



22nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, OCTOBER 21, 2018

St. Mark's extends a special welcome to our guests worshipping with us this morning. We pray that your time spent here is meaningful to you and that you will join us again. We invite you to sign the Guest Book, located in the Narthex. If you would like to know more about our community, please fill in the card provided in the pews. This may be given to one of our ushers or put on the offering plate. Ushers will also direct you to nursery care for children 2yrs and younger.

Ushering Team – October: — Brian Parkes, Louise Folks, Anne M'Pherson

Sunday Coffee Volunteers – October: — Marie M'Clurg, Jesca Yiga, Joanna Lee

Pastoral Care Co-ordinator – October: — Merle Morrison – 416-445-2883

This Week at St. Mark's.....

Tuesday	Oct. 23	9:15am	Worship & Music Team	Knox Hall
		6:30pm	Myung Sung Prayer Service	MS Office
		7:00pm	SESSION	Knox Hall
Wednesday	Oct. 24	9:00am	Kiwanis Club	Knox Hall
		9:00am	Quilters	Games Room
		12:45-2:30pm	Fitness Class	Knox Hall
		7:00pm	Pathfinders/Rangers	Knox H/Basement
Thursday	Oct. 25	4:45-6:45pm	SMiLe Violins	Sanctuary
		7:00pm	Toastmasters	Knox Hall
		7:00pm	Choir Practice	Sanctuary
Saturday	Oct. 27	6:00am-8:00am	Myung Sung Morning Prayer	Sanctuary/Knox H
		10am-3:30pm	SMiLe Violins	Basement
Sunday	Oct. 28	10:30am	Reformation Sunday/Food Collection – Rev. Daniel Cho	
		10:30am	Children & Youth Programme	

12:30-7pm – Sunday Worship & Programme/Augustine Room/CE Wing/Knox Hall/Sanctuary

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

This will be the last Sunday to pick up your copy of the In Touch newsletter on your way home today. If you are able to deliver to a friend or neighbour it would be a great help. Elders, please check if any of your communicants have not picked up their copy. Remaining newsletters will be mailed on Tuesday. Thank you!

* **HOLLY BAZAAR & LUNCH** – November 10, 11am-2pm. Today begins our expanded information sheet. Please take your copy home and post for quick references of dates, times etc. Available in the welcome centre are personal invitations for friends/neighbours and our information sheet. We would appreciate your help in advertising this event.

* **RAFFLE TICKETS** – In an effort to sell more tickets and to raise more money, we have prepared booklets of 10 tickets hoping many of you in the congregation will assist us by taking a booklet to share with your friends outside of our church family. Tickets will be on sale today at coffee hour. Raffle tickets: \$3.00 each, 2 for \$5.00 or 5 for \$10.00.

* **FOR THOSE WHO ARE DONATING HOME BAKED ITEMS FOR HOLLY BAZAAR BAKE TABLE, THIS NOTE IS FOR YOU.** Please package squares, cookies, tarts, muffins on strong paper or foam plates covered with plastic wrap secured with Scotch tape. Package pies and fruit loaves securely with plastic wrap. Please label/identify baking and indicate if it contains nuts. Please bring items in on Friday, November 9th between 7 and 9pm or no later than 9:30am on Saturday. Thank you for helping to make our Bazaar a success.

A WARM GREETING TO YOU ALL - I'm writing to invite you to an upcoming event at **Donway Baptist** on **Saturday November 10th**. Cheryl Bear, singer, songwriter and educator will be giving a concert and a talk at our church that evening. She is a member of the Nadeh Whut'en First Nation, British Columbia and has been serving as our national church's Indigenous relations specialist. She has been travelling across the country, providing leadership and education to churches seeking to be more engaged with First Nations communities. If you want more details on her work, you can follow these links (shematters.cbmin.org/ and <https://www.cbmin.org/press-release-cheryl-bear-cbm-strategic-associate/>)

Pastor Jim Knight, Donway Baptist Church

* **REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICES** Each year, the City of Toronto organizes annual Remembrance Day services at seven different locations across the city. 2018 marks the centennial of the armistice which ended the First World War. In your area of the city, the following Remembrance Day Services are being organized by the City of Toronto: **North York: Sunday, November 11, 2018. 10:45am at Toronto Centre for the Arts, George Weston Recital Hall, 5040 Yonge Street** For a full list of Remembrance Day initiatives, please visit the City of Toronto's website.

* **USHERS NEEDED** - Our monthly ushering teams are in need of additional volunteers to fill several vacancies. Please contact Brian Parkes or Veronica during office hours, should you wish to serve in this very important duty at St. Mark's. We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you!

* **FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY** – We invite anybody who wishes to put flowers in the Sanctuary to mark a special occasion or in memory of a loved one to contact Marion Kezes at 416-441-3727.

* **EVANGEL HALL SANDWICHES** – Please call the office if you would like further information on our monthly delivery of sandwiches. **Sandwich drop off to St. Mark's is Monday, October 29, 2018 between 9am-2pm. Delivery date to Evangel Hall will be the morning of Tuesday, October 30, 2018.**

* **EVANGEL HALL CLOTHING** – Urgently needed items: **Adult Clothing:** new underwear, jeans, sweatshirts, track pants, running shoes, T-shirts, rain ponchos, fall jackets, large backpacks, **Personal Needs:** toothbrushes & toothpaste, deodorant, lip balm small shampoo and conditioner, bars of soap (regular and travel size) Rub A535, feminine hygiene products. **Food Items:** beans or meat, powdered milk, rice, pasta, tea bags, coffee. **Food Collection, Sunday, October 28. Please bring clothing on the Sunday before our next delivery (Tuesday October 30, 2018) and not before.**

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday, October 23 – Session Meeting – 7:00pm – Knox Hall

Sunday, November 4 – Holy Communion (Intinction) – Guest Preacher: The Rev. Ian Ross-McDonald (General Secretary of the Life & Mission Agency, PCC)

Monday, November 5 – HOLLY BAZAAR PRICING DAY – 10:00am Knox Hall

Saturday, November 10 – HOLLY BAZAAR & LUNCH – 11am-2pm

Sunday, November 11 – Remembrance Sunday/ Deadline for Christmas In Touch – Rev. Daniel Cho

Friday, November 16 – KIDS' ZONE – 9am-4pm

Sunday, November 18 – Guest Preacher: Rev. Dr. Herb Gale (former Moderator of the PCC & former Associate Secretary of Planned Giving)

Saturday, December 1 – Christian Education – Advent Breakfast – 9:00am Knox Hall

Sunday, December 2 – Advent I - Holy Communion – Rev. Daniel Cho

Saturday, December 8 – Women's Advent Gathering – watch for further details

Sunday, December 9 – White Gift Sunday – 10:30am – Rev. Daniel Cho

Christmas Fanfare & Pot Luck – Combined Service with Myung Sung – 4:30pm

Wednesday, December 12 – Christmas Afternoon Communion – 2:00pm

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Church Office – OFFICE HOURS 7am – 2:45pm Tuesday-Thursday. OFF-SITE HOURS Monday & Friday.

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