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February 15, 2009

6th Sunday after Epiphany

Bagel Sunday – 1st Sunday of each month
 8:15am Holy Eucharist – Church
 10:00am Holy Eucharist – Church
 11:00am Coffee and Refreshments – Narthex

10:00am Wednesday Healing Service - Chapel
 7:00pm Thursday Healing Service – Chapel

This week at St George's

Sun	Alcoholics Anonymous	6:30-9 pm
Mon	Interfaith Counseling	9:00 am
Mon	Maycourt	6:30 pm
Mon	Senior Fitness	10:45 am
Mon	K-W Singers	6:30 pm
Tues	Stewardship	7:30 pm
Tues	Sparks	6:00 pm
Tues	Renaissance Singers	6:30 pm
Wed	Brownies	6:30 pm
Wed	Book Club	7:30 pm
Thurs	Interfaith Counseling	9:00 am
Thurs	Junior Choir	7:00 pm
Thurs	Senior Choir	8:00 pm
Fri	Sparks Sleepover	6:00 pm
Sun	Parish Council Induction	services

Inspired by Christ, we dedicate ourselves to grow together in faith through active stewardship and ministry to one another and our communities.

All people are welcome here!

Name Tags are a ministry of hospitality and respect.
We invite you to wear yours every Sunday.

Readings for Next Week

Isaiah 43:18-25

Ps 41

2 Cor 1:18-22

Mark 2:1-12

Baden Powell Sunday

Feb 15th is Lord Baden Powell Sunday. St George's is hosting a Scout Parade at the 10:00 service. There will be no Sunday School today.

Palm Crosses

Please bring in last year's palm crosses to be burned and then used for Ash Wednesday. There will be a basket at the back of the church. We will be tying new Palm Crosses on April 2 at 6:00. All are welcome to come and learn a new skill.

Happy Birthday Elizabeth!

It is with pleasure that the children of Elizabeth Stuckless invite you to share in her 90th birthday celebration!

Please join us at St George's Church Hall on Sat Feb 28 1-4pm to share cherished memories, laughter and friendship.

RSVP not required. Best Wishes only please.

Tax Receipts are Ready

Tax Receipts for 2008 are in your mail box in the Narthex. Please pick yours up today.

Brian will be out of the country till mid-February. If you have any questions please leave him a note in his mail box or e-mail him at bledbury@golden.net. He needs to know the date and amount of the contribution you are enquiring about.

Praise Band

Would you like to be part of a Praise Band at St. George's? We are looking for guitarists, drummers, keyboardists, etc. who would be interested in investigating this opportunity. Please call the Church Office 744-4751 and leave your name and phone number for our Musical Director, Robert Aszmies, and Valerie Cuthbert.

Blessings and Blocks

The Quilting group will meet on March 2 at 2-4pm in the church hall.

FIX-UP 2008 - FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN

Total received to February 8 - \$6220.00 – GREAT!!

Yes, You Can Still Contribute to FIX-UP 2008

At the back of the church there are *special envelopes* in which you can make a one-time contribution OR you can make a series of contributions through your regular *weekly giving envelopes* - make sure to mark it FIX-UP 2008.

Duration of Campaign - mid November to mid February

For background information on our campaign please refer to the church web-site at: www.stgeorgesofforesthill.com

Stewardship

World Day of Prayer 2009

Theme: In Christ there are many members yet one body

Date: Friday, March 6, 2009

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Location: Westheights Brethren in Christ Community Church
82 Westheights Drive, Kitchener

For further information, please contact Karen Baker or Margaret Walker

Parish History Books

There are still Parish History Books available. The suggested donation is \$15. Please see a warden or call the office to purchase a book.

Lost and Hope to be Found

“Art of the Spirit” This book picturing liturgical art is missing from our church library. If you know where it is, please contact the church office. Thanks.

Valerie Away

Valerie will be out of the office Feb 13th – Feb 20th.

Taize Services

Sunday, February 22, 2009 7:30 pm

All Saints Anglican Church 685 Highpoint Ave., Waterloo
corner of Highpoint and Northfield Dr .

Sunday, April 5, 2009, 7:30 pm (Palm Sunday)

St. Agatha Christian Communities at St. Agatha Catholic Church
Notre Dame Dr., St. Agatha , ON
(corner of Erb Rd.)

Women's Book Club

February 18 The Book of Negroes Lawrence Hill

March 18 The Shack WM Paul Young
(Some people in church have copies.)

April 15 What the Psychic told The Pilgrim

Jane Christmas (preparation for the Women's Service in April)

Annual Pancake Supper - Tuesday, February 24

Mark this date in your calendar and plan to attend with your family
and bring along your friends, to our annual Pancake Supper and
Sponsorship fundraiser.

Doors open at 4:30 pm and delicious Pancakes and a variety of
Sausages will be served until 7:00 pm

All proceeds of the Free Will offering will enable us to continue our
sponsorship of 2 children, one in Ghana, a girl age 15 and the second,
a boy in India, age 15. Our support, through the Christian Children's
Fund of Canada, goes towards their educational, medical care and
nutritional needs. The cost is approximately \$800 per year.

Volunteer and Have Some Fun

Join with the men of the parish and sign-up to: set-up, cook/serve or
clean-up

See the sign-up sheets in the Narthex

Youth Evening

Friday, February 27

Movie Night at St. George's beginning with a
spaghetti dinner at 7 p.m.

All youth from Grade 7 to Grade 12 are welcome!

The cost is \$2 plus an item for the Food Bank.

If you would like to join us for the spaghetti supper and
movie, e-mail Valerie Cuthbert at cuthben@golden.net

If you know of a youth who has not been receiving the details of
the youth events, please have him/her call the church office at 519-
744-4751 or e-mail Valerie Cuthbert at the address above.

Thanks!

Donations for Altar Flowers

This money is paid directly to the Altar Guild and is sometimes
getting mixed up with the regular budget donations. In order to
avoid this mix up, when making your donation for Altar Flowers,
please put it in a separate envelope marked "Altar Flowers" along
with your name, envelope number and amount. Thank you. This
will help Karen balance her books and make sure your tax receipt
is correct.

Hockey Night Done Right!

Support the Women's Crisis Services of Waterloo on Mar 7th.
Watch the Leafs vs Oilers on the Jumbo screen. See poster in
Narthex for details.

For tickets contact jane.ryan@wcswr.org or 519-653-2289 x235

SPRING IS COMING

Think Mother's Day

Think Father's Day

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Think SPRING MARKET on April 25th for your gifts

Joint Planning Committee News

St James, Mannheim will be hosting a Pancake Supper on Wed Feb 25 at 5:30 pm followed by an Ash Wednesday Service. All are welcome.

St. George's, along with St.James Mannheim Lutheran Church, will once more be holding joint midweek services during Lent. The services will be at 7.30 and will alternate between the two churches. Father Don and Pastor Rob will be officiating at all the services and each service will be followed by a time of fellowship. Please join us if you are able.

March 4	St James
March 11	St George's
March 18	St James
March 25	St George's
April 1	St James
April 8	St George's

Lenten Study Series

Lent is not only about giving up chocolate or cookies but also about prayer. If you are reading this notice then you are likely familiar with corporate prayer: it is the prayer we say as a community at our services every week. But what about personal prayer?

Personal prayer can take many forms. During Lent we will explore various forms of prayer and look at different aspects that can make prayer more meaningful. A variety of speakers will talk about their own personal practice of prayer. There will be an opportunity to try some of these prayer practices as the speakers guide us through some prayer time.

Everyone is welcome to join us every Thursday evening in Lent starting 26th February through 2nd April at 8:00pm in the Narthex. No experience necessary. No registration required.

SMALL DONATIONS NEEDED

This month we are highlighting the need of **The Food Bank of Waterloo Region.**

Here is a list of items most needed by The Food Bank
The top 5 are in the greatest demand currently.

1. **Canned Stews**
2. **Canned Pasta**
3. **Beans in Sauce**
4. **Rice**
5. **Dry Pasta**
6. Canned Fruit
7. Powdered Milk
8. Dry Beans
9. Hot Cereal
10. Cold Cereal

Please think of this organization while doing your weekly shopping. If everyone picked up one extra item from the above list it would greatly help those who need this service. **It will also make you feel good!** Items can be placed in the container in the Narthex

Thanks..Outreach Committee