



## St. Mark – Ocean Park Anglican Church

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### **"PARISH PULSE"** NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK OCEAN PARK **SUNDAY OCTOBER 14, 2018**

#### **YOU ARE INVITED**

All Parish Ladies, Families & Friends, come to the Sample Sale on Sat. Oct. 20 from 12noon to 4pm (drop-in). Hosted by the St. Mark's Ladies Guild, you will see products including clothes, handbags and accessories. Peter Hygard products featured – Alia-Tanjay-Nygard. For more information contact Linda O'Donovan at 604.536.7983, or email [lindaodee@hotmail.com](mailto:lindaodee@hotmail.com)

#### **BIBLE READINGS FOR OCTOBER 21**

Job 38:1-7, 34-41, Psalm 104:1-9, 24, 35, Hebrews 5:1-10, Mark 10:35-45

#### **NEWCOMERS FELLOWSHIP ON OCTOBER 21**

To all folk who are new (or relatively so!) to St. Mark Ocean Park, you are welcome to join us for a Newcomers luncheon and fellowship on October 21 after church. This is a fun opportunity to meet folk and learn about St. Mark's community and outreach.

**PRAYER CHAIN** - The Coordinator for the Prayer Chain is Maggie Ferguson who may be reached at 604.538.6160 or at [maggieferguson@telus.net](mailto:maggieferguson@telus.net) Please give your requests to Maggie & she will send them out to the rest of the members of the chain, which now numbers 20 men & women, for daily prayer during their quiet time. Please renew or update your requests every two weeks as needed.

**FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR** – are given today by Hilda Smith to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband Les, who she married 70 years ago today and her son Derrick who died 42 years ago today. Both still loved and missed.

#### **Change of Heart Sunday Contemplative Evening Prayers**

We will gather this evening, Sunday, October 14th, at 7:00 in the Family Room for a shared experience of contemplative prayer. Through the led practice of Lectio Divina, we will have a time to come together in the silence, let go of our busy lives, open our hearts and listen deeply to God. All are welcome! Please join us!

- Janet Scott, Coordinator

**THE LUNCH BASKET FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN** is provided this week by Larry and Merilee Trask to the Glory of God and in honour of their grandson Kayden's birthday.

**PWRDF** – This is the first in a series of 10 "partners & innovative ideas that have made a world of difference" articles. **Engaging Canadians Through Reconciliation** With the Truth & Reconciliation Commission's 94 Calls to Action, PWRDF has deepened its ties with Indigenous Canadians. We have partnered with First Nations organizations on language curriculum development as well as microfinance initiatives. In supporting the retrofit of homes with clean water in Pikangikum, Ontario, Anglicans fundraised, organized water walks and learned about the sacredness of this basic right that so many take for granted. A new Indigenous Midwives program is sharing the efficacy of Indigenous midwifery in Canada with "parteras" in Peru and Mexico, enabling a partner statement at the United Nations. With our *Mapping the Ground We Stand On* workshop, Anglicans are learning about the colonization of Canada from an Indigenous perspective.

# Invitation for all Parish Ladies, Families, and Friends

## Sample Sale

October 20, 2018

12 - 4 Drop-in

Featuring products by

Peter Nygard

Nygaard - Alia - Tanjay

Hosted by St. Mark's Ladies Guild.

Products include clothes,  
handbags, and accessories.

Refreshments Served.

For more info contact Linda O'Donovan

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### QUICK LOOK AHEAD

Tues. Oct. 16 2pm Ladies Guild Meeting  
Sat. Oct. 20 12noon to 4pm Ladies Guild Sample Sale  
Sun. Oct. 21 Souper Sunday  
Sun. Oct. 21 Newcomers Fellowship  
Tue. Oct. 23 7 pm Parish Council  
Sat. Oct. 27 Anti-Racism Policy Workshop at St. Matthew's  
in Abbotsford  
Sun. Oct. 28 7pm Contemplative Prayer  
Sat. Nov. 3 10:30 am Investiture of the Order of the Diocese  
of New Westminster (ODNW) Massey Theatre, New Westminster  
Tues. Nov. 6 1pm Prayer Shawls  
Sat. Nov. 10 Remembrance Day concerts Contact: Denny O'Donovan  
Sun. Nov. 11 Remembrance Day Sunday  
Tues. Nov. 13 2pm ACW Meeting  
Tue. Nov. 13 6 pm Men's Club dinner: Special presentation about  
last spring's pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Presented by Craig & Holly  
Sat. Nov. 17 Metal Recycling  
Sun. Nov. 18 Souper Sunday  
Tues. Nov. 20 2pm Ladies Guild Meeting  
Sun. Nov. 25 7pm Contemplative Prayer  
Tue. Nov. 27 7 pm Parish Council  
Thurs. Nov. 29 set-up Holly Berry Fair  
Fri. Nov. 30 set-up Holly Berry Fair  
Sat. Dec. 1 Holly Berry Fair  
Sat. Dec. 1 8:15am Façade & Christmas star installation  
11am-2pm Holly Berry Fair  
Tues. Dec. 4 8:30am set-up Journey of Christmas (inside & outside)  
Tues. Dec. 4 1pm Prayer Shawls  
Wed. Dec. 5 9am Decorate the Hall for Christmas  
Wed. Dec. 5 1pm Seniors Get-Together  
Sun. Dec. 9 7pm Contemplative Prayer  
Tues. Dec. 11 2pm ACW Meeting  
Sun. Dec. 16 4pm Journey of Christmas 20<sup>th</sup> Year Celebration Service  
5pm Journey of Christmas opens  
Tues. Dec. 18 2pm Ladies Guild Meeting  
Mon. Dec. 24 3:30pm Journey of Christmas extended hours until 9pm  
Mon. Dec. 24 5pm, 7pm & 11pm Christmas Eve services  
Tues. Dec. 25 10am Christmas Day service  
Thurs. Dec. 27 9am to 1pm take-down of Journey of Christmas

### Upcoming Events

#### Tuesday, October 16

9:30am – Bible Study – Family Room

2pm – Ladies Guild – Family Room

6:30pm – Youth – Youth Room

7:30pm – ESL Bible Study - Office

#### Wednesday, October 17

9am – Yoga – Education Centre

10am – Service – Sanctuary

7:30pm – Choir Practice – Sanctuary

#### Thursday, October 18

1:30pm – Outreach Committee Mtng – Family Room

#### Friday, October 19

10am – Ladies Guild set up the Hall for Saturday

#### Saturday, October 20

Morning – prepare Souper Sunday soup – Kitchen

12noon to 4 pm – Sample Sale – Hall

#### Sunday, October 21

Souper Sunday

11am - Newcomers Fellowship – Family Room