St. George's Lowville

April 26, 2018

Spring Clean Up

Saturday April 28, 2018 is our spring clean up day. 9 am to noon Volunteers are needed for inside and outside jobs; list below For some jobs, chain saw is needed. If you have one, please bring it

Books to Borrow

This month we are featuring two very different books on prayer.

Catherine Marshall's **Adventures in Prayer** calls us to find God's help through Intercessory Prayer. Amongst the types of prayer she discusses are the prayer of helplessness, of waiting, of dreaming and the prayer of joyous blessing.

Joyce Rupp's **Prayer** invites us, through her prose, poetry and prayers, to develop a closer relationship with God, not only by talking to God but by listening for the "still small voice" through which God speaks to us.

Announcements

- Food this month is being collected for the Salvation Army foodbank in Milton and will be blessed on April 29th.
- Sunday April 29th: Eucharist and Blessing the food collected for the Salvation Army Food Bank in Milton; Parish Meeting after the service.
- Saturday May 5th: Consecration of Bishop-elect Susan at the Cathedral, 11 am.
- Nigel has two tickets to the Consecration of Bishop. Anyone interested please speak with Nigel.

Can be watched on video: see diocesan website at www.niagaraanglican.ca

- Sunday May 6th: Eucharist at 9:30 am; Fiddle concert at 2 pm., tickets \$15 from Susan Recoskie or Bonnie Powell, or from the office.
- Tuesday May 8th: Clericus (regional clergy meeting) meets at St. George's at 12 noon for Eucharist followed by lunch.
- Thursday May 10th: Ascension Day. Eucharist at 11:00 am followed by a light lunch.
- Sunday May 13th: Eucharist and Mother's Day 9:30 am.
- Sunday May 20th: Pentecost Day Eucharist at 9;30 am.
- Sunday May 27th: Trinity Sunday, Eucharist at 9:30 am

Ongoing Announcements

- **Prayer Chain**: For confidential requests for prayer by prayer chain members, please contact Bev Mitchell: m.beverlyj@cogeco.ca or <u>905-878-7505</u>
- **Singers!** Come lend your voice to our songs. Practice on Sunday mornings before church at 8:45 am. All welcome.

Outside Announcements

 Saturday May 12th at 8:30 am. Set up for Kids Against Hunger Food Pack Event. Volunteers to pack food starting at 10:00 till Noon. Contact Kinh Quach
<u>@ kquach@keybase.com</u> or 416-315-7568 to sign up. Pizza Lunch to follow and clean up, out by 2:00 pm.

Clean Up Day

Inside Jobs:

- Clean Ovens (which have been sprayed with Easy Off) and replace Aluminum foil
- Clean out fridges
- Clean cupboards under sinks in both kitchens

Outside Jobs:

- Cut up fallen branches in Cemetery needs chain saw
- Pick up all winter wreathes and plastic flowers from Cemetery
- Check cemetery for what else needs to be done
- Pick up twigs in cemetery and around church grounds perimeter

Later:

- Should the flower bed next to the Patio be put to grass?
- Beds on S side of church are full of weeds, need to be dug out and covered with mulch
- Flowers for planters (May 24)