

Warden on Duty for December.

Gerry Fagan

Sunday, December 2nd.

8:30am- Holy Eucharist
10am - Holy Eucharist
7pm- Evening Prayer

Sidespersons, December 2nd.

Team #5 Alf

Eucharistic Assistants,

December 2nd.

8:30am- Barb
10am- Barb P., Enid, Rod and Barb T.

Greeters, December 2nd.

10am- Marg and Gerald Dawe
7pm- Madonna Lawrence and Sandra Taylor

Readers, December 2nd.

Men's Fellowship

Servers, December 2nd.

Emma Reid, Caitlin Taylor and Hanna Delaney

Blood Donor Clinic

Monday November 26, 2012 from 4:30pm to 8:30pm in Parish Hall

Vestry Meeting:

we remind our vestry members of our regularly scheduled meeting which has been set for Tuesday , November 27th at 7:30pm. Your minutes and reports are available for pick up at the main office. Please be sure to pick yours up in preparation for this meeting.

Schedule for Services of Holy

Baptism: Dec 9th

Our next baptism Preparation Class has been scheduled for 7pm on Dec 3rd

Choir Practice

Thursday, November 29th at 6:30pm

Counting Team, December 2nd.

Team #2 Bob Courage

ACW annual meeting, election and birthdays 8pm in the Parish Hall on Wed, November 28th.

Attention Parish Hall Users

All Saints is a beehive of activity: so many events with so many groups. What a blessing!! As you know we are in the midst of a major renovation project, but what we don't think about is the fact that because of renovations extra time is required every week to prepare our space for regular worship, weddings, and funerals etc. Our caretaker works thirty hours per week: not enough time to do everything for everyone. Let's respect our space and one another by doing our part.

THE CANDLE

November 25th, 2012

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.

Reign of Christ

Today we celebrate the Reign of Christ, marking the end of ordinary time and ready ourselves to enter into the festivities of Advent. We anticipate the day when God's reign will be accomplished in every human heart, and we pray as Jesus taught us " thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on Earth as it is in Heaven."

Renovation Update

Movement was a wee bit slower than anticipated but it's all coming together. Stained glass windows: The ladies have responded to the challenge to raise funds to cover the cost of restoration of these windows !! Our goal is to have them reinstalled in time for Christmas. They are currently being refurbished.

A new stained glass window has been commissioned and will be donated for our newly constructed chapel by a family in our parish. The stained glass that was in the old chapel will also be installed in our new chapel.

Our light fixtures have been ordered and thank offerings are coming forward to cover their cost. Large hanging lights cost \$300.00 each; small hanging lights cost \$200.00 each; wall lights cost \$100.00 each. Would you consider purchasing one or more of them for your church? What an awesome gift for the loved one who has everything!!

The north wing and our new vestry will be reopened soon and work is progressing on the East wall. Wiring is complete, insulation is complete, the inside wall has been framed out and prepared for our oak paneling. New cupboards are ready to be installed in the vestry and painting has begun. Our new window for the east wall is ready to be installed.

Steps to our North entrance are also under construction and interior doors have been ordered.

All of this is happening because of your willingness to donate your time, talent and treasure .

May God continue to bless our work.

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What's Happening ?

All Saints Dance Troop: continues to meet in the parish hall every Sunday following the 10am service. It is open to boys and girls ages 8 to 10 years of age.

Concert of Gospel Music on Friday November 30th at 7pm at All Saints Parish hall. Admission: \$5.00 funds are in support of building/ completing a church in Belize. A project of DAMA sponsored by our Men's Fellowship.

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

A information letter with attached envelope is at the back of Church for anyone who did not receive one on November 18th. The deadline is December 16th, 2012.

Advent Reflection

Advent is a time to prepare our lives - hearts, minds and spirits - for the coming of the Christ child. We sweep out the corners of our hearts, cleaning up the clutter, to make space for God's hope, peace, joy, love and presence. You are invited to join us at 9:30 on November 28th, Dec 5th and Dec 12th for a guided reflection on uncluttering our lives for Jesus.

Laughter is the best medicine!!

Three sons left home, went out on their own and prospered. They discussed the gifts that they were able to send home to their mother. The first said he was able to give his mother a new house . The second said he sent her a Mercedes with a driver. The third said he remembered how much his mom loved reading her bible. Her eyesight is failing so he sent her a remarkable parrot that recites the entire Bible. It took elders in the church 12 years to teach him. All his mother would have to do is name a chapter and verse and the Parrot will recite it.

Their mother received her gifts and sent out letters to her three sons as follows:

1. Milton, the house you built is huge. I live only in one room, but I have to clean the whole house.
2. Gerald, I am too old to travel, I rarely use the Mercedes and the driver is too rude.
3. Donald, the little chicken you sent was delicious. !

Our Annual Blue Christmas Service is set this year for 7pm on December 16th. We recognize that Christmas is a difficult time for those struggling with the loss of a loved one, loss of health, loss of income or the loss of life as you once knew it. We welcome you to this service and pray that the light of Christ will shine brightly upon you this Christmas season.

Memorials

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

- **Jordan Fagan** remembering his death on November 23rd, 2003 by Sandra, Michelle, Don and Families
- **Norman Porter** by Heber and Pat Best
- **Charles Garland Butler** and **Beatrice May Butler** remembering thier anniversary on November 29th by Calvin, Violet and family
- **Rosalind Butler** remembering her birthday on November 28th by Mom
- **Ros Butler** remembering her birthday on November 28th by Madonna and Francis

Memorials have been given to All Saints Parish Stained Glass Restoration Fund in Loving Memory of

- **Rosalind Butler** remembering her birthday November 28th by Doug and Betty Rideout
- **Mona Caines** remembering her death November 24th by George and Linda McDonald
- **Winnie Butler** remembering her death November 30th by George and Linda McDonald

**As a thank offering for their anniversary Dot and Ray Bishop and family have made a donation towards the cost our new light fixtures .
Happy Anniversary !!**

Men's Fellowship will be having a choir practice this Thursday November 29th at 7pm in the Church Hall.

Final numbers for the Fall Fair are still being received. Update for total numbers will be in one of the upcoming Candles.

Open House

You are invited to help Lillian Jefford celebrate her 80th birthday on November 28th by dropping by 284 Long Pond Road (next to Scotia Bank) from 2pm—4pm .

You have until December 31st to get your donations in to your Church for 2012. You may drop off your contribution to the office Monday through Friday from 9am to 2:30pm; or the collection plate on Sundays or the drop off box anytime night or day !!

Your contribution enables us to minister to you, your family, your neighbour and your friend.