

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS for February 5 - 11

Monday Feb 5	Office CLOSED Quilters meet 9 to 1 p.m. Tone Chimes at 7 p.m. in the Church	Thurs Feb 8	Office open 9 to 1 p.m. Yoga at 9:15 a.m. in the Hall Holy Eucharist Service at 10 a.m. in the Church followed by fellowship in the Lounge Lace Club meets at 10 a.m. in Room A Choir Practice at 7 p.m. in the Church
Tuesday Feb 6	Office open 9 to 1 p.m. Tai Chi from 10 a.m. to NOON – Beginners Bible Study at NOON in Room A	Friday Feb 9	Office open 9 to 1 p.m. Hunger for Healing at 10 a.m. in the Lounge Cursillo Meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Hall
Wed Feb 7	Office open 9 to 1 p.m. Tai Chi from 10 a.m. to NOON – Continuing Pastoral Care meets at 3:30 p.m. in Room A Concenti Singers meet at 6:45 p.m. in the Hall	Saturday Feb 10	Messy Church at 3:30 p.m. in the Hall
		Sunday Feb 11	Holy Communion Service at 8 a.m. in the Church Holy Eucharist Service at 10 a.m. in the Church

Starting February 6, **TAOIST TAI CHI** will be offering their beginner and continuing classes at St. Peter's Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Please see the poster in the Hall for more information.



The **NEXT MESSY CHURCH** will be on Saturday, February 10th from 3:30 until 6:30 p.m. Please join us as we explore how "Jesus lights up the darkness around us" with many challenging and interesting crafts. You may even learn how to do Morse Code. And our time together will include another fabulous meal prepared by our helpers in the kitchen.

CURSILLO means small course in Christianity. The next Cursillo weekend will be March 1-4. Deadline for applications is February 14. Questions? Chat with Rev. MJ, Peter Fowler, Keith Leewis, or Fred T. Dog, or any Parishioners who have attended a weekend (AKA Cursillistas - any who have attended a Cursillo). Cursillistas, are invited to meet on Friday Feb. 9 at 7 p.m. in the parish hall to discuss the upcoming Cursillo weekend and perhaps plan an Ultreya.

Our **NEXT YOUTH GROUP** is on Friday February 16th at 7 p.m. in the Hall. Movie night with snacks. Ends at 10 p.m.



The **ANNUAL MEETING OF PARISHIONERS (AMP)** is on Sunday February 18th following the **ONE service at 9 a.m.**

ST. PETER'S CRESCENT SOCIETY will also hold their AGM during the AMP. *All parishioners are members* and are encouraged to attend the AGM, or stand for election to the board. The next St. Peter's Crescent Society meeting after the AGM will be on March 8th at 7 p.m.

From Rev. MJ **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS** One of the actions taken at the Annual Meeting of Parishioners, is to elect a people's warden & members to council. Mark Oldnall has completed his maximum term (6 years) on council; therefore, he is ineligible to stand another term. Lynne Adam is willing to stand for election for People's Warden. I am appointing Chris Easley and Trish Peebles as co-Rector's Wardens. Further, I would like to have representation from the folks attending each of the Sunday services and those who might bring gifts and skills to the Council Table, that would reflect our mission statement. COME worship...GROW spiritually...GO and SERVE others... Please speak to myself or Trish Peebles.



Make a Joyful Noise unto the Lord! **JOIN THE CHOIR FOR THE SEASON OF LENT.** Rather than "giving up something for Lent" we are encouraged to take on a spiritual practice. Lent and Easter are the Most Holy of seasons in our church year. We invite you to come along on Thursdays at 7 p.m. and sing with the choir on Sunday at 10 a.m.

It's time to **BRING YOUR PALMS BACK TO CHURCH!** Please return your Palms and put them in the basket on the credenza or drop them off at the office. We will burn the Palms at the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper to make our ashes for Ash Wednesday!



The **SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER** is on Tuesday February 13 at 5 p.m. By donation. Please sign up to help! We will be joined by the parishioners of St. John's Duncan who hosted last year's well attended pancake supper! Please join us for this wonderful annual event.

The **ASH WEDNESDAY** (February 14) service will be in the Church at 10 a.m. At 7 p.m., our service will be in the parish hall and together, we will walk with Christ as we begin Lent with experiential practices. Join us for this unique and deeply spiritual journey into Lent. For further information please speak with Rev. MJ.

LENTEN QUIET DAY (with Sr. Brenda, SSJD) is on Thursday February 15th from 10 until 3 p.m. First, we will learn about Prayer Beads and how to make them. Then we will celebrate a NOON Eucharist and bless our beads followed by a simple soup and bun lunch. After lunch, we will learn the various prayer forms with our beads.

Our **NEXT PARISH OUTREACH BREAKFAST** will be on Saturday, February 17th at 9 a.m. Our guest speaker is St. Peter's own Robin Luxmoore. He will share a slide show of pictures from the 1950s of the people of the North and of early days in Yellowknife. A sign-up sheet is in the church hall.



Wednesdays at 1 p.m. is back! Join the **"THE GOOD BOOK CLUB"** during the seasons of Lent and Easter with other Anglicans around the world as together, we read and reflect on Luke and the book of Acts. See the flyer in your leaflet. Cost of all materials is by donation as they will be printed in house. Starts February 21st.

The **EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY** program will run in the Fall. It is not too late to express interest. We need a minimum of three new people for the group. Please speak with parishioner Peter Fowler.

WEEKLY MONEY COUNTERS NEEDED St. Peters Financial group needs your help to count the weekly donations which are deposited each Sunday. If you are able to assist with this vital ministry, please contact Paulette De Silva, Envelope Secretary at 250-748-5799 or via email paulettesilva@gmail.com. Your assistance would be required **ONE** Sunday per month, for approximately 1.5 hours after the 10 a.m. service.



KUDOS KORNER Kudos to Roger and Liz Williams who are always happy to step in and help. From preparing the Messy Church dinners and catering for various parish requirements to the creative and delicious birthday cake for our Rector. God bless these cherished meal makers and sweet providers. They have a true talent that fills the soul of our tummies.

Serving on Sunday February 4, 2018			Serving on Sunday February 11, 2018		
Rector:	Rev. MJ Leewis-Kirk		Rector:	Rev. MJ Leewis-Kirk	
Sacristan:	Kathy York		Sacristan:	Kathy York	
	8 a.m.	10 a.m.		8 a.m.	10 a.m.
Deacon:		Rev. Norah Fisher	Deacon:		Rev. Norah Fisher
Liturgical Asst:	Steffie Wood	Priscilla Lowe	Liturgical Asst:	Steffie Wood	P. Strong
Readers:	Jane Stewart	Bill Anderson Judi Anderson	Readers:	P. Thomson	Frank Bollinger Eileen Curtis
Intercessor:	Cathy Wilson	Tricia Datene	Intercessor:	Cathy Wilson	Judi Anderson
Chalice:	Marg Berikoff	Mark Hird-Rutter Jane Hird-Rutter	Chalice:	G. King	Midge Adam Mark Oldnall
Greeters:	Audrey Loewen	Frank Bollinger Barry Greenhalgh	Greeters:	Audrey Loewen	David Lowe Priscilla Lowe
Music Director:		Barry DeSilva	Music Director:		Barry DeSilva
Altar Guild:	L. Howie, G. King, B. Fulton, R. Luxmoore		Altar Guild:	G. King, G. Cox, K. Cloutier	
Coffee:	Bob & Gwyn King	Bob & Gwyn King	M. Johnson C. Wilson	M. Johnson C. Wilson	C. Smith B. Mercer
Readings:	Isaiah 40:21-31, Psalm 147:1-12, 21c, 1 Corinthians 9:16-23, Mark 1:29-39		Readings:	2 Kings 2:1-12, Psalm 50:1-6, 2 Co- rinthians 4:3-6, Mark 9:2-9	

Parish Directory			
Rector: The Rev. MJ Leewis-Kirk	250-619-7528 or stpetersrector@shaw.ca	Rector's Warden: Lynne Adam	250 715-7836
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Honourary Asst: The Rev. Chris Stoker	250 701-1014	Treasurer: Eileen Curtis	250 748-7548
Parish Administrator: Monica Gurzinski	250 746-6262 or stpeterschurch@shaw.ca	Music Director: Barry DeSilva	250 748-5799
Parish Nurse: Pearl Stoker	250 710-1212	Pastoral Care: Jennifer Perry	250 748-3250
The Parish Office is open Tuesday to Friday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Following a Statutory Holiday, the office is closed on the Tuesday and reopens on the Wednesday at 9 a.m.			