

ALL SAINTS CANDLE – SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2019
Shining a Light on What's Happening in Our Parish

OUR MISSION - To be a family of worshipping Christians, dedicated to Christian Education, Spiritual Growth, Pastoral Care, Outreach and Fellowship.

CLOSURE - The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, April 20th in celebration of St. George's Day Holiday .

MOTHER'S DAY MEMORIALS - I know it's early, but time goes so fast, Mother's Day, May 10th, will be here before we realize it. We are now accepting memorials for our Mother's Day booklet . If you wish to have a memorial inserted, please get it to our office by noon, May 8th. This booklet can be viewed on our website at allsaintsparish.ca. under "The Candle" link. Your donation can be dropped in our drop-box located left of the parish hall main door or by eTransfer sent to donations@allsaintsparish.ca

MEMORIALS - Just a reminder that the Candle can still be dedicated in memory of a loved one, for a donation of \$25. It will be inserted on the front cover. You can also remember a loved one with a picture and a verse for a donation of \$50. These will be posted on our website with our regular memorials.

Virtual Church Services

Resilient and positive people always take challenges and turn them into opportunities! The Parishioners here at All Saints have been a resilient and vibrant group for generations, which is why we are not going to let this COVID-19 pandemic deny us the opportunity to celebrate our traditional Sunday morning services - just as we and our grandparents have been doing for decades. So here's the All Saints solution!!!

Each week Rev Wayne, Rev Sam, and our organist Gloria will be pre-recording an 08:30am BCP service, and a 10:00am BAS service. These services will be available for viewing by going to our website at allsaintsparish.ca, or through our Facebook page at facebook.com/AllSaintsAnglicanChurchCBS/

We will also be archiving all of our services, and they, too, will be available on our website, along with archived copies of **The Candle**.

My Dear Friends,

I wish to write you again today to communicate some developments, and to provide some further information to our wider Parish Family. As per the Bishop's latest Pastoral Letter #4, available on both our website and Facebook page, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the celebration of the Holy Communion and Holy Eucharist have been suspended indefinitely, until reinstated by the Bishop.

This includes any further pre-recorded liturgies from our Church. That said, we will continue to pre-record our Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Sunday liturgies and beyond (as long as we are legally permitted to do so), but all will be without the celebration of Holy Communion/Eucharist.

Although this is disappointing, yet fully understandable, please rest assured that we all remain in communion as the body of Christ throughout these challenging times. A time will indeed come when COVID-19 shall pass, and we will joyfully gather together as a worshipping family, celebrating in the sacred mysteries of the body and blood of Christ again through the Holy Communion/Holy Eucharist. Until that time, let us thank God for the privilege of technology to bring our Parish family together through our continued pre-recorded liturgies.

That said, I am very aware that some people do not have internet access, or are unfamiliar or uncomfortable with technology. That is why this week it is my goal to have a paper liturgy completed to send out. This bi-weekly endeavour will allow your Church to reach out and connect with you as well. It is hoped, just as the pre-recording of services, these paper liturgies will bring some level of comfort to you, and be reassured that we are with you through this together.

I want to assure our Parish family as well that proactive and regular communication between the Clergy, Parish Wardens and Vestry have been, and will continue to be a priority. As Rector, I communicate daily with Rev Sam, and the wardens and I are in constant communication. Likewise, I have sent Vestry several updates, and we are now having "virtual" meetings on a weekly basis. All of this as we endeavor together, by God's grace, to get through this, and indeed by God's grace we will.

I also wish to thank those who have been dropping their envelopes in the secure drop-slot (to the left of our main door), or who have now signed up for eGivings, or those who are regular eGivers - Thank You.

In closing, I wish to commend all our Parish staff for their unwavering commitment in these unprecedented times. Remember my friends, we are here for you, and you are and will always be our number one priority. Until we talk again, God Bless and stay safe!

With my love and every blessing,

Wayne+

AGM - has been postponed until further

VBS - We had made plans for this year's VBS to be held June 29th to July 4th, however, due to the COVID-19 it has been put on hold until further notice. Our theme for this year is "Rocky Railroad".

YOUTH MINISTRY - Will resume after Covid -19 has ended.

MEMORIAM - GENERAL FUND

- In loving memory of **Uncle - Alexander Crewe** by Leo and Gail Hollohan



2020-04-12	Weekly	YTD	Why not consider signing up to our e-givings program. It's an easy way to ensure you contribute on a regular basis, even during those periods when you are unable to attend church.
Budget	9,896.84	85,616.53	
Actual	4,441.00	47,958.31	
Difference	-5,455.84	-37,658.22	

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