



St. Mark – Ocean Park Anglican Church

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Bible Readings for Next Sunday – Isaiah 9:1-4, Psalm 27:1, 4-9, 1 Corinthians 1:10-18, Matthew 4:12-23

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



SOUPER SUNDAY is next week January 22! It will be available in the church Hall after both the 8am and 10am services.

Congregational Meeting -The Strategic Planning Committee continues to dialogue with parish groups, evaluate information gathered, and form some recommendations for Parish Council. Many meetings have taken place, some have been cancelled due to weather, and some groups have been overlooked. At this point we would like to meet with the congregation to further this process. Please join us for a short consultation meeting in the Hall after the 10am service on Sun. January 29.



Library News

Haunted by the unknowns of their pasts, two women search for answers along the shores of Lake Michigan. The past and present collide as Anna and Geesje seek clarity, but neither expects the revelations that await them. **Waves of Mercy** by **Lynn Austin** fulfills all expectations of an Austin novel.

"PARISH PULSE" NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK OCEAN PARK **SUNDAY, JAN. 15, 2017**

Prayers for Upcoming Vestry - Please pray for God's choice for People's Warden and may those who are suitable and available for this position carefully consider this important and fulfilling ministry.

Flowers for the Altar – are given today by Betty Bear to the Glory of God and praising God for her husband who has a January birthday.

Safety Notice

Parents with small children, please remember to encourage your little ones not to run inside the church building during coffee hour as it is dangerous for some of our older members. In addition, young children need to be supervised when outside to ensure their safety. At the same time, let us, as a church family, remember that it takes a village to supervise busy children and your encouragement is much appreciated.
- The Wardens

Prayer Chain Contact - The Coordinator is Lynne Hurd. You may reach her at lynneh1@telus.net or at 604-542-2772

The Healing Service – with the Eucharist, 10am this Wednesday, January 18 – 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."

Morning Bible Study – starts again on Tuesday, Jan. 24 at 9:30am (to 11:30) in the Family Room.

Contribution Envelopes - If you wish to pick up your envelopes, please ask one of the Greeters to help you do so.

Upcoming Events

Monday, January 16

9am – Exercise – Hall

Tuesday, January 17

2pm – Ladies Guild Meeting – Family Room

6pm – Men`s Club - Hall

7pm – Youth – Youth Room

Wednesday, January 18

9am – Yoga Exercise – Education Centre

10am – Healing Service – Sanctuary

1pm – Seniors Get-Together – Hall & Family Room

7:30pm – Choir Practice - Sanctuary

Friday, January 20

9am – Exercise – Hall