



St. George's e-Touch

Friday April 27, 2018 – Saturday May 5, 2018

This Sunday Easter 5 April 29, 2018:

Presider: Rev. Dr. Neil Mancor

Preacher: Sandra Holmes

Topic: Paul's Sermon at Athens

MC: Andrea Carter

Readings: Acts 17:16-31
John 1:16-18

This Week:

Mon 1:00 Women's Bible Study

Tues 7:00 Boundaries

Wed 1:00 Pizza Lunch
7:00 Leadership Meeting

Thurs 7:15 Choir Practice

Fri 7:00 AMPLIFIED Youth Group

Sat 8:15 Men's Breakfast,
Pincourt



Fundscrip gift cards – you've heard of them, you know that the Church sells them. What do they do? They raise additional funds for our ministries without any additional cost to you the buyer. Last year we raised nearly \$4,000. This year, sales have slowed. We all eat, we all buy groceries. If we were to all buy Fundscrip for groceries only, we could make a real difference for St. George's. Provigo, Maxi, Metro, Super C, IGA and Walmart. How can we miss with this program? We can miss if we don't participate. We have several regular customers but for the most part, most of us don't buy the cards. Why? No idea. Purchasing groceries through the program doesn't cost us one cent more than paying by cash or credit. Cards are available during office hours, and after the 10 o'clock service. You can also order online at www.fundscrip.com with invitation code is J6HC44.

Volunteer Opportunity

CHSLD Denis Benjamin Viger, located in Ile Bizard is looking for volunteers to come and visit with some of the residents as well as helping out at some of the activities. They are recruiting caring and compassionate volunteers who would like to make a difference in the community and enjoy working with seniors. They offer a flexible schedule and as little as an hour or two per week is needed to visit a resident or to help out with their recreational activities!

For more information please contact Elizabeth Bruineman, Volunteer Coordinator at 514-620-6310 ext. 3734 or by email at

elizabeth.bruineman.comtl@ssss.gouv.qc.ca

Celebrating Anglican Women

Please join the Right Rev'd Mary Irwin-Gibson in celebrating Anglican Church Women – Thursday May 10, 10:30 am at the Diocese with special guest Sally Richmond, executive director of Logifem, a women's shelter. Everyone welcome! RSVP to Margaret at 450-698-2780.

Big Band Concert

As you all know, we are organizing a Big Band Concert as a fundraising event on Saturday May 26th.

The name of the band that will give the concert is **Generations Big Band**, which is made up of 17 musicians.....5 saxophones, 4 trombones, 5 horns, 1 piano player, 1 drummer under the direction of the conductor George Doxas who plays the base cello.

They had invited me to attend their regular weekly rehearsal at the Segal Center and to get to meet some of the musicians at the same time. My son Adam and I went to see the band rehearse 3 weeks ago.

Both of us were pleasantly surprised at what we heard!! It was wonderful!!! Such beautiful music!!!! In the first 30 minutes we were there they played **Glenn Miller's In the Mood, Pennsylvania 6-5000, Chattanooga Choo Choo, New York - New York, Londonderry Air.**

They will send me their official list of songs for the concert later this month and I am sure it will include music from Benny Goodman, Duke Ellington, Tommy Dorsey and other greats!!!

I urge you all to come and please invite your family and friends. Remember that all children 16 and under will be admitted for free!!!

The concert will last 2 hours, from 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm, including a 20 minute intermission where we will sell pop, chips, chocolate, water and juices downstairs in the lower hall for those who want some . There will be no assigned seating, so we are encouraging people to come early.

I will be selling tickets after the 10:00 am Sunday service for the next few weeks but you can also call the church office at 514-457-6934 to reserve tickets. (Leave a message with your phone number)

See you all at the concert!! And remember that this makes a great Mother's day or Father's Day present!!!!

By Gerry Zampini

Fellowship

The coffee hour after the service allows more time for understanding what members of the congregation are experiencing in their lives and affords an opportunity for visitors to meet parishioners. Thank-you to everyone who volunteers as a refreshment host providing coffee, tea and sweets each week.

The annual BBQ, scheduled for June 10 after the 10:00 AM service also provides a further opportunity to get to know new members and for continuing old friendships.

Food Drive

St. George's has a strong bond with The Dorion Dream Center which serves an average of 65 families weekly with both a food basket and a community supper. They are in short supply of non-perishable goods. Boxes are located at the back of our church for the next few weeks while we help them stock their shelves. If you would like to know more about the awesome work that the Dream Center is doing, we will be showing their video at coffee hour on Sunday. Thank you for your generosity.

Melodia Choir

Under the direction of Bob Harvey, presenting its Spring concert "Love and Other Rhythms" on Saturday, May 12th, 2018 at 7:30 pm at Parish of the Resurrection, St. Andrew and St. Mark Anglican Church, 865 Lakeshore Road, Dorval, Qc H9S 2C7. Tickets are \$20 and may be purchased ahead of time or at the door. Please call 514.630.4328. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to Dorval Community Aid. Light refreshments will be served after the concert.

Prayer List

Periodically we will be taking the prayer requests from the bulletins and adding them to The e-Touch so that all members, including those who are not able to attend worship services will be able to pray for those listed.

Your prayers are invited for: Brenda, Ray, Peggy and family, Valerie, Ann, Sandy, Dave, Art, Marion, Rob, Emeka, Rick, Diane, Therese, Gabriel, Laverne, Catherine, Loic, Margaret, Brittany, David, Eric, Karen, our Messy Church Leaders and confirmands, our foster child Melaku

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Office Hours: Tues, Thurs, Fri

8:00 – 12:00

Weekly Offering

Offering for April 22: \$2,194.09

Thank you to everyone who is giving regularly at St. George's whether via cash, cheque, PAR, or online. If you are able, we greatly appreciate the PAR donation approach, as it helps ensure regular cash flow for our church's ministry, despite attendance patterns - especially in the summer and during vacation times. Please know that regardless of donation method, your support of the Lord's work through St. George's is deeply appreciated. Any questions or concerns regarding donations can be directed to:

richardhowarth@videotron.ca

100 GIFTS OF \$180 DOLLARS

Have you committed to meet the challenge?

100 Gifts of \$180: 15 identifiable gifts have been received so far while 22 envelopes have been taken. This is awesome! Take the challenge and help us bridge the budgeted deficit.

For info on all of our weekly activities and special events, please consult our website or Facebook page. We welcome your submissions for e-Touch; please note the deadline for your requested inclusion is Thursday at noon.

Last week's answer: A) Praying and singing hymns to God