



# St. Mark's Anglican Church

## **"PARISH PULSE"** NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK'S CHURCH **SUNDAY, MARCH 16**

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**A Child-Friendly Evening Service of Communion** with A Potluck Supper will happen on Sunday, April 6th, at 5:30pm. Rev. Denise will coordinate the evening with your help and participation. Please contact her to help out!

**A Baptismal Journey** - Jacob and David Higginson are on a baptismal journey this Lent. Please pray for them during this time!

**A Communion Program for Children** – "Life in the Eucharist: A Communion Program for Children", will be offered soon. A meeting will be held on Sunday, April 13th following the 10am service. The meeting is for parents/guardians, children ages 4-9 years, and those wishing to be companions to the families who will participate. Please contact Rev. Denise if you are interested or for any questions.

**Nursery Wish** List - With your help we can create a new and improved space for parents to come to worship with their infant/toddler on Sunday mornings. If you have one or more of the following, in new or nearly new condition, please contact Rev. Denise... \*\* change-table; \*\* crib; \*\* standing room screen(s); & \*\* nursing rocker(s). Thanks for your consideration of this vital ministry need.

**Prayer Chain Contact** is Lynne Hurd and she can be reached by calling: 604-542-2772, or by writing to her at [lynneh1@telus.net](mailto:lynneh1@telus.net).

**Seniors News** – Wednesday Get Togethers are alternate Wednesdays (until further notice) with the next one on **March 19**. Join us at 1pm in the Family Room for games, or in the Library for conversation, both followed by light refreshments, tea and coffee at 2:30pm in the Family Room. For information on upcoming events please call Sue at 604-531-4931 or email Sue at [sinder@shaw.ca](mailto:sinder@shaw.ca), or call Janet at 604-531-9585.

It is time once more to consider what plays and musicals we wish to see this summer season:

- Tickets are available for the Gilbert & Sullivan Society's HMS PINAFORE at White Rock Playhouse, for Thursday, May 8, 8pm performance; cost is \$27 per person and rides will be arranged for those who need them. Call Sue or Janet;
- Renewal notices are arriving daily for the 2014-2015 VSO season tickets. If you are presently a season ticket holder with our senior's group, please notify Sue if you wish to renew for next season. The program for next year is available for viewing if you see Sue after church on Sunday; and
- Theatre Under the Stars has two productions: "Schreck – The Musical" and "Legally Blond". A possible date for "Legally Blond" (a repeat of last year's successful and popular run) would be on a date during the last week of July or the first week of August. Please contact Sue or Janet if you wish to see this show.

**Youth** – Youth Alpha takes place on Sundays, at 10am until Sun. April 13. Today's topic is: "Spirit: Who Is The Holy Spirit And What Does He Do?" All middle/high school students are invited to join us in the Youth Room each week for breakfast and a time of fellowship and discussion. Please contact Josh at: [youth@stmarkbc.org](mailto:youth@stmarkbc.org), or call 604-614-5852 for more information.

**ACW Bales To The North** – Your donations of used clothing are to be put in the box in the Narthex until March 30. Thank You!

**Sunday School** - The focus this week is "Nicodemus Comes To Jesus At Night". John 3:1-21

**Next Week's Bible Readings** – Exodus 17:1-7, Psalm 95, Romans 5:1-11, John 4:5-42

**The Pie Guy** – Order your pies from Brian! \$12 for each full pie, or \$6.50 for each half-pie. Choose from Apple, Blueberry, Strawberry, Raspberry, Peach, Rhubarb, or any “combo” of berries. Or, order a signature Goat Cheese & Blueberry pie for \$15 each, or \$8 for a half-pie. Need a brunch or dinner suggestion? Savoury Tourtiere pies are \$18 each or \$9 for a half-pie. Brian can be reached at 604-538-0269 or at [thepieguy@shaw.ca](mailto:thepieguy@shaw.ca)

### **OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday - Thursday**

**9am to 3pm**

**Friday 10am to 1pm**

### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Monday, March 17**

9am – Exercise Class - H

#### **Tuesday, March 18**

9:30am – Bible Study - FR

7-9pm – Youth Group – Y

7pm – Bible Study - O

7pm – Evening Guild - FR

#### **Wednesday, March 19**

9am - Exercise Class – H

10am – Service is CANCELLED

1pm – Seniors Group – FR/L

7:30 - Choir Practice – S

#### **Thursday, March 20**

1pm – Funeral – Sanctuary

2:30pm – Outreach Comm. EdC

7:30pm- Lenten Series - FR

#### **Friday, March 21**

9am – Exercise – EdC

### **LENTEN SERIES:**

Thursdays at 7:30pm –

**March 20 & 27 – EdC**

#### **Sunday, March 23**

“Souper Sunday”

#### **Sunday, April 6**

5:30pm Child-Friendly

Evening Service of

Communion, with a Potluck

Supper

#### **Sunday, April 13**

Following the 10am Service –

Meeting for parents &

guardians, and children ages

4-9, regarding “Life in the

Eucharist: A Communion

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