



E-News from the St. Mark's Pews 117th Edition - June 24, 2022

From the Wardens



It is summer and the temperature is rising. Better than winter!

What a wonderful dinner last Sunday honouring Donald Combe for his years of service to St. Mark's and a fundraiser for cemetery stone restoration. A huge thanks to Sally Mitchell, Trudi Watson and all the volunteers for a memorable evening.

We are on the countdown to Cherry Festival with 15 days to go. The teams have been hard at work and there is much excitement building towards festival day July 9.

Elsewhere in the E-News you will see various festival updates. Take a look and see where you can help. Please contact the office or Andrea Douglas at adouglas@bell.net to volunteer. Urgently required are ticket sellers. Also needed are two patio umbrellas with stands. Cherry Festival is St. Mark's largest fundraiser, and a day of fellowship and fun for the wider community and our parish. We look forward to a great day. Please join us!

As Cherry Festival donations for treasures, books and clothing are now being dropped off at Addison Hall and there is a lot of sorting, it would help if you advise the office if you are bringing an unusual amount of goods. It helps us stay organized!

Our summer students Alec and Nicholas are doing amazing work for us. They are very knowledgeable and helpful, and enjoy welcoming people to explore the history of St. Mark's and the cemetery. Visitors are encouraged to donate after the tours and the response has been amazing. There is also a new donation box in the church.

A gentle reminder that you can use debit or credit cards to provide your weekly or monthly envelope donations. Currently 6% of donations are made that way. Contact the office for assistance in details.

We try to ensure we are updating you on major activities and sharing important parishioner

news. Thank you to all who encourage us to provide this communication.

See you in church!

As always, a reminder to advise the office of anyone who needs assistance, including a phone call, food delivery or some phone companionship. Or over the fence.

Stay safe – keep well

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Your Wardens

Parish Updates

In-Person Sunday Services

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

10:30 a.m. Sung Eucharist

Wearing a mask is now an individual's choice
(not mandatory)

Live-Stream Sunday Services

[Click Online Worship Button on St. Mark's Website](#)



On Duty this Week

Greeter - Steve Hinchliffe

Reader - Jane DeMunnich

Intercessor - Gary Burroughs

Altar Guild - Jennifer Smith, Virginia Mainprize

Order of Service

The Order of Service can be found on our website: [Order of Service Web Site Page](#)

Church Bells

A reminder to all that the Church Bells play on Sundays at 12:05 pm. Enjoy!

Staying Up to Date!

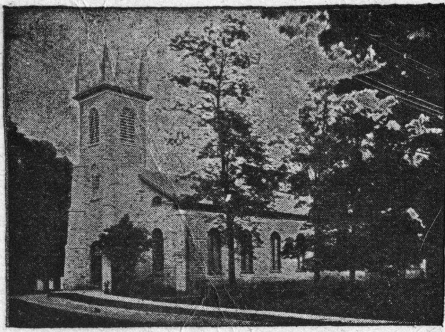
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Did you know...



NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE,
Sunday, October Thirteenth, 1901.

Did you know that in 1901 the future King George V and the royal entourage were to attend a service at St. Mark's and here is the invitation, but the Royals went to Niagara Falls instead.

Thank you to Donald Combe and Ann Lindsay, St. Mark's Archives, for providing these short informational pieces on a weekly basis for E-News.

Cherry Festival 2022 Saturday, July 9 - 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Items can now be dropped off at the Hall (with the exception of jewelery, see below).

Jewelry: *We are no longer accepting any more jewelry donations for this years Cherry Festival.* Thank you to all the kind donors for your generosity - our tables are filled to capacity!

From the Bakery Table:

If you can assist, please call Kathy Taylor 905.468.2536 or send her an email: kathytaylor2536@gmail.com to let her know what baking you would be able to provide. Thank you!



Donations of the following can be dropped off in Addison Hall now:

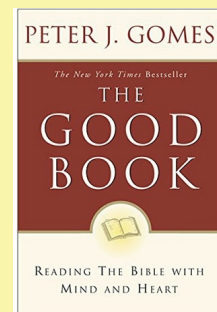
- **Good quality clothing** including hats, scarves, gloves and purses
- **Treasures**
- **Book donations are welcome**

Sorry, no furniture this year, thank you.

Bible Study via Zoom

We are sending Zoom invites via Constant Contact to those who regularly join the Bible Study group. If you would like to attend Bible Study via Zoom, please contact the Rector to have your name added to the distribution. rector.stmarks.notl@gmail.com

Bible Study continues on Monday, June 27, 2022 with continued discussion on The Good Book by Peter J. Gomes.



Morning Prayer Services - Wednesday Mornings - 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday morning Zoom services of Morning Prayer have concluded for the summer. We will resume them after Labour Day on Wednesday, September 7.

Weekly Prayers

In the parish cycle of prayer, we pray for John and Michelle Scott, John and Faye Shaver, and Brett Sherlock and James Booty and their families.

We pray for those shut in their homes, Fred Habermehl, Fred Dixon, Joy Ormsby, Selina Appleby, and Joan Draper.

In the Cycle of Prayer for the Niagara Diocese we pray for St. Mark's, Orangeville, The Venerable Peter Scott, Rector, The Reverend Deacon Richard Beaudoin, Deacon, The Reverend Canon Stephanie Pellow, Honorary Assistant, The Reverend Canon Lynne Thackwray, Honorary Assistant and the people of that parish.

In the Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Rt. Rev. David Parsons, Bishop; The Rt. Rev's Joey Royal, Annie Ittoshat, and Lucy Netser, Suffragan Bishops, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of the Arctic, and The congregations of the northern area of the Saskatchewan Synod.

We pray for the sick, especially remembering Jacquie White, Jack Taylor, Margaret Stimson, Terry, Jan Brown, Lisa, Dorothy Walker, Sharon, Dick, Bev Garrett, Jodey Porter, Sean, Joshua, and Ben Buholtz.

MUSIC NIAGARA FESTIVAL | 2022

Music Niagara 2022 Summer Festival

Visit [Music Niagara 2022 Summer Festival](#) website to view their summer schedule and to buy tickets. Many of the concerts will be held at St. Mark's.



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The Primate's World Relief and Development Fund is receiving donations for our partners in Ukraine. These include:

- Hungarian Interchurch Aid, supporting Ukrainians seeking safety on both sides of the Hungarian-Ukrainian border;
- HelpAge International, supporting seniors and their families seeking safety on both sides of the Moldovan border;
- Initiative E+, providing medical supplies, equipment and care to Ukrainians who have been injured by Russian attacks
- Fight for Right, supporting a 24-hour hotline for people in Ukraine with disabilities receive the care they need or safe evacuation

...And more.

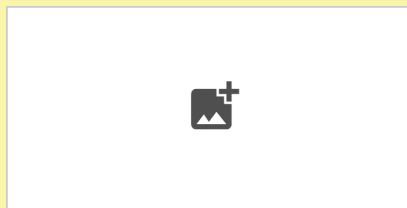
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To make a donation to this response online, [click here](#)

Please keep the people of Ukraine in your prayers. You may also donate by phone at 416-822-9083 or leave a voicemail toll-free at 1-866-308-7973 and we will return your call, or mail your cheque to PWRDF, 80 Hayden, 3rd floor, Toronto, Ontario, M4Y 3G2.

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