

Youth Group

Calling All Junior and Senior High Students to be Youth Who Make a Difference !

Friday Youth Group will resume in the Fall. Thank you Joanne and Keith for all the time and support you gave to our youth this year.

A Youth Bible Study is offered every Sunday morning.

Check out our Youth Group Facebook page to see more details about what's happening: www.facebook.com/StPaulsCalgaryYouth.

Diocese and Community

Education for Ministry Graduation tonight Sunday, June 9 Mentors, students, past graduates and anyone interested in the Education for Ministry program are invited to join the EfM Community at a Eucharist celebration honoring the graduates of the 2018/2019 program, on **Sunday evening, June 9 at 7:00 pm, at St. Barnabas Anglican Church, Calgary.** For more information, please **contact ctubman@shaw.ca**

Spring Concert Series: St. Andrew's is hosting our "second annual" Lunchtime Spring Concert series. It begins at **lunchtime (12:00 noon) for 45 minutes. Free admission; donations accepted June 11:** Nan Hughes Poole, Mezzo Soprano and Claire Butler, piano. For more information about the artists, go to St Andrew's website.

Lectio Divina: All are invited to The Anglican Parish of Holy Cross for an evening of silence, prayer and biblical meditation. **An Evening of Lectio Divina will be held on the second Tuesday of every month, starting at 6:30 pm, next on June 11. Everyone is welcome.**

Southgate Church Summer Day Camp "Treasure Hunters" July 29-August 2 Age 4 to Grade 6 at St Paul's Anglican Church. Five awesome days of sports, art, science, biking/

hiking, sewing, cooking . . all wrapped up in a theme of hunting for the greatest treasures of life! Cost for the week is \$175.00. For more information please call the Parish office. Register at <https://forms.gle/J7Mu8TCjC7FZjW5s9> or email the Parish Office for the link.



The Outreach Committee has two main functions. The first is to make recommendations to Parish Council on how to manage the funds allocated by St. Paul's for Outreach. These funds amount to 10% of our parish income. The goal is to try to find a balance recognizing a variety of needs such as poverty, hunger, addiction, homelessness, violence, social injustice, unclean water and health issues. We also try to consider both international and national issues, as well as local needs or even those in our own parish family. Beneficiaries can range from less well known but worthy causes to more prominent charities.

The second function of the committee is to encourage the efforts of the wonderful volunteers who take on organizing Outreach projects from knitting, to Christmas boxes, to the collection of clothing and so much more. Outreach frequently overlaps with other ministries, so one of the goals is to help recognize and promote the many opportunities for parishioners to contribute to Outreach both inside the walls of St. Paul's and into the wider community.

We are always happy to receive suggestions about possible Outreach initiatives.

Thank you to Kathleen Robinson for administering this ministry.

Financial News

January 1 to April 30, 2019

Our income to the end of April is approximately \$11,000 less than 2018. Our April income reduced our deficit to \$10,694, \$6,122 less than 2018 due to decreased expenses. We pray for a strong Spring to reduce this deficit further before Summer.



St. Paul's News Bulletin

June 9, 2019



Parish Events

Thy Kingdom Come service this evening, Sunday June 9 at 7:00 pm. All are welcome to join us.

Next Sunday: Father's Day focus at 8:30 and 10:00 am services.

Men's Breakfast: This Saturday, June 15 at 8:30 am. All men are welcome to come! Come and enjoy great food and fellowship!

Ladies Potluck Luncheon: Please join us for lunch this Saturday, June 15 at 11:30 am. Come for a time of fellowship and great food. If you are able please bring a dish to share.

St. Paul's Missional Footprint Survey: Emails inviting you to participate in our online survey were sent on May 30. Answering four quick questions will help Parish Council create a vision for living the love of God beyond the walls of St. Paul's. If you prefer, paper copies of the survey are available on the Memorial Table in the parish hall. For details, check your June Living Waters. The deadline for responses is June 25. **If you have an email address, but haven't received a survey, please contact the Office.**

Yard Sale: What's used is useful at St. Paul's Annual Yard Sale! Come find the hard-to-find, the little treasures, and much more from 9 till 3 on Saturday, June 22. Please see Living Waters for more information on donations and volunteer opportunities.

Sunday, June 23: Friendship Family Picnic and Welcoming of New Members. **If you are new to St Paul's in the last year (since June 2018) please make sure you fill out an information card today (found in the pews). We'd hate to miss this opportunity to welcome you on this special day!** Those who aren't new members are asked to bring a salad or dessert to share for the picnic. Meat will be provided.

GARDENS We have two plots at the **MidSun Community Garden.** The plan is for us to plant these gardens and donate the produce to Vet's Food Bank and the regular food bank or others. It will not take much time but it is an important ad-

dition to our Stewardship. **There's a sign up sheet in the Hall if you would like to help with watering. Our plots are numbers 33 & 34.**

HISTORIC CHAPEL There is an ongoing beautification project at the Historic Chapel. Watch for more information to find out how you can help!

Confirmation: See Father Cyril or contact the Parish Office if you or your teen are interested in confirmation. **Set to get underway this Spring with a view to confirmation in the Fall.**

Memorial Benches: we will be installing some Memorial benches around St. Paul's. If you are interested in contributing to or purchasing a bench in memory of a loved one please contact the Parish Office by the end of today..

Cleaning Summer Help: Baraka will be away for July and August so we are looking for someone to do the cleaning during this time. It is approximately 3.5 hours a week of cleaning. You will be paid for your work.

Lawn Care: We are in need of more volunteers to help with lawn mowing. This is a paid position. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

Clothing to donate?: While the Yard Sale is not accepting clothing donations, there are two ways to donate clothes at St. Paul's. You can leave new or used backpacks or travel bags, clothes, coats, boots and running shoes by the 'Alpha House' signs on the coat rack near the chapel. Or, you can donate any clothes or footwear by using the Calgary Humane Society collection bin beside the parking lot.

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Outreach

PWRDF

The work of PWRDF is the work of many hands: Hands, working and creative, that build economies that restore dignity and self-reliance. Hands with a strong and solid grip that join with returning refugees to rebuild their communities, and make a future for their children PWRDF needs your hands to help support this work

5th Sundays of the Month are Food for Others Sundays at St. Paul's. Everyone is invited to bring non-perishable food items to share. The Food Bank bin will be brought to the front and all gifts prayed over at Announcement time.

Pregnancy Care Centre Baby Bottle Campaign: The campaign ends next Sunday, June 16. Please return your baby bottle so we can send them to the Centre for counting. If you haven't started, there are bottles available in the Hall under the Sign Up board. Help yourself. The centre will provide donation receipts for amounts of \$25 or more.

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AgeCare Seton: The next service will be Monday, June 17, at 10 am . Thank you to Heather Johnson and Leona Zadour for participating in this ministry. If you would like to be a part of the team going please contact Fergus. Thanks, also, to Bob Mummery for leading when Fergus can't be present.

Inreach With many in our Parish congregation going through financial struggles at present due to the economy, a special fund has been set-up. Donations marked "Financial Help for Parishioners" are also welcome. If you are in need of financial help, or know of someone in our Parish who is (and you have their permission), please let Fergus know. He will maintain absolute confidentiality. This is one way we can care for one another, and all get through this challenging time together. Thank you to everyone who has donated to this fund, which presently sits at approximately \$2,000 with \$5,000 having been disbursed.

Please join us for our 2nd annual NeST picnic with Khalil, Kholoud and family. Spouse/partner/parents/families are welcome to join you. We will gather once again at Edworthy Park, likely the same site as last year (Site 4, accessed from either Spruce Dr SW or Memorial Dr NW, see link below for map), on Thursday June 27th. Let's start gathering around 4:00 PM. Working folks, come when you can! There will be soccer balls, etc, to keep everyone amused, and we'll plan to eat once most people have arrived. We will have barbecues available for you to use. Bring your main course, dishes, and perhaps a side dish / snack / dessert to share. If you bring a dish to share, please make it halal. We will have marshmallows for roasting. If the weather is really bad, we may have to cancel. Ruth will send out an email if we are cancelling the picnic! Please RSVP to Ruth at rwparent@telus.net Hope to see you there! The NeST Admin Team.

Pastoral Care

If you know of anyone who is beginning Chemo treatment and would benefit from receiving a Chemo Care Bag please contact Robbie Coller.

If you'd like to be part of our Pastoral Care Team, please contact Fergus or Nicola Peden. Training (courses from the Roman Catholic Diocese, which are paid for by the Parish) is available.

Prayer Shawl Ministry will be meeting once a month on the second Wednesday of the month. The next meeting will be September 11 at 1 pm. All are welcome!

Thank you to Kerry Peters for making "holding crosses" for our Pastoral Care Team to share with those they visit.

Welcome

A word to newcomers and visitors: St. Paul's welcomes you and invites you to make this your church home. Please indicate on a pew card, located in the pew racks, how we can help you feel part of the family. Please place the card on the offering plate or hand it to one of the clergy or Parish Council members.

If you are a newcomer, please sign our guest book which is on the stand by the sanctuary doors

Opportunities to Serve

Coffee Time: Thank you to *Team 2: The Saints* for coffee today. **Next Sunday will be Team 3: The Young and the Rest of Us surnames K-P.**

2019 Flower Chart is on the sign up board by the kitchen. Please remember to fill out a Dedication form and leave it in the envelope when you sign up. The cost for flowers is **\$30.00** and it can be put in your envelope and marked for flowers.

Prayer Chain Requests: Please contact Dinah Breu with your prayer requests.

Casserole Ministry: If you know of anyone who would benefit from receiving a casserole. Please contact Linda Hubert.

Cards Ministry: Gail Munro will send greetings on behalf of our parish to anyone in the parish who is ill, etc.

Living Waters: Sunday, June 23 is the deadline for *Living Waters* submissions for the July/August Edition. Please submit to office@stpaulscalgary.ca or by hard copy to the office.

Rides Assistance: If you need or can help provide rides for members who have a hard time getting to services, appointments or visiting their loved ones, please contact the office.

Sign: We'd like to change the sign more regu-

larly, but to do this we need helpers. If you can help, please contact Paul Bourgeois or the Office.

Servers: We are looking for more volunteers to be servers at our Sunday services **Adults are welcome to join this ministry.**

Sunday School: **Please contact Gloria Ford if you are interested in helping with Sunday school.**

Monthly Cleaning Volunteers If you would like more info. please contact Laura Anne at the Parish Office. Sign up sheet is on the Janitor Room Door.

Altar Guild: **If you are interested in serving on the Altar Guild please let Robbie know.**

Parish Council: We are looking for volunteers for the following positions: **Deputy Wardens, and Youth contact on Parish Council (a teen age 16 or older).** If you are interested in any of these positions or would like more information please contact the Wardens or Fergus.

Alpha Film Series Leaders. We're looking for leaders to work with Fergus, Ingrid Bolton, Stephanie Evans, Gloria Ford and Laura O'Neill. **Training is provided. For more info, please talk with Fergus. Having attended Alpha is an asset, not a requirement.**

Are you moving? Downsizing? Fall cleaning? Please check our parish wish list below to see if there are any items you could repurpose and help us out...thanks! WISH LIST

✓Cover for BBQ so person barbecuing at our parish events stays dry if it is raining ✓1 more couch for back room .

Regular Weekly Activities at St. Paul's:

Mon.: Bible Study 7:00 pm
Tues.: Young at Heart 1 to 3 pm Phone the office for information (e.g meeting location)
Prayer Group : 7:00 pm Next meeting June 18
Wed.: Holy Eucharist 9:30 am
(Grey Booklet 1st to 3rd, BCP 4th, and Celtic 5th Wednesdays.)
Bible Study 10:30 am Studying the Sunday readings
Prayer Shawl Ministry (2nd Wednesday each Month) September 11 at 1 pm
Alpha Film Series (beginning September 18)
Thurs.: TOPS :6:30 pm
Après EFM: 1st and 3rd 7:00 pm