

Sudbury Manitoulin Deanery Digest

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Pentecost 2018

[News and Events:](#)

1. Current and Future Events to Mark on Your Calendars:

a. Church of the Ascension

Website: <http://www.churchoftheascensionsudbury.com>

Rector: Rev. Aiden Armstrong

Honorary Clergy: Rev. Jeff Hooper, Rev. Dr. Robert Derrenbacker
and Rt. Rev. Dr. Steven Andrews

Worship Services

September 9th we are back to two services 9 and 11 am.

Youth Group – October 14th

Youth ages 11–15 are invited to a youth group on Sunday night from 7–8pm. It will start on Sunday nights on October 14th and will run every Sunday night until mid-December then pick up again in the new year! Come for games, snack and Christian fellowship! If you have any questions please speak with Fr. Aidan or Jesse Clapperton.

Who is My Neighbour – October 2018

Jesus commands us to love our neighbours and we love ourselves, but what does this mean? This fall on Wednesday evenings in October we here at the Ascension will be looking at this question: what does it mean to be a good neighbor? We will begin our series by watching the new biography about Mr. Rogers “Won’t you be my Neighbor”. In following weeks, we will be watching short videos or listening to a sermon and discussing the book *The Art of Neighboring* by Jay Pathak and Dave Runyon. If you are interested

in participating in this study, please speak to Fr. Aidan. All Welcome!

Chili Cookoff – November 10th. See attached Poster.
The Church of the Ascension is having a Chili Cookoff on November 10th, doors will open at 5pm. Tickets are \$12 each. If you are interested in tickets or cooking chili, please speak with Jen Ames or Father Aidan. 705 –566–2790.

Snowflake Tea – Thursday Nov 22nd 2018 See attached poster.
6:30 to 8 PM Tickets \$6.00. Contact Cathy Dionne 705–524–6106

The Gifts of Story and Song – Friday Nov 30th at 7 PM
See attached Poster. Tickets \$20.00. Contact Kath Greenidge or Fr. Aidan

ALPHA
Spring of 2019. Details to follow

b. Church of the Epiphany

Website: <http://www.epiphanysudbury.org>

Curate: Rev. Sarah Armstrong

Interim Priest-in-Charge: Rt. Rev. Tom Corston (Part-Time) who also provides Bishop services to the Diocese of Moosenee

Honorary Associate: Rev. Rhonda Hirst, Lead Chaplain for the Health Sciences North Spiritual and Religious Care Department.

Worship Services: 8:30 AM, a spoken BCP service, and 10:30 AM, choral Eucharist.

Quilter's Group

Our Quilters plus group meets Thursday mornings at 9:30 and is always willing to welcome new members who quilt or sew or knit etc. Or who may want to learn. We also offer space for a number of different community groups, including AA, a ladies exercise group, karate, Girl Guides and Raging Fire. The Epiphany is being used almost every day and evening.

Men's Breakfast

Oct. 27 – The Men's club will be hosting a breakfast at which a local police officer will speak about the new marijuana laws.

Lunch and Learn Oct. 28:

Guest speaker, Patricia Elkerton of Toronto who will bring us the unsettling reality of Human Trafficking taking place around us at an increasing rate.

Patricia comes to us with a wealth of knowledge and experience from having served on the 'front-line' with survivors of Human Trafficking, in addition to having worked with anti-trafficking coalitions, law enforcement, and municipal governments to tackle the systemic issues that allow traffickers to operate in our communities.

The issue of Human Trafficking is immense, dark, and hits closer to home than we might expect. As baptized members of Christ's church, we are invited to participate in His ministry of bringing the light into the darkest places of our world. Ahead of the event next Sunday, you are invited to be in prayer this week, that Lord may prepare our hearts for what we will hear. Opportunities to process and discuss what Patricia shares with us will be made available in the weeks following the Lunch and Learn. Please be assured of Bishop Tom and Reverend Sarah's prayers as we prepare to engage with this challenging and important discussion. We sincerely hope that you will take part. Please let us know if you plan to attend so we know how many to feed 705-675-2279.

Deanery Day Saturday Nov 3 See Deanery News below.

Taize Prayer Service

Sunday Nov 25 4 PM followed by a dinner at 6 PM. Tickets available at 705-675-2279.

Out of the Cold Dinners

Fridays 6-7 PM beginning late November. Bishop Tom and Reverend Sarah continue to work cooperation with St. Andrews United which also hosts these dinners.

- c. Parish of Copper Cliff and Lively
Website: www.thelivelyanglican.ca

Worship Times

9 AM at Christ Church and 11 AM at St. John's

Great Pumpkin Fall Fair

St. John's October 29 11 AM to 2 PM. \$2 General Admission. Menu includes chili, harvest soup and Dessert. Vendors and bake, jams/preserves, white elephant tables. See Attached poster for details.

Messy Church

Fall Ecumenical events Nov 6 and Dec 4 at St. John's in Copper Cliff. 4:45-7 PM.

Holly Fair November 17 at Christ Church

Meal Deal: \$5.00 soup and sandwich, beverage and dessert.
Bake table, Knitting, Sewing, Crafts, Touch and Take, and New to You tables

Christmas Gift Tags (All money raised goes directly to the Walden Food Bank)

Grannies table (gentle used items) all money raised goes directly to the Grandmother's in Africa.

Christ Church 65th Anniversary Dinner

November 24th Pot Luck Dinner

Parish Small Group Ministry

Knitting/Crochet: Tuesday 10 AM at St. John's

Bible Studies: Wed 10 AM at St. John's

Men's Wed 7 PM Christ Church member's home

Ladies Friday 11:30 AM at St. John's

Nursing/Retirement Homes

Pioneer Manor (Sudbury), Extendicare York (Sudbury), St. Joseph's Villas (Sudbury), St. Gabriels Villas (Chelmsford), Meadowbrook Village (Lively), Walford on the Park (Copper Cliff)

Other Community Ministries

Out of the Cold dinners

Good Food box

Messy Church

Mom's and Tots

Breakfast for kids at a Lively School

Walden Winter Carnival

d. Parish of Elliot Lake/Massy

Rector: Rev. Henk Willems and Rev. Beth Topps

Worship Hours

St. Peters Anglican Elliot Lake—9.30 am

Faith Lutheran Elliot Lake—11.00 am—1st and 3rd Sunday

Zion Lutheran Massey 2nd Sunday of the month at 1 pm

Gowan Gillmore Sagamok 2.00 pm at Harvey Owl house
every 4th Sunday

Christmas Tea

Is being held at St. Peter's in late November.

Adult Confirmation Service

November 25th 9:30 AM

Coldest Night of the Year

St. Peter's is hosting this event in February 2019. They continue to help out in the Elliot Lake Food Bank, particularly during Lent

e. St. Alban, Capreol

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/alban.church>

Rector: Rev. Jeff Hooper (part-time); Jeff is also an Honorary Clergy,
Church of the Ascension

Christmas Tea or Bazaar

I know it's early, but just a heads up to anyone planning a Christmas Tea or Bazaar. St. Alban's will be holding its Annual Christmas Tea & Bazaar on Nov. 10 from 1 – 3 p.m. Valarie Tyron

95th Anniversary Dinner – Sat., Nov. 24, 2018 @ 6 p.m. very important event in the life of the folks in Capreol Anglican Parish. See attached poster for details. Contact Susan @ 969-3026 or Barb/Stan @ 858-1595 for tickets.

f. All Saints Anglican, Coniston

Website: <https://allsaintsangcon.weebly.com>

Rector: Rev. Canon Jenny Rollins

Worship Services: Sundays 10 AM

Bible and Prayer Wednesdays 7 PM (led by lay reader,
Jean-Paul Aubertin)

Community Ministries

Run the Coniston Food Bank

Sudbury Jail: lay helpers with Jenny Rollins who also runs a Kairos program once a year for men and women with help from other Deanery people

g. The Anglican Churches of Manitoulin Island

Website:

[http://dioceseofalgoma.com/UploadedFiles/file/Job%20Postings/Manitoulin%20Island%20Profile%20Dec%202015%20\(reduced\).pdf](http://dioceseofalgoma.com/UploadedFiles/file/Job%20Postings/Manitoulin%20Island%20Profile%20Dec%202015%20(reduced).pdf)

Rector: Rev. Doug Prebble

i. All Saints, Gore Bay

Worship Service: every second Sunday at 11 AM.

ii. Holy Trinity, Little Current

Worship Services: every second Sunday at 9 AM and alternate week Mid-week Service

Christmas Dinner in December

iii. St. John the Evangelist, Kagawong

Worship Services: every second Sunday at 9 AM

Community Ministries:

Welcome Baskets for newcomers

Participate in Christmas Shoe Boxes and Winter hats and mitts for children

Christmas Baskets for those in need

Manitoulin Food Bank at Christmas

Christmas in Kagawong Saturday Nov 17: crafts and bake sale in the church's hall and cider, Christmas Cake, carols in the church's Nave

iv. St. Paul's, Manitowaning

Worship Services: Monday's at 5:30 PM

v. St. Francis of Assisi, Mindemoya

Worship Services: every second Sunday, Sunday School and Sunday Service at 11 AM

h. St. Georges, Espanola

Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/St-Georges-Espanola-1657007827882930/>

Lay Pastor: Beverly van der Jagt

Worship Services: Sunday 10:30 AM

Remembrance Day Service: Nov 11 7 PM with the Espanola Legion,
Church bell will be rung 100 times by a descendent of a
WW 1 soldier

Ministries

Messy Church

Stewardship Committee: planning a special worship service
and to make visits to congregation members

Baptism Service being arranged and the first wedding since
2014

Christmas Bake Sale December 1 in the Espanola Mall

Christmas Pot Luck for Seniors December 12

2. Deanery Council News:

Website: <http://www.deanerysudbury-manitoulin.org>

a. Deanery Council

At our Council meeting Oct 20, Archdeacon Glen Miller spoke to us about Holy Listening as a way to discuss controversial topics in our congregations, Deanery, Diocese, National Church and world wide Anglican Communion. We participated in an exercise focused on the upcoming changes in the Marriage Canon being proposed for 2nd reading at the General Synod of The Anglican Church of Canada in July 2019. Some of the congregations in this Deanery have already begun using Holy Listening exercise.

b. Deanery Day November 3 2018 at Church of the Epiphany

Good morning fellow sojourners...

Attached is a small poster for you to post in your churches and to advertize the event among your people. I hope this might be a good day for our people. I would also encourage you to download the "In Sure & Certain Hope" program and study guide from the Anglican Church of Canada's website (Resources > Ethics) and make it available to those interested. Posted by Rt. Rev. Tom Corston

3. Algoma News:

Website: <http://www.dioceseofalgoma.com/>

a. Thorneloe University

President, Provost, and Vice-Chancellor

Thorneloe University invites nominations, applications, and expressions of interest for the above position

[http://dioceseofalgoma.com/UploadedFiles/files/Job%20Postings/President%20Search%20Job%20Ad%20\(FINAL%20VERSION\).pdf](http://dioceseofalgoma.com/UploadedFiles/files/Job%20Postings/President%20Search%20Job%20Ad%20(FINAL%20VERSION).pdf)

b. We have a new Archbishop and Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province Ontario

Posted: October 11, 2018

By now, many of you have heard the news that our Bishop was elected at the recent convocation of Provincial Synod, October 9–12, to serve as Ontario's new Metropolitan. She will be installed to this office on October 11th during the Synod at Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, Primate Fred Hiltz will serve as preacher. She will now be styled as The Most Rev. Anne Germond, Archbishop of Algoma and Metropolitan of Ontario. The proper ways to address her are 'Archbishop Anne', 'Archbishop Germond', or 'Your Grace'.

c. The Legalization of Marijuana – statement from Archbishop Anne Germond. October 19, 2018

On October 17th, the Cannabis Act came into effect in Canada. The Act has been designed to 'better protect the health and safety of Canadians, to keep cannabis out of the hands of youth and to keep profits out of the hands of criminals and organized crime.'

Now that it is legal to purchase, possess and use cannabis in certain circumstances I ask you to familiarize yourself with the Act so that you are aware of the legal implications for Canadians. To learn more you can go to www.Canada.ca/Cannabis .

Canada is only the second country in the world, and the first G7 nation to implement legislation to permit a nationwide marijuana market. While it is perfectly legal for you to use marijuana, I would strongly discourage its use amongst the clergy and people of the Diocese of Algoma and prohibit its use on all properties belonging to the Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Algoma. This includes its use inside brownies on church bake tables or in casseroles at pot luck suppers.

Yours in Christ,

++Anne

d. Prayers Requested

October 19, 2018

We are saddened to announce that the Rev. Ted Reinhardt, Honourary Emeritus at St. Saviour's, Blind River, and resident of Elliot Lake, is in critical condition in the Elliot Lake Hospital. He has been on a respirator and sedated for the past week. His family are requesting prayers for him from his Diocesan family and friends. We ask that God will grant wisdom and compassion to his caregivers. We ask that you also uphold his family in your prayers as they meet with his medical team.

"So do not fear, for I am with you;
do not be dismayed, for I am your God.
I will strengthen you and help you;
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."
~ Isaiah 41:10

Eucharist

Richard Meux Benson, our Society's founder, wrote that in the Eucharist, God grasps us and pulls us onward. God does not simply give us sustenance for today. God reaches out a hand and pulls forward to the future, to change, to becoming more.

–Br. Luke Ditewig
Society of Saint John the Evangelist
Website: <https://www.ssje.org/>

We send the Deanery Digest weekly on Fridays, usually before 10 PM.

Feel free to send me and Allison Cline–Dean (our Webmaster) any and all events and news. Articles are also very welcome. You can use either my personal email as above or the Deanery email address above.

We would like to receive items by the Wednesday evening before Friday. Some items may be repeated due the date of the event. If you have some news and/or articles and miss the Sunday cut off, please send directly to either personal e–mail address above. We will gladly include parish events, special events, and worship times. Please make sure all info is as accurate as possible, and any poster type submissions are as camera ready as possible to be included as PDF attachments to the Digest.

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