

The Loop Anglican Newsletter

Epiphany Four January 28, 2018

Services: 9:30 am at St. Paul and St. John, 11 am at St. James

LESSONS: 1 CORINTHIANS 8:1-13; PSALM 111; MARK 1:21-28

St. James annual frozen berry sale is now under way and ends February 19. You may order bags of frozen wild blueberries, cranberries and raspberries online at http://www.grenvilleanglicans.com/. Just click on Fundraising and you will see complete instructions. Phone orders: 348.3657, 865.7144, 246.2986.

This Sunday afternoon **Jan. 28** at 2 p.m. there is a **mission team meeting** for those going to the Morningstar Mission. We meet at Reverend Tracy's place at 2 p.m., 481 Macaulay Road in Prescott.

For your prayerful consideration: Some of our board members are stepping down and taking a well deserved break, so Rev. Tracey will be approaching people to join us. Our boards have a great unity in the Spirit and we are so blessed to get along tremendously well together. We begin each meeting with a time of sharing prayer concerns and joys, and praying together. In the meeting we share a teaching devotional time on the Divine Renovation of our churches to their original calling of seeking the lost and inviting people to a new life in faith in Christ. The other parts of the meeting look at our present outreaches, events, upcoming special services, and needs arising with our church property.

We would like new board members at all our churches in 2018. You can bring a new perspective and new ideas for us. St. John has a great need to find someone to train up this year for the treasurer role. Please speak to Rev. David or Rev. Tracey.

Your Church Annual Meetings: You are invited to join us for your church annual meetings. On that Sunday Rev. Tracey will be speaking about the churches ministry, hopes, and goals, in the sermon time. The meeting is a chance to find out how the ministry is accomplished and to ask questions.

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We present our budget and account for our spending. Please join us:

Sunday, Jan. 28. St. James annual meeting, church hall, 9:15, continental breakfast. 11 a.m. worship.

Sunday, Feb. 4. St. John annual meeting, 11 a.m., following the 9:30 worship.

Sunday, Feb. 11. St. Paul annual meeting, 11 a.m., following the 9:30 worship.

Reports Please: Rev. Tracey requests everyone send in their reports today for the annual meeting. You can email them to her. If you don't have email please write her directly.

We are hosting our first paint night. Join us on Wednesday, Feb. 22 or Wednesday, Mar. 7, at St John hall. Doors open at 6:30 for a paint night with artist Sharon Stein. We will paint a winter scene in Limerick Forest. Each person will be able to take home a painting that night and enjoy refreshments for a cost of \$40. Please call Gail to book 925-3671. The proceeds go to the Morningstar Mission.

Carrie Onstein from Connect Youth will speak to us at church on Sunday, Feb. 18: 9:30 at St. John, 11 a.m. at St. James where lunch will follow. Friends are very welcome and they will be very interested to hear about her work to help prevent youth homelessness and poverty in our region. Our parish has been engaged with them for some time and we look forward to strengthening this partnership.

At St. Paul:

AGM Feb.11, 11 a.m.

At St. John:

Special note: we remember our dear Michèle Harding.

Tuesday, Jan. 30: Youth Group 5-7 p.m., Choir Practice 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 31: Women's Bible Study 2-3 p.m., Mission Team meeting at Tracey's house 2 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 2: Men's Bible Study 11 a.m.

Sunday, Feb. 4: AGM 11 a.m.

At St. James:

Jan. 28: AGM 9:15.

*Guido Nincheri 1885-1973. "St. John the Evangelist Anglican Church in Prescott, Ontario is home to Nincheri's "Lost Window", depicting the nativity and signed by the artist. Listed in their records simply as St John's Church, Prescott, curators assumed the window was in the counties of Prescott-Russell near the Quebec border but could not find it. St John the Evangelist is on the St Lawrence River west of Cornwall and south of Ottawa. From the 1930s until 2013, the three-panel scene graced the Chapel attached to the church. When the Chapel and adjacent hall were sold, the congregation had the window refurbished and moved into the main church worship space...Nincheri executed an estimated 2000 stained glass windows in about 100 different churches in Quebec, Qntario, the Maritimes, British Columbia and New England." -- Wikipedia

<u>A couple of important phone numbers</u>: Contact for Revs. Tracey and David is **613.925.0043**. Illana Dobson is parish nurse and her phone number is **613.246.2986**. Feel free to phone Illana with health questions or to request a visit. Parish email: dsmith195@cogeco.ca.