



Keeping in Touch

March 14, 2016

Holy Week Services



Palm Sunday, March 20

10:30 am worship service with communion



Maundy Thursday, March 24 at 6 pm

Our worship service in Ryerson Hall will include a simple meal. You are invited to sign up after church this Sunday or call the church office at 905-372-7911 if you plan to attend so we have some idea of how many guests to prepare for. If you are able to assist with food preparation, set-up or clean-up, you can volunteer for that as well. There is no charge for the meal, but there will be an opportunity for free will donation.



Good Friday, March 25

10:30 am worship service



Easter Sunday

7 am sunrise service at Victoria Park Gazebo.

10:30 am worship service at Trinity with baptism

Easter Flowers

If anyone would like to make a contribution towards Easter flowers for the sanctuary, please put it on the collection plate or bring it to the church office by Monday, March 21. Donations can be made in memory of or in honour of someone, and names will be published in the Easter Sunday bulletin. Please put your cash/cheque in an envelope clearly marked "Easter Flowers" and who you would like to remember/honour.



Vacation Bible Camp

Are you up for a summer ADVENTURE? Well then untie the ropes, hoist up the anchors and get ready to set sail! Trinity's Vacation Bible Camp will be *Sailing the Seas of Faith* this summer and we need all hands on deck. If you are interested in being part of the crew we are looking for captains (coordinators & counsellors) and first mates (registration, crafts, snacks, etc). Please talk to Nancy or Kristiane if you are interested in helping. And for the young CREW in this adventure, we will be starting registration after Easter. Here is the information you'll need to chart this course:



Camp Dates: July 18-22, 9am - 12noon

Theme: Sailing the Seas of Faith

Ages: SK - Grade 6

Youth Counsellors: Grades 7 & 8

Counsellors: Highschoolers + Adults

New Members

We will be receiving new members to Trinity on Sunday, April 3. If you are interested in joining the congregation through adult baptism, confirmation or transfer of membership, please contact Kristiane or Nancy at 905-372-7911

Sunday Night Supper Club

The Sunday Night Supper Club will meet next Sunday, March 20 at 5:30 pm for a potluck meal.

Insight Deadline

The deadline for submissions of the spring edition of INSIGHT, Trinity's newsletter, is Sunday, March 20th with a publication date of Wednesday, March 30th.

Submit your upcoming events, reports of recent activities and any news you want to share about members of our church family. Pictures and stories are most welcome.

Email your submissions to insight@trinitycobourg.ca or leave them in the INSIGHT mailbox beside the glass display case in the hall.

Please let Cindy know if you would like to receive your copy by email.

hoffman@trinitycoubourg.ca

Earth Hour



This is the 10th Earth Hour that individuals around the world have gathered in solidarity to mark by extinguishing their lights. It is more than an event. It has raised consciousness and made an impact of change in our global reality. The ecumenical dialogue between the Roman Catholic and United Churches has developed a Joint *Earth Hour Vespers*, drawing on the wisdom of both traditions and of all peoples – united to heal our planet Earth.

Saturday, March 19, 2016

8:30 pm – 9:30 pm

Join us to celebrate this Earth Hour at:

Villa St. Joseph Retreat and Ecology Centre

445 Monk St. Cobourg

905-372-2741

villa@eagle.ca

Condolences

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Carol and Ed Carman and their family following the death of Carol's father, William Ernest Sanders this past week.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Joseph and Jennifer McNutt and their family following the death of Joseph's brother Jeffrey Robert McNutt this past week.

Fare Share

Trinity United Church donated 294 lbs of food to Fare Share Food Bank in the month of February. Currently Fare Share is in need of the following items: canned vegetables and fruit, jam, Side Kicks, Kraft Dinner, canned stews and chili, instant oatmeal packages, men's deodorant and women's sanitary products. Thanks to Carole Quinn for delivering the donations in February and Kathleen Clark for helping with deliveries in March.

Doug Heard

Many of you remember Doug from his time as Trinity's minister in the '80's. After his time at Trinity, Doug became the minister at Woodroffe United Church in Ottawa. He has been retired now for a number of years and is currently living in Ottawa. Earlier this year Doug suffered a stroke and has been recovering in hospital in Ottawa. While he is making steady progress in his recovery, it is a slow process and very frustrating for Doug. His family – Stephen, Gord and Brian have provided us with his contact information. His birthday is this Saturday, March 20 and it would be a big morale booster for Doug to hear from some of his old friends here at Trinity.

By mail:

1195 Richmond Rd. Apt 2001, Ottawa, ON K2B 8E4
(his mail is picked up and delivered to him)

By email:

dwheard@sympatico.ca

(his email is checked and messages passed on to him)

Drive to Church



For a drive to church in March, please call
Gord and Mona Mavin at 905-373-4429.

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