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Week of June 9th, 2019

The Flowers in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of:

- Isobelle & Ernie Young, much loved and remembered parents of Ginny & John Alsop & grandparents of Janesse & JJ.
 - Margaret Mary MacRae, daughter of Alex & Norma, & sister of A.J. MacRae.
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Choir Concert

Trinity Christian High School Choir will be visiting us next weekend from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and singing for us on Friday evening (June 14th) at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome! There is no charge but donations will be gratefully accepted.

Sundae Sunday

June 23rd

Save the date! Our annual summer kick-off is Sunday, June 23rd. Stay after the services for strawberries and ice cream. Everyone is welcome. It's going to be a great opportunity to catch up with friends and maybe make some new ones!

Cover some Bottoms

Between now and June 20th we are participating in a local drive to collect new underwear for those in need. Donations will be distributed through our clothing store and other charities in Burlington. You can place your donations of *new* undergarments in the box you will find in the Narthex beside the food donation bin. All sizes, for all members of the family are welcome!

Open Doors Summer News

We will soon be moving to a summer schedule: The last regular Kids' and Tweens' Clubs will be June 25th. Active Tots will run through July and take a break in August. Thursday Programs (Community/Seniors Lunch, Food Bank, Clothing Store) will be operating on July 11, 26, Aug 8, 22. All other programs remain on their usual schedule.

Faith Walk with Canterbury Hills Camp

The Canterbury Hills Camp Board of Directors wants to provide every summer camp staff member with a prayer partner; someone who will hold the staff person in prayer throughout the summer as well as meet with their person at the beginning, midpoint and end of the summer at a staff/partner event. Please contact Canon Christyn Perkons at 905-527-1316 x460 or christyn.perkons@niagaraanglican.ca with questions or to volunteer to pray regularly for a Canterbury Hills Camp staff member as part of your summer faith journey.

The **May Messenger** is available this morning. Be sure to pick up a copy to find out about everything that is coming up. The online edition is on the homepage of our website, in living colour!

For confidentiality reasons the prayer list does not appear online.

Graduation

If you, or someone you know is graduating from high school or university this spring, please let the office know asap. We'd like to acknowledge the occasion on Sunday, June 23rd.

Bible Study

Our last Thursday morning Bible study will be this week, June 13th at 10:15 am in the Family Room. We will begin meeting again in September.

Seniors' Lunch

June dates: - Thursday, June 13 & 27

Please join us for lunch at noon on the second and fourth Thursday of each month.

Bridge

Please join us for a game of Bridge. We will be playing tomorrow, Monday, June 10th, at 2 pm in the Preschool Room at the church. All skill levels are welcome!

Christmas Market Meeting

Planning is underway for this year's Christmas Market! The next meeting will be on Wednesday, June 19th at 7 pm in the Family Room. The Market date is Saturday, November 16th. Everyone is welcome to attend, we'd love to hear your ideas! For more information, speak to Trudy Johnson.

Have you considered a flower memorial to remember loved ones gone? If you'd like more information, Maryann Lennox would be happy to explain how the memorials are handled. You can contact her at 905.335.6946 or maryannlennox2@gmail.com or call the office.



FITS Donations

The generosity of parishioners has enabled us to provide subsidies to families for our day camp in the past. If you are able, we would appreciate donations for this purpose. Any excess funds would be used for additional supplies. We also happily accept donations of specific supplies. Thank you for supporting Fun-in-the-Sun. This is an amazing time of leadership development for our youth, and fun and learning for the campers. If you have any questions, please contact Trudy Johnson or call the office.

The Goods!

Change of date - September 21

We are accepting applications from vendors for a craft/makers market this fall. If you create wonderful items for sale, or know someone who does, we'd love to hear about it. Please call or email Christina for more information: opendoorsprograms@stcb.ca

Cash In for St. Christopher's

Once again we are offering an opportunity to donate broken or unwanted gold and silver jewellery, silver (sterling and plate) and coins and stamps as a donation to our debt relief. Bring your items to the church between 1 & 4 pm next Thursday, June 13th or Saturday, June 15th for evaluation. You will be issued a tax receipt for the value.

Fun in the Sun - Kingdom Rock

This year's Fun in the Sun summer day camp dates are July 29 - August 2. Registration forms are available on our website - stcb.ca, on the Welcome Table and in the office. For more information, please speak to Trudy.

Annual Author Pot Luck Luncheon

Please join members of the Book Club and meet author Kim Echlin on Wednesday, June 26th at noon. Registration is required. Please bring an item of food of your choice to share at the Pot Luck and a small donation toward costs. Contact Valerie Barnes at 905.639.7952 or vbarnes@cogeco.ca

Open Doors Clothing Store

The warmer weather has arrived and we are in need of spring and summer clothing for the whole family. Donations can be dropped off at any time during church office hours or during Clothing Store hours, Tues 4-6pm, Thurs 12:45-1:45pm or Sat morning 10am-12pm.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Our Prayer Shawl team members knit and crochet shawls and other items that we offer to comfort or celebrate life events. If you know of someone who might appreciate receiving a shawl, please let Jon or Donna Mawhinney know. The group meets monthly on the last Thursday of the month and new members are always welcome.

Spring is Sprung, the Grass is Riz...

Many thanks to our (small but mighty) team of people who maintain our lawns through the growing season! If you would be willing to add your name to the roster of folks we could call when there is mowing (ride-on and push) and trimming that needs to be done, would you please advise Sandi Smith or the church office. Your help would be very much appreciated.

Email Blast

Please be sure to give your email address to the office if you would like to receive the weekly News Blast. If you do not have an email address, you will find hard copies of the Blast on the Welcome Table in the Narthex.

Birthdays/Anniversaries

Birthdays this week

David Keech	Stephen Olynyk
Barb Phillips	Joan Taylor
Gayner Wood	Jeff Butt
Ethan Mohr-White	Allison Wright
Valerie Cant	Peggy Harris
Joan Wannell	Dot Anthony
Philip Henley	Mike Ravenscroft
Jane Swackhammer	Linda Thomason
Connie Carter	Kaye Foster
Maddison Williams	Dorothy Devney
Jasmin Dorsett	Mike Mawhinney
Bob Rudge	

Anniversaries this week

Laurie Boyes & Deidre Conway	(2)
David & Pat Lythgoe	(64)
Jim & Margaret Bentley	(65)
William & Rebecca Armstrong	(33)
Ted & Joan Taylor	(34)
Sherri & Jeff McGurk	(16)
Michael & Deb Peroune	(34)
John & Mimma Reszitynk	(34)

Services this Week

Thursday, June 13th

11:00 am Holy Eucharist

Sunday, June 16th

8:00 am Holy Eucharist

9:30 am Holy Eucharist

11:30 am Holy Eucharist

Child Care provided at the 9:30 Service

Meetings & Activities This Week:

Monday	9:30am	Fitness Class & Coffee Break
	12:00pm	Senior Singles Group
	2:00pm	Bridge Group
Tuesday	9:00am	Men's Cooking #1
	1:00pm	CMHA Counselling
	2:00pm	Seniors' Afternoon Social
	4:00pm	Free Clothing Store
	4:00pm	Kids' Club/Tween Club
	4:30pm	Food Bank
	6:00pm	Community Dinner
	7:00pm	Calling All Parents
Wednesday	9:30am	Fitness Class & Coffee Break
	10:00am	Active Tots
Thursday	10:15am	Bible Study
	12:00pm	Seniors' Lunch
	12:45pm	Food Bank
	12:45pm	Free Clothing Store
	1:00pm	Cash in for St. Christopher's
Friday	9:30am	Fitness Class & Coffee Break
	7:00pm	Trinity Christian HS Choir Concert
Saturday	10:00am	Food Bank
	10:00am	Free Clothing Store
	1:00pm	Cash in for St. Christopher's