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Ministry Reports For Annual Vestry Meeting

Thank you so much, to all Ministry Leaders who have submitted their Ministry Reports for the 2016 Annual Report.

This notice is a reminder to Ministry Leaders to please submit any remaining reports now. We are under very tight timelines to collate, format and proof read all the Ministry Reports before we can assemble and produce the Annual Report. We need to receive your Ministry Report by Monday January 9, 2017, to guarantee that it will be included in the Annual Report.

Please email your Ministry Report in an Arial, 10-point font Microsoft Word document to Sheila at office@stmarkbc.org

Thank you and God bless. - Your Wardens

Emergency Maintenance

Dec. 5th, 2016 to Jan. 15th, 2017 – Don will be away in Florida so will not be available.

Jan. 8th to Jan. 13th, 2017 Ken will be away skiing and thus unable to take phone calls.

In Ken's case in severe emergency conditions, Ken can be reached on his cell but it will be long distance.

Cell no. 612-710-0246.

In their absence Phil Tubbs has agreed to look after any problems. His phone number is 604-531-0847.

<u>Bible Readings for Next Sunday</u> – Isaiah 49:1-7, Psalm 40:1-11, 1 Corinthians 1:1-9, John 1:29-42

<u>Lunch Basket for Hungry Children</u> – is provided this week by Elli Mitchell to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Mom, Emma Lemmer.

"PARISH PULSE" NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK OCEAN PARK

SUNDAY, JAN. 8, 2017

<u>Flowers for the Altar</u> – are given today by Isabel Chernoff to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her parents Marjorie and Neil MacDonald.

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

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



Library News

Winter is on us and it is cold out there so curl up in your warm home with a book to get you through the cold weather. **Annabel Lee** by **Mike Nappa** is a chilling suspense that will keep you glued to your couch to the last page. There is Annabell hiding in an underground bunker, Trudi trailing the mysterious Dr. Smith, and Samuel the ex-partner. This fast paced thrilled is worth a read.

<u>Contribution Envelopes</u> - are available for pick up today in the Sanctuary.

Over at Holy Trinity – On Fri. Jan. 27 there will be a Dinner & Dance, featuring the music of "Silverstars". Tickets were \$35 but have been reduced and are now \$30. They can be reserved by calling 604-531-0884.

Upcoming Events

Monday, January 9

9am - Exercise - Hall

Tuesday, January 10

2pm – A.C.W. Meeting – Family Room 7pm – Youth – Youth Room

Wednesday, January 11

9am – Yoga Exercise – Education Centre 10am – Service – Sanctuary 7:30pm – Choir Practice - Sanctuary

Thursday, January 12

10am – Outreach Committee Mtng. – Hall

Friday, January 13

9am - Exercise - Hall