

## Announcements for Sunday, June 9

### Readings for next week

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| 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13        | Psalms 20    |
| 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17 | Mark 4:26-34 |

### Last Week's Attendance

Sunday 8:15: 27      10:00: 85      Wednesday 8  
Livestream: 56      = 176

### Givings

On the plate: \$ 2211      Auto Debit: \$2536

### Father's Day Flowers

There is a Father's Day sign-up sheet for flowers in the Narthex. Suggested donation is \$10. Father's Day is June 16<sup>th</sup>.

### 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!*

### 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.

### Big Box Fundraiser

You can purchase a box of beautiful 35 cards for \$35 dollars. Choose from an All Occasion Box, the Birthday Box or the Holiday box. You can view our sample boxes in the narthex after service and place an order with cash, cheque or e-transfer to St. George's. If sending an e-transfer, please indicate it is for the Big Box Fundraiser in the message area.

### INNISFREE DONATIONS - Sunday June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>

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:

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| 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                             | Bendy straws                      |
| Paper towels                                      | Small storage containers          |
| (main one 5.2 cup)                                |                                   |

THANK-YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT FOR OUR OUTREACH INITIATIVES!  
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](mailto: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](mailto:dchine@hotmail.com). Thank you, Valerie Cuthbert

### **Sunday Smile**

Feeling Warm?? We are prayer-conditioned!  
(Submitted by Catherine Carlson)

### **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.

### **St John's Kitchen**

St John's Kitchen provides meals and other support from people suffering from homelessness. This summer we will be raising funds in support of their "Holiday from Hunger" program. Donations can be made through church envelopes, to the office or via etransfer.

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). ☺