



## St. Mark – Ocean Park Anglican Church

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**Operation Christmas Child**-The youth group invites you to share the love of Christ with a child this Christmas season by filling a shoebox! Pick up a shoebox with brochure in the Narthex. Drop off your box at the church Office or in the Narthex no later than Sunday, Nov 15. You may also drop off boxes from Nov. 16-20 at South Langley Church between 9-4pm. Contact [youth@stmarkbc.org](mailto:youth@stmarkbc.org) if you have questions.

**The Healing Service**-Healing Service with the Eucharist, 10am this Wednesday, October 21 – Come and experience the healing touch of our Lord Jesus. Everyone is welcome. **James 5:16** "...pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous (person) is powerful and effective."

**Flowers for the Altar**-are given today by Craig and Holly Tanksley in thanksgiving to God for the love of our families and for our wonderful parish family at St. Mark's.

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

**Next Sunday's Bible Readings**-Job 42:1-6, 10-17, Psalm 34:1-8, 19-22, Hebrews 7:23-28, Mark 10:46-52



**Tonight ! Singing Prayers**-An hour of sung prayer for all ages! At 6 pm (also on Sun. November 15<sup>th</sup> and Sun. December 13<sup>th</sup>.)

**Prayer Chain Contact**-Maggie Ferguson is the contact and can be reached at: 604-538-6160; or [maggieferguson@telus.net](mailto:maggieferguson@telus.net)

**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](http://www.stmarkbc.org/youth).

## "PARISH PULSE" NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK'S CHURCH SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2015

**Attention All Newcomers**-An invitation to all folks who are newish at St Marks; we'll have a light luncheon after today's 10am Service. This is a chance to meet some of the crew and learn a little about our church community. Come join us in the Family Room located just off the Sanctuary.

**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 this Wednesday, October 21. For information regarding other outings please contact: [sinder@shaw.ca](mailto:sinder@shaw.ca) 604-531-4931 (Sue) and [acormode@shaw.ca](mailto:acormode@shaw.ca) 604-531-9585 (Janet)



### Library News

Harry T. Burleigh, once world-renowned for his career as a beautiful baritone soloist, an arranger of Negro spirituals, and a composer in his own right, is lifted out of obscurity by Craig von Buseck in **Nobody Knows**. This inspiring true story will take you back in time to Southern plantations and Northern boom towns, to minstrel shows and soaring sanctuaries, and into the heart of a man who never suspected that God had destined him for greatness.

**6pm Family Dance**-St. Mark's Ocean Park invites you and your neighbours to Celebrate the Feast of All Saints, with dancing in the Hall for all ages! **Friday, October 30** Saint costumes are welcomed! DIY (do-it-yourself) [www.catholicinspired.com/2012/09/all-saints-day-diy-costumes-games-and.html](http://www.catholicinspired.com/2012/09/all-saints-day-diy-costumes-games-and.html) [www.pinterest.com/lizyork27/all-saints-day-costumes/](http://www.pinterest.com/lizyork27/all-saints-day-costumes/)



**Order of the Diocese of New Westminster**-This is a notice of a change in the time of the Investiture of New Members to the Order of the Diocese of New Westminster (ODWN) Eucharist, to take place at the Massey Theatre in New Westminster (735 8<sup>th</sup> Ave.), on Sun. Nov 1, 2015. The Investiture Service will begin at 7pm. Attendance is by invitation. If you have any questions please contact Bill Siksay at the Diocesan Office: 604-684-6306, or [bsiksay@vancouver.anglican.ca](mailto:bsiksay@vancouver.anglican.ca)

## **OFFICE HOURS**

**9am to 12 noon** on Monday  
**9am to 3pm** Tues. through Thurs.  
**9am to 12 noon** on Friday

## **Upcoming Events**

### **Monday, October 19**

6am to 9pm – Hall – Voting Place, Federal Election  
9am – Exercise – Education Centre

### **Tuesday, October 20**

9:30am – Bible Study – Family Room  
7pm – Ladies Evening Guild Mtng.. – Family Room  
7pm – Youth – Youth Room  
7:15pm – ESL Bible Study – Education Centre

### **Wednesday, October 21**

9am – Exercise - Hall  
10am – Healing Service – Sanctuary  
1pm – Seniors Get-Together – H & K & Family Rm  
7:30pm – Choir Practice - Sanctuary

### **Thursday, October 22**

1pm – Outreach Comm. Mtng. – Family Room

### **Friday, October 23**

9am – Exercise – Hall

### **Sunday, October 25**

“Souper Sunday”



