Parish of Richmond E-News

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Dana Dean, rector Rectory: **328-3042** Rector's cell: **612-1662** 4 February 2016 Weep with those who weep.

Romans 12:15

RICHMOND THIS SUNDAY

• Communion at Holy Trinity (9:00) & St John's (11:00); Morning Prayer at Home Church (9:00)

This coming week's birthday: Peter Carpenter

Please remember the **Food Bank** when you shop. Next deliveries: **Holy Trinity** (15 February); **St John's** (22 February); **St Mark's** (29 February)

Our condolences to **Jan Kennedy** and family on the death of **Terry**. Visitation is on Saturday and the funeral at **St John'**s on Sunday. A reception for the family follows. Details are at <u>http://www.carletonfuneralhome.ca/obituaries/104347</u>

Our condolences also to **Kim** and **Ken Tompkin**s on the death of **Kenneth MacFarland**, Kim's uncle. The funeral is on Monday: <u>http://www.oregans.ca/english/Obituaries/104317/</u>

Help is needed --

- For the reception after the Kennedy funeral at St John's on Sunday afternoon. If you can bring sandwiches or sweets, please let **Pat Margison** know.
- For the St Luke's Pancake supper on Tuesday late afternoon, if you can volunteer to work and/or bring a *nut-free* cake, please contact Jon Tait: <u>a_jtait@rogers.com</u>
- For the Lenten noontime lunch at St Luke's on Wednesday 17 February, Rosanne Carpenter & Judy Clark will be making the soup but ask for financial contributions (to them directly) to help with the cost.

This Saturday afternoon there will be a 75th birthday reception in honour of **Nellie Wilson Morgan** at the Richmond Parish Centre, 2:00-4:00. All invited.

From now until the end of February, **Home Church is at Adrian Bell's** home (106 Sherwood Drive, Woodstock). All welcome.

Monday night Bible discussion meets at 24 Hillcrest Ave, Hartland, 7pm. All welcome. No prior attendance is required.

Art Group (painting, wood-carving, etc) meets at Holy Trinity's hall on Thursdays, 1 pm. All painters, carvers and apprentices welcome.

Forthcoming events:

- Tuesday 9 February: Pancake supper in support of Camp Brookwood at St Luke's (Woodstock), 4:00-6:30 [see help-wanted notice]
- Tuesday 9 February: Pancake supper at Christ Church (Glassville), 4:00-6:00
- Ash Wednesday community service at St Luke's hall, Woodstock, 12:05 pm, with the rector
- > Ash Wednesday parish service at Holy Trinity, 7 pm
- Friday 12 February: Valentine Luncheon at Church of the Good Shepherd (Main St, Florenceville), 11:30-1:30. Chili, corn chowder, cheesy chicken chowder, rolls & dessert buffet for only \$6.00 (and take-out service available). This is a project of the parish's new ACW chapter.
- Saturday 13 February: Fellowship breakfast at the Parish Centre, 9-10 am
- Wednesday 17 February: Lenten service at St Luke's hall, 12:05 pm. The parish of Richmond provides the lunch.
- Saturday 20 February: Gospel concert at St John's church featuring The Weavers and Violet Paisley, 7:00. Love offering. Everyone welcome.
- Saturday, 27 February: parish of Richmond Annual Meeting at Holy Trinity hall, 10:00 followed by pot-luck lunch.

Notice the great **outreach to Syrian refugees by diocesan congregations** as detailed in this week's diocesan e-News: <u>http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/enews/</u>

Cheques to assist Carleton County's **support for Syrian refuges** should be made out to *St Gertrude's Parish – Refugee Fund*. They may be dropped off at the parish office (105 Union St, Woodstock E7M 2W4).

One aspect of the Bishop's renewal vision is increased **youth membership in the diocesan synod**. There will be a **diocesan synod** on Saturday, **5 November**. The bishop has written all parishes to urge them to elect a younger person (age 16-26) as one of their three synod delegates at the forthcoming annual meeting. The next diocesan synod will consider a proposal to encourage this.

Find this week's **Diocesan e-News** at <u>http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/enews/</u> Find Diocesan **forthcoming events** at <u>http://anglican.nb.ca/wp/enews/upcoming-</u> <u>events/</u>

When writing a will, do not leave money to a specific congregation as individual congregations are not incorporated. The way to handle it is to leave money to the parish *for the purpose of* supporting a particular congregation or house of worship, if that is what you want. For Camp Brookwood, you would leave money to the Diocesan Synod of Fredericton *for the use of* Camp Brookwood.

Courtesy of **Ken Tompkins**, the parish of Richmond has one of the nicest websites in the diocese: <u>http://www.parishofrichmond.ca</u> Websites always need fresh content. Ken welcomes scanned, **well-captioned photos** and even short video clips directed to <u>webadmin@parishofrichmond.ca</u>

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