

Announcements for Sunday, June 16

Readings for next week

1 Samuel 17:32-49	Psalm 9:9-20
2 Corinthians 6:1-13	Mark 4:35-41

Last Week's Attendance

Sunday 8:15: 30 10:00: 80 Wednesday:9
Livestream: 45 = 164

Givings

On the plate: \$ 7315 Auto Debit: \$2536

St George's June Neighborhood Block Party

We wish to invite everyone from St George's to participate in our first annual Neighborhood block Party which will take place on Saturday, June 29, 10 -3.

We will feature a Dunk Tank, Bouncy Castle, Sno Cones, Ice Cream, Games, Food Trucks and special guests/ visits from various community groups. This joyous event will be a chance for us to invite all who live in the neighborhood here to learn more about who we are and how we make a difference in our community. We will be looking for many volunteers to make this event a huge success! This is our opportunity to demonstrate how we are *Faith in Action!*

How Can You Help To Host the Block Party??

We are asking folks to bring a case of water in for Hydrating those who will attend the Event. Please, bring in the cases of water and leave them just inside the door at the top of the stairs. We will ensure they are moved to a central location! Looking forward to seeing you join us on Saturday, June 29th!

Ladies Lunch

This month we will finish up where we started in September. The Ladies' Lunch will be at The Country Boy Restaurant. On Friday 28 June we will meet at our regular time of twelve noon.

Please confirm your attendance with Sue at: suzie_del-simpson@outlook.com

Drayton Entertainment Outing

The outing to the theatre this year will be to see:

Doris and Ivy in the Home.

Thursday, June 27th at 2 p.m. at St. Jacob's Playhouse Theatre
We will have a Potluck lunch in the hall before and we will meet there at 11:45.

Tickets will be approximately \$50. Sign-up sheet in the Narthex. Everyone is welcome and it is always a fun time. Rides from the church to the theatre can usually be arranged. For information, see June Matheson, ph. 519 7462881.

Sunday Smile

Today we give thanks for all of the Fathers, Step-Fathers, the Grandfathers and all Father-figures who have helped shape us. All of the men whose strength, courage and compassion have been pillars for us to lean on. The men whose faithfulness has laid down an example for us to live by. The men who showed us how to love Jesus--love others--with an unquenchable passion. For loving us, guiding us, and showing us Jesus today we say: *Thank you! We love you!* Have a blessed Father's Day!

(submitted by Catherine Carlson)

INNISFREE DONATIONS – Last day for donations

Innisfree does wonderful work to support families going through a very difficult time in their lives. Their chef makes everything from scratch.

The following items have been mentioned specifically:

Apple; Cranberry and Orange Juice-NOT JUICE BOXES	
Nuts for baking	Coconut for baking
Chocolate Chips for baking	Pudding cups-any brand and flavor
Peanut Butter for PB cookies	Salted butter
Cans of Ginger Ale (regular and diet)	Crackers-
Ritz/Breton/Soda etc	
Beef/Chicken/Vegetable broth for soups	Small zip lock bags

Cake mixes & frosting
Paper towels
(main one 5.2 cup)

Bendy straws
Small storage containers

THANK-YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR OUR
OUTREACH INTIATIVES!
THROUGH YOUR GENEROSITY WE ARE ABLE TO HELP SO
MANY AREAS IN OUR COMMUNITY ❤️

Christmas Market 2024!

Attention to those who make jams or relishes or preserve pickles or beets! Please consider putting a few jars aside for the Christmas Market. Your efforts will be so appreciated. Thank you. Any questions can be put forward to Valerie Cuthbert (519-578-8671) or cuthben@golden.net.

We intend to have a Christmas Treasures Room again, so any items you think would be appropriate will be welcome in late October or November.

If you have any ideas about handmade items or stocking stuffers or want suggestions for what sells well, please contact Deb Chine at 519-744-4483 or dchine@hotmail.com. Thank you, Valerie Cuthbert

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All Saints Anglican Church, June 24 at 7:00pm. All are welcome.

OUTREACH NEWS BYTES

Lenten Coin Holders for Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (PWRDF)

Many thanks to Wendy Sherlock for organizing the Lenten Coin Folder initiative. The proceeds this year amounted to \$1232 and will be donated to the Primates World Relief and Development Fund as part of our annual donation in October at Synod.

Thanks to all who generously donated.

Pancake Supper

The Pancake Supper was held in February and raised a total of \$1091 that will go to support our two foster children. The cost of supporting our foster children is \$1056 per year. Thanks to all

who assisted in the preparation and providing the meals as well as those who attended.

St. John's Easter Campaign

Each year, we assist in contributing to the Easter meal provided by St. John's Kitchen. Thanks to the generosity of our parishioners, we were able to contribute enough juice mix to make 270 liters of juice, 257 large and 144 mini-Cadbury Eggs and 160 pieces of chocolate and Easter candy. Thanks to all who contributed.

St. Andrews Memorial Church Cupboard

St. Andrews provides food and other staples to the needy in their area. We continue to support this activity with generous donations of food and other products as requested by the organizers. We are proud of the positive impact that this has had on the community. Thanks for your donations to this program.

Children's Community Closet

On June 1, we once again conducted our CCC event in the Church Hall. Thanks to so many who donated gently used clothing, toys, books and other items for children as well as those who volunteered to put this on. This year over 40 families in our community were able to participate in the program. Thanks to Debra Zanon-Barkley for providing the leadership on this event again this year.

Innisfree Palliative Care Drive

In June, we will be accepting donations of dry goods in support of this excellent Palliative Care Facility. You can find posted in the narthex a list of the items that they have requested in support of their needs. Thanks to Heather Murphy for organizing this event and thanks to all that have and will donate.

Once again, this year, we will be serving ice cream at meals provided at St. John's Kitchen. This program has been appreciated in past years, especially on hot summer days. We need volunteers to assist in the serving of the ice cream. If you

are interested, please see the sign-up sheet posted in the Narthex.

The Outreach Committee

Thank you for your continuing support! Your generosity has been amazing!!

Just a reminder, new members are always welcome. If you would like to get involved in Outreach, please contact Heather Murphy (519-998-4975) or Dianne McCandless (519-807-9205). ☺

Holiday from Hunger

In 2022 we started the "Holiday from Hunger" campaign during the summer months when donations to St. John's Kitchen are reduced as people are away on vacation. The funds raised allow St. John's to continue their important work and purchase items needed to prepare meals. The Holiday for Hunger campaign is running from June 23rd to July 7th. A financial donation can be made to the Holiday for Hunger campaign by cash, cheque or E-Transfer to St George's stgeorgefhdonate@outlook.com. Please indicate on your envelope or E-Transfer that your donation is for St. John's Kitchen. Thank you for your support.