetings are held on the last Tuesday evening of the month and members are expected to be in attendance. The role of our members is to assist the rector and church wardens in the management of the affairs of our congregation. If you have an interest in administration and a willingness to take an active role in management, please give some consideration to serving on vestry.

If you are interested in being nominated for vestry please contact: Dave Arnott, Herb Butler or Sam Butler before March 1<sup>st</sup>.

# <u>Memorials</u>

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

- Evelyn Toope (remembering her birthday February 15th); Perry Toope (remembering his birthday February 28th) by Calvin & family.
- Mary Porter by Bill, Rita, Kirsten & Mitchell Haynes; Matilda Jefford, Ruby Jefford, Judy & Bren O'Reilly; Cheryl & Gus Doyle; Marie & Clarance Hallahan Graham & Sandra Taylor; Julia Batten ; Menzel & Lorraine Rideout; Nancy Dawe; Kim, Kyra & Tara; Krista, Chris, Josh & Alex Whitten; Enid & Gordon Haines & family; Heber & Patricia Best; Mary & Herbert Butler; Christina, Sam & family; Kelli, Chris, Nathan & Noah Evans; Pam & Rick; Ros & Rod Eddy; Elaine & Reuben Porter; Barb Coffin; Clayton Arnott; Aura & Jerry Farrell; Lori, Wayne, Delaney & Kennedy; Willis, Lorraine & Hilary Young; Wes & Judy Jefford.; Terry & Laura Butler; Steve Porter; Lisa, Jeff, Emily & Larysa Vincent; Phyllis Deering; Haydyn & June Petten; Victor & Patricia Petten; Walter & Donnie Yetman; Ronald & Mabel Coles; CSR Staff St. Claires Mercy Hospital; Crystal Butler & family; Tony, Tracy, Rebecca & Erica; Edward, Ada & Nina Porter; Alice & Dave Oake; Gloria Greenslade; Robert & Barbara Tilley & family; Claude & Donna Butler.
- Mary & Noah Porter by Stephen & Barbara Porter.
- Henry Petten by John & Marie Durdle.

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

- **Roy Greeley** by Genny Dale.
- **Fred Butler** by Arthur Butler.
- Parents Joseph & Fanny Porter, brother Noah Porter by Eric & Abbie Dawe.

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

• Fred Butler By Heather Greeley.

Memorials have been given to PWRDF in Loving Memory of:

• Mary Porter by Bill & Joan Blackmore; George & Clarissa Hiscock.