



St. Mark – Ocean Park Anglican Church

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Blessing Of The Animals-Next Sunday, October 4, at the 10am Service we will celebrate the Ministry of St. Francis of Assisi with owners and their pets. Please keep your tigers on a leash. All other canine and felines should also be leashed. Nothing larger than an elephant, please.



Souper Sunday Starts Today!

The first Souper Sunday of the Season is today and Italian Minestrone is the soup of the day. It is available in the Hall after both the 8am and 10am services. The total soup sales will be donated to a local organization. Your Community Outreach Ministry is blessed with your continued support. If you would like to know more about this Ministry please contact Barbara Grantham.

Flowers for the Altar-are given today to the Glory of God.

Lunch Basket for Hungry Children-is provided this week to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for God's many blessings.

Prayer Chain Contact-is Maggie Ferguson. She can be reached at maggieferguson@telus.net or at 604-538-6160.

St. Mark's Youth- Youth Nights are Tuesdays at 7pm in the Youth Room. Join our Facebook page or sign up for our newsletter at www.stmarkbc.org/youth.

Looking Ahead To Thanksgiving-The Altar Guild is seeking fruits and vegetables to be used in the Altar's Thanksgiving display, on Sunday, October 11. Please put any donations in the bin provided in the Narthex no later than Friday, October 9.

Attention All Newcomers-An invitation to all folks who are newish at St Marks; we'll have a light luncheon after church on Sunday, October 18. It is a chance to meet some of the crew and learn a little about our church community. Come join us in the Family Room (just off the Sanctuary) after the 10am service. Please RSVP to Holly.

"PARISH PULSE" NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK'S CHURCH **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2015**

Next Sunday's Bible Readings-Genesis 1:27-31, Psalm 148:7-14, Matthew 11:25-30

Seniors News

Wednesday Get-Togethers for conversation in the Family Room and games in the Hall, from 1pm to 3:30pm, with refreshments at 2:30pm. Alternate Wednesdays until mid-December. The next one is on Wed. Oct. 7

For information regarding other outings please contact: sinder@shaw.ca 604-531-4931 (Sue) and acormode@shaw.ca 604-531-9585 (Janet)

First Fruits Garden Project- The last Sunday for the Garden Project is today. Many thanks to all who contributed so generously to this fundraising adventure.

Bible Study Opportunity-Betty Bear is leading a study of the Book of Romans, Tuesday mornings in the Family Room from 9:30am to 11:30am. The first Tuesday is Sept. 29, wrapping up on Tues. Dec. 1. For further information please call Betty at 778-294-0966.



St. Mark's Ocean Park invites you and your neighbours to a...

Family Dance

Celebrate the Feast of All Saints with dancing for all ages!

At 6pm Friday, October 30

Saint costumes are welcomed! DIY (do-it-yourself)

www.catholicinspired.com/2012/09/all-saints-day-diy-costumes-games-and.html

www.pinterest.com/lizyork27/all-saints-day-costumes/





Singing Prayers

An hour of sung prayer for all ages!

At 6 pm Sundays:

October 18th,

November 15th

and December 13th.

PWRDF Christmas Cards

These beautiful Christmas cards are a wonderful way to spread the word about The Primate's World Relief and Development Fund's important work and to support PWRDF's relief and development partners' around the world at the same time.

Packs of 12 cards and envelopes.

A recommended donation of \$20 per pack to support PWRDF's work is invited.

Two designs to choose from:

Holy Family and **Nativity Play**, both by Visible Spirits

Cards may be ordered through our PWRDF parish representatives, Roberta & John Braddock, or directly from PWRDF by calling:

1-866-308-7973 FREE or 416-924-9199, ext. 318



"Nativity Play" (right) and "Holy Family" Christmas cards are now available.

OFFICE HOURS

9am to 12 noon on Monday

9am to 3pm Tues. through Thurs.

9am to 12 noon on Friday

Upcoming Events

Monday, September 28

9am – Exercise - Hall

Tuesday, September 29

9:30am – Bible Study – Family Room

7pm – Youth – Youth Room

7:15pm – ESL Bible Study – Education Centre

Wednesday, September 30

9am – Exercise - Hall

10am – Service – Sanctuary

7:30pm – Choir Practice - Sanctuary

Thursday, October 1

7pm – Journey of Christmas Mtng. – Family Room

Friday, October 2

9am – Exercise – Hall

