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The Rev Sharla Malliff

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Linda Dancey

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George Mudry, Catherine Carlson

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Debra Zanon-Barclay

All Souls' Day

November 2, 2025 BAS – 10:00 am

Announcements

Processional Hymn: CP #375 'At the Name of Jesus' (verses 1, 2, 4, 5)

The Gathering of the Community

C: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the
fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

A: **And also with you.**

C: Almighty God,

A: **to you all hearts are open, all desires are known, and from you no
secrets are hidden.**

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthy magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Glory to God

Refrain:

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people, people of goodwill.

Verse 1:

We praise You, we bless You,

We adore You, we glorify You,

We give You thanks for Your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Refrain (same as before)

Verse 2:

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

Refrain (same)

Verse 3:

For You, alone are the Holy One,

You alone are the Lord,

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Refrain: (same) add "Amen, amen."

Prayer of Transition

Almighty God, giver of all good gifts, look on your church with grace, and guide the minds of those who shall choose a rector for this parish of St George's, that they may receive a faithful servant who will care for your people and support them in their ministries, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Collect of the Day

C: Let us pray,

A: **Father of all, we pray to you for those we love, but see no longer. Grant them your peace, let light perpetual shine upon them, and in your loving wisdom and almighty power, work in them the good purpose of your perfect will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.**

The Proclamation of the Word

The Readings

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

Valerie Cuthbert

O: A reading from Daniel.

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream:[a] 2 I,[b] Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, 3 and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

¹⁵ As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me,^[a] and the visions of my head terrified me. ¹⁶ I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: ¹⁷ 'As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. ¹⁸ But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom for ever—for ever and ever.'

The word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 149

Roberta Butler

The Psalm appointed for today is Psalm 149.

1 Hallelujah! Sing to the Lord a new song; *

sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

2 Let Israel rejoice in his maker; *

let the children of Zion be joyful in their king.

3 Let them praise his name in the dance; *

let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

4 For the Lord takes pleasure in his people *

and adorns the poor with victory.

5 Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; *

let them be joyful on their beds.

6 Let the praises of God be in their throat *

and a two-edged sword in their hand;

7 To wreak vengeance on the nations *

and punishment on the peoples;

8 To bind their kings in chains *

and their nobles with links of iron;

9 To inflict on them the judgement decreed; *

this is glory for all his faithful people. Hallelujah!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.

Ephesians 1:11-23

Nelson Cuthbert

O: A reading from Paul to the church of Ephesus.

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: ² I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, ³ and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

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The word of the Lord

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ACCLAMATION: 'Ancient Words' Green Spiral #15

Ancient words, ever true,

changing me, changing you;

we have come with open hearts,

O let the ancient words impart.

Words of life, words of hope,
give us strength, help us cope
in this world where'er we roam,
ancient words will guide us home.

Gospel: Luke 6:20-31

Rev Sharla Malliff

C: The Lord be with you.

A: **And also with you.**

C: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

A: **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

²⁰ Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

'Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ 'Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

'Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

²² 'Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

²⁴ 'But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ 'Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

'Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ 'Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

²⁷ 'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, ²⁸ bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. ²⁹ If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away

your coat do not withhold even your shirt. ³⁰ Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you.

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Response to the Gospel: Green Spiral #34 Wonderful, Merciful Saviour

Verse 1

Wonderful, merciful Saviour,
Precious Redeemer and Friend;
Who would have tho't that a Lamb could
Rescue the souls of men?
O You rescue the souls of men.

Chorus

You are the One that we praise.
You are the One we adore.
You give the healing and grace our
Hearts always hunger for,
O our hearts always hunger for.

Verse 2

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper,
Spirit we long to embrace;
You offer hope when our hearts have
Hopelessly lost our way.
O we've hopelessly lost our way.

CHORUS

Verse 3

Almighty, infinite Father,
Faithfully loving Your own.
Here in our weakness you find us
Falling before Your throne,
O we're falling before Your throne.

CHORUS

Homily

Apostle's Creed

C: Let us confess the faith of our baptism as we say,

**A: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the
Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died,
and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose
again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of
the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion
of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and
the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the People

Roberta Butler

C: Let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need, saying, God, in your mercy, hear our prayer. Author of all mercy, we give you thanks for your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made.

We praise you especially for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace, and for hope in the ultimate reign of peace.

God, in your mercy,

A: hear our prayer.

C: We pray for the holy church of God throughout the world, for new congregations wherever they are gathered; for missionaries, seminaries, preachers, and professors; for musicians and artists; for architects and landscapers; for funeral directors and those who care for cemeteries.

Make us generous toward our brothers and sisters who live and breathe in your name.

God, in your mercy,

A: hear our prayer.

C: For those who wield earthly power, for those who lead and those who follow, that they may be moved by the image of your people, disciples of Jesus, children of God, diverse and

sometimes in disagreement but living together in harmony, a vision of the common good to which all nations might aspire.

God, in your mercy,

A: hear our prayer.

C: For those persecuted for the sake of righteousness and those weighed down by trial and distress, that the example of the saints may give them courage and the help of believers give them hope.

God, in your mercy,

A: hear our prayer.

C: For this assembly gathered to celebrate the Eucharist in communion with the church in heaven and throughout the world, that nourished by the word of truth and the bread of life, we may bear witness in our own generation to the timeless gospel of Christ.

God, in your mercy,

A: hear our prayer.

C: For all who are in need:
for those who are in prison,
those awaiting trial,
those facing surgery,
all who lack medical help,
those who have no work,
those who work for too little pay,
the homeless,
and the ill.

We pray especially today for

God, in your mercy,

A: hear our prayer.

C: We give you thanks for those who have gone before us, whose lives have shown us your truth, and whose witness brought us and kept us in this community of faith. We remember: John McCrory, Connie McCoy, Walter Welsand, Lloyd Reed, Margart Crane, and Wayne Rothenberg and any others we name now aloud or in the silence of our hearts.

We trust in your never-failing love, O Lord, joining your holy ones before the throne and the Lamb.

God, in your mercy,
A: hear our prayer.

C: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting that for these, and for us, your care is constant and your heart is open; through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever

A: Amen.

Confession and Absolution

C: Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.
Most merciful God

A: We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

C: Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

A: Amen.

The Peace

C: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

A: And also with you.

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Preparation of the Gifts

Invitation to the Offering

C: With gratitude for God's blessings through the power at work in Christ Jesus, we gather now the gifts of the church for the sake of the gospel.

Offering Hymn: CP #334 'Holy God, We Praise Your Name'

The Prayer over the Gifts

C: Gracious and righteous Lord,
we are united in the love of Jesus Christ.
Accept all we offer you this day,
and bring us, with all your faithful people
who have gone before us,
into his eternal glory;
who is Lord, now and for ever.

A: Amen

The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer #3

C: The Lord be with you.

A: And also with you.

C: Lift up your hearts.

A: We lift them to the Lord.

C: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

A: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

C: Blessed are you, gracious God,
creator of heaven and earth;
we give you thanks and praise
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
because in the fellowship of your saints
you have given us a glorious pledge
of the hope of our calling.
Therefore we join our voices with theirs
as earth and heaven unite
to proclaim the glory of your name.

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C: We give thanks to you, Lord our God,
For the goodness and love
You have made known to us in creation;
In calling Israel I to be your people;
In your Word spoken through the prophets;
And above all in the Word spoken through the prophets;
And above all in the Word made flesh,
Jesus your Son.
For in these last days you sent him
To be incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
To be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world.
In him, you have brought us
Out of error into truth,
Out of sin into righteousness,
Out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over
To suffering and death,
A death he freely accepted,
Our Lord Jesus Christ took bread;
And when he had given thanks to you,
He broke it, and gave it to his disciples,
And said, "Take, eat:

This is my body which is given for you.
Do this in remembrance of me.”

After supper he took the cup of wine;
And when he had given thanks,
He gave it to them,
And said, “Drink this, all of you:
This is my blood of the covenant,
Which is shed for you and for many
For the forgiveness of sins.
Whenever you drink it,
Do this for the remembrance of me.”

A: Therefore, Father, according to his command,
we remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming;

C: and we offer our sacrifice
Of praise and thanksgiving
To you, Lord of all;

Presenting to you, from your creation,
This bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God,
To send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts,
That they may be the sacrament
Of the body of Christ
And his blood of the covenant.
Unite us to your son in his sacrifice,
That we, made acceptable in him,
May be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time,
Reconcile all things in Christ,
And make them new,
And bring us to that city of light
Where you dwell with all your sons and daughters;

Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
The firstborn of all creation,
The head of the Church,
And the author of our salvation;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom,
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
All honour and glory are yours, almighty Father,
Now and for ever.

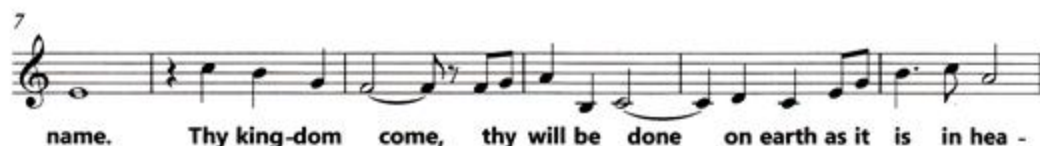
A: Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

An Anglican Lord's Prayer

John Ryrie



The Breaking of the Bread

C: Creator of all, you gave us golden fields of wheat, whose many grains we have gathered and made into this one bread.

A: **So may your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom.**

musical score for 'The Breaking of the Bread'. The score is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It features a melody line and a bass line. The lyrics are: 'Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world, have mer - cy on us. All sins of the world, Lamb of God, you take a-way the grant us peace.' The score includes dynamic markings like *mf* and *All*, and a 'Repeat' sign. There are also performance instructions like '3rd time' and 'S. A or Cantor'.

The Communion

Administrants: Jennifer Millar, John Ryrie

Communion Music: Purple Spiral #216 'Above All'

VERSE

Above all powers, above all kings,
Above all nature and all created things;
Above all wisdom and all the ways of man,
You were here before the world began.
Above all kingdoms, above all thrones,
Above all wonders the world has ever known;
Above all wealth and treasures of the earth,
There's no way to measure what You're worth.

CHORUS

Crucified, laid behind the stone;
You lived to die, rejected and alone;
Like a rose, trampled on the ground,
You took the fall, and thought of me above all.

Choir Anthem: Litany of the Saints

Prayer after Communion

C: God of love, may the death and resurrection of Christ, which we celebrate in this eucharist, bring us, with the faithful departed, into the peace of your eternal home. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our hope and our salvation.

A: Amen.

C: Glory to God,

A: whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.

Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Benediction: 'The Blessing'

The Lord bless you

and keep you,

Make His face shine upon you

and be gracious to you.

The Lord turn his

face toward you,

and give you peace. (x2)

Amen, amen, amen.

Amen, amen, amen.

Blessing

C: May the Creator nurture you, the Teacher walk with you, and the Spirit strengthen you and May the blessing of God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit give you peace.

A: Amen.

Recessional Hymn: CP #276 'For All the Saints' (verses 1, 2, 3, 7, 8)

Dismissal

C: Have courage; keep the faith; rely on the strength that comes from God.
Go in the peace to love and serve the Lord.
A: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

Readings for Next Week

Job 19:23-27

Psalms 17:1-9

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

Luke 20:27-38

Last Week's Attendance

Sunday : 8:15 37 10:00 62

Givings

On the plate \$1700 Auto Debit: \$2,093

INTERIM DONATION REPORT

In the Narthex you will find a donations report for each of you summarizing your donations from January 1, 2025 until mid-October. This is an interim report only. Please reconcile this report with your records of donations to St. George's and report any discrepancies to Pierrette in the Office at 519-744-4751 for follow-up. Thanks very much!

Valerie Clarke, Envelope Secretary

Chris Wagner, Treasurer

Special Book Study – The Advent Conspiracy

We will begin a new book study the week after Thanksgiving! To prepare, please order your copy of *The Advent Conspiracy* and let Rev. Sharla know your preference for either a hybrid study on Sundays over lunch or a weeknight Zoom study. Here's our reading schedule:

Week One – October 19: Chapters 1 & 2 -

Week Two – October 26: Chapter 3 – *Worship Fully*

Week Three – November 2: Chapter 4 – *Spend Less*

Week Four – November 9: Chapter 5 – *Give More*

Week Five – November 16: Chapter 6 – *Love All*

Optional Week Six – Wrap-Up: Chapter 7 – *Reclaim Christmas*

We're looking forward to diving into this meaningful study together!

Office Hours

Mondays 10:00 – 2:00 pm

Tuesdays 1:00 – 4:00 pm

Wednesdays 9:30 – 1:30 pm

Thursdays & Fridays 10:00 – 2:00 pm

ST. ANDREW'S CUPBOARD

A huge THANK-YOU to everyone who has donated to the St. Andrew's Cupboard 💖 Your generosity is amazing! So many less fortunate are being helped though your caring and sharing 😊 Anything you are able to give is greatly appreciated but a few things mentioned this week were razors; toothbrushes and toothpaste! THANK-YOU 💖

Heather Murphy

On behalf of your Outreach Committee

FALL CLEANUP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our fall cleanup of the Church grounds in preparation for winter will occur on Saturday, November 8, 2025 from 9 am to 11:30 am. Please bring your garden gloves and a rake. Coffee/tea/timbis will be available in Thompson Hall. Mark it on your calendar! Hope to see you there.

Murray Gamble for the Property Committee

Bible Study

Join our Bible Study every Thursday at 1:30 pm in the Fireside room. All are welcome!

SHARE THE WARMTH

We are collecting good used OUTERWEAR to be taken to the Salvation Army to be distributed to those in need.

What we are collecting is: Winter Coats, Winter Boots, Snowpants, Mitts, Hats, Gloves and scarves....both children's and adults.

We will be collecting these items starting Oct.26, Nov.2, Nov.9 and any last minute items on Nov.16.

You can leave your items in the Chapel on the pews and we will take them to Salvation Army.

Many thanks for helping others to stay warm during the cold winter months.

Please WINTER OUTERWEAR ONLY!

Your Outreach Committee.

Christmas Market – November 15, 2025

The market is only 2 weeks away.....

There are boxes in the Narthex to receive your donations/contributions to the Bottle Pull, the Christmas Treasures Room, and the Book Room.

Bottle Pull: bottle of anything with or without the wine bag/wrapping.

Book Room: recent books 5 years or less (no textbooks please), current magazines and intact games.

Christmas Treasures: Christmassy items in good condition that can be loved by others (table or tree decorations, candle holders, plates, tablecloths, etc.)

Additionally for the Craft Table: Deb Chine or Barb would appreciate having items ahead of time with a suggested price.

Questions??? Contact Susan Hipperson -519-654-7023, susanhipp@gmail.com or Cora Lee Little – 519-504-0860, coralee.little4@gmail.com.

Monday, November 17

Originally scheduled for April 2025, we are so pleased that Bishop Rachel Parker from the Diocese of Brandon is able to join us this Fall. We have asked Bishop Rachel to speak to us about her experiences of “Life in all its fullness” as it relates to the realities of some of our smaller parishes. Come and be inspired.

Ten Thousand Villages Christmas Markets

Ten Thousand Villages and Friends are holding two Christmas Markets this November. Your purchase of these unique, fairly traded and handcrafted product supports employment and skill development. Come check it out at WK United Mennonite Church, Waterloo (Nov 13-15) and MCC Ontario, Kitchener (Nov 27-29). Details can be found on the bulletin board poster.

Attention Lesson Readers

As the winter months approach and the days grow dull and weary, the lighting at the Lectern at times makes it more difficult to see the lesson material clearly.

Thanks to Nelson a small LED light has been installed and can provide the option of more illumination if needed. The light has a switch at the top which, when toggled through, controls 3-4 degrees of intensity. If you are the first reader feel free to leave it on for others. Also a Reader's schedule for December will be in mail folders in 2-3 weeks and a plan created for the Readers necessary for special Advent and Christmas services. Questions or issues call Cheryl Fox 519-579-0684. Thank you for sharing your time and talent in this important ministry.

A Note from our Treasurer and our Executive

As you are aware, monies can be directed to St. Georges in a number of ways. For accurate tracking of these monies, please ensure that you have indicated the purpose for the payment/donation. This is true for payments/donations received whether they be via cash, cheques, and/or E-transfers. In particular, if you are giving using envelopes, please clearly indicate your wishes for the donation using the available pre-printed lines on the front of the envelope. If you are using cheques rather than cash, please indicate the purpose of the cheque in the comment section to the left of your signature. If you are using E-transfer, please indicated the purpose of the e-transfer in the note section of the E-transfer. If you just use a plain envelope, please put your name, address, amount of the donation/payment, and a note as to the purpose(s) of the donation on the front of the envelope and seal it. Your assistance in these matters is greatly appreciated!

Thank You

Those that attended the workshop on Fraud and Scam prevention this past Tuesday owe a big thank you to Ruth Pearce for making the arrangements with the two representatives from Kindred Credit Union for this informative presentation. It is unfortunate that this is a growing problem and an issue that seniors especially should be prepared to handle appropriately. The key strategies explained were STOP – CHECK – TALK.

An Attendee

Sunday Smile

Ketchup with Jesus and relish His Love.

DIOCESAN QUESTIONNAIRE #1

Please return your Diocesan Questionnaire #1 to the church and deposit it in the box in the Narthex. The due date is Sun. Nov. 2. Yes, we will accept submissions for a short while after that before we begin our summary work of the input from all of you! We are creating the more specific St. George's Questionnaire #2 which will be available shortly. Both Questionnaires provide valuable information to us in the creation of a St. George's Parish Profile which we submit to the Bishop before names of prospective candidates are forwarded to us for interviews.

Nelson Cuthbert, Chair-Selection Committee

Name Tags

If you would like a name tag, there is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex and the cost is \$13.00

Book Club

The next meeting is Tuesday November 18. The book is Saving Flora by Elinor Florence. We always welcome new members. Contact person is Ruth Pearce

ACCESSIBILITY FUNDRAISING

Over the last 18 months, fundraising (\$100,000 goal) has occurred within our Parish to accomplish the following:

* 2024: widening our main driveway; installation of a new driveway; installation of new concrete curbing; removal and installation of a new front garden-sidewalk boundary wall (\$35,000)

* 2025: removal and installation of new entrance doors and automatic door openers at the Main Entrance door and the rear of Thompson Hall in the basement; installation of automatic door openers on the inner set of doors near the Main Entrance and near the rear of Thompson Hall. (\$45,000)

* 2026: We are planning for more concrete threshold work to the same outside doors as well as a refurbishment of the concrete stairs at the rear of the building next Spring.

With your help we have fully paid for the above 2024 and 2025 work and have about \$10,000 remaining in the Accessibility Project Fund within Capital Repairs for 2026. **Thanks so much for your assistance in this fundraiser as it continues.** The work accomplished in 2024 and now in 2025 is quite impressive!

Nelson Cuthbert for the Property Committee

CHRISTMAS TREASURES

Please look through your Christmas decorations and if you are downsizing or not using some decorations, we could help them find a new and loving home through our Christmas Treasures at our Christmas Market on Nov.15.

There is a container under the coat racks for these lovely items to be in.

They could be Christmas tree decorations, table ornaments, any item that you have loved and wish to let someone else love the, too. Many thanks.

Any questions please speak to Marg Wheeler or MaryLynn Forrest.