



St. Mark – Ocean Park Anglican Church

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E-PULSE NEWSLETTER OF ST. MARK OCEAN PARK **FEBRUARY 21, 2021**

Reverend Philippa Segrave-Pride's email address is: philippastmarks@gmail.com

Sadly, due to the Provincial Health Order, our worship continues to be Online only.

We are LIVE STREAMING our Sunday Worship

Please join us on the Parish website or Facebook page at 10am on Sunday.

ALSO...

**we have a Family, Youth and Children Time
each week that is generally posted to Facebook and
the Website on Saturday.**

Visits to the church are possible, **but we please ask that you make an appointment**
(604.535.8841) so we can keep a record of who is in the building at any time.

Should you wish to visit the church in order to pray privately you are welcome to do so, but please call ahead to
let the Office know of your plans.

To access the online Service:

- onto the Church's website: www.stmarkbc.org
- on the page that opens, click on where it says: "St. Mark Ocean Park Online Sunday Worship Services"

THE LUNCH BASKET FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN – is provided this week by Jack and Pauline Blachford to the
Glory of God and in thankfulness for everyone who provides loving care to those struggling during this
pandemic.

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICE

The Readings for February 28 – Second Sunday in Lent – Genesis 17:1-7, Psalm 22:22-30,
Romans 4:13-25 and Mark 8:31-38

PRAYER CHAIN – The Coordinator for the Prayer Chain is Lynne Hurd who can be reached at
lynneh1@telus.net or at 604-542-2772. Please give your prayer requests and updates to Lynne who will
forward them to the twenty men and women on the Prayer Chain to pray for your requests daily. Prayers
are continued for two weeks or longer with updates as needed.

WANT TO BE INCLUDED IN SUNDAY INTERCESSIONS? If so please contact the Office at 604.535.8841 OR call or email Michael Klaver: 604.541.9598 klaverfamily@shaw.ca

St. Mark's Ladies Guild is offering Purdy's Chocolates for sale for the Easter season.

Hello Friends - ORDER DEADLINE is Sunday March 7.

We hope you will find this a convenience, and your orders will help support the projects that we support during the year. It is very simple to take part – there are 2 ways to order. Pick up a catalogue at St. Mark's office or by calling us to deliver one to you – drop orders at St. Mark's or to Isabel or Linda or Sue Indridson OR order online by clicking on the link below:

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/932138-82819>

and then follow these instructions:

click "Join a Campaign"

log on with the email address and password that you used previously, OR register with your email address and password

on the Dashboard click on "Shop Online"

use Marketplace to scroll thru the products and make your selections

complete your order with "proceed to checkout" . Your order will roll up to our account

Orders will be ready for pickup on Saturday March 20 OR we will deliver to you in White Rock/South Surrey. Instructions will be sent to you.

Please contact isabelchernoff@telus.net 604-531-6828 or lindaodee@hotmail.com 604-531-7963 or sinder@shaw.ca 604-531-4931 if you have any questions.

SORRENTO CENTRE

The board of directors for Sorrento Centre is hoping St. Mark's will be able to recommend someone in the Parish who is willing to serve as the Sorrento Parish Rep for at least a year.

- This person will be willing to promote Sorrento within the parish through announcements and bulletins as well as conversation.
- They will receive regular communications from Sorrento to keep them informed and they can contact us with questions.
- We will make sure to connect with them annually specifically to ask if they want to continue in the role and how we can make their job easier.

Started by the Anglican Church almost 60 years ago, Sorrento has been a place of transformation, healing and a gathering place for all, and many people have taken part in the programs and events, forming bonds of friendship and taking what they have learned back to their home parishes to be shared.

It is this sharing about Sorrento that we are hoping to encourage through a renewed group of Sorrento Parish Reps. We are committing to supporting the Parish Reps in their work to bring the news of Sorrento to your parish by sending regular updates on programs and events that are happening at the Centre and by providing material that can be displayed and distributed in the parish.

Here is the website address for the Sorrento Centre: <https://www.sorrentocentre.ca>

Anyone interested is asked to contact the Clergy and/or Wardens so they can pass your name along.

THE LUNCH BASKET FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN provides funding for lunches to five single Mothers and nine children. Please help support these families by choosing a 2021 date (see chart below) to support these families and have a dedication in the weekly E Pulse. email or phone Darlene W. or Barb G. with your dedication. The suggested donation of \$60 can be made by e-transfer, the Donation Station, or by dropping off a cheque in the mailbox at the church office.

February 2021			March 2021		April 2021	
			7	Betty-Ann and Ian Bainbridge	4	
			14	Pat Aiken and Janet Scott	11	
			21	Gary & Darlene Wiegand	18	
	28	Bea Ross	28		25	

FLOWERS for the ALTAR

Thank you to those who have made donations for our flowers.

If you would like to offer flowers for the sanctuary in Memory of a Loved One, in thanksgiving for a birthday or Anniversary we would very much appreciate it. The Altar Guild is willing to purchase the flowers and have them arranged. Please contact Kathryn Smith at 604-560-1455 or e-mail hkmasmith@shaw.ca