

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 9 AM and 11AM.

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.

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. Aiden

ALPHA
Spring of 2019.

b. Church of the Epiphany

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

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

Curate: Rev. Sarah Armstrong

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

Worship Services: 8:30 AM 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.

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.

Christmas Market Dec 2 2018 9 AM – 2 PM. See attached poster

c. Parish of Copper Cliff and Lively

Website: www.thelivelyanglican.ca

Rector: Archdeacon Glen Miller

Honorary Deacon Associate: Rev. Dr. Pattie Brace

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

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. See attached Poster

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 (Communion Services)

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 Services

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 Honorary Clergy, Church of the Ascension

Service Worships Sunday Worship and Sunday School at 11 AM

Christmas Tea or Bazaar See attached poster

St. Alban's will be holding its Annual Christmas Tea & Bazaar on Nov. 10 from 1 – 3 p.m.

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 7-9 PM

Community Ministries

Run the Coniston Food Bank which serves Coniston and surrounding areas Thursdays 1-3 PM

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

Heavenly Hash Dinner: November 46 PM at St. Patrick Catholic Church on Walford Road Sudbury. See attached poster.

Fall Tea and Bazaar November 24 12 –2 PM at All Saints. Poster attached

We provide Christmas Assistance to some 40 families each year consisting of large food hamper and Christmas gifts

- 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: Sunday at 11 AM.
 - ii. Holy Trinity, Little Current
 Worship Services: Sunday at 9 AM; Mid-week Service

 Christmas Dinner in December
 - iii. St. John the Evangelist, Kagawong
 Worship Services: 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: 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 in their discussions.

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. Diocese of Algoma

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

a. 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

- b. A pastoral message from Archbishop Anne – prayers requested for victims of Pittsburgh tragedy

Posted: October 29, 2018

Monday 29th October

Dear People of God,

Let us join our hearts and prayers with people from every creed, race and nation in holding before God the victims of Saturday's shooting at The Tree of Life Synagogue in Pittsburgh, and those whose lives have been shattered by this tragedy. David and Cecil, Sylvan and Bernice, Joyce, Richard, Jerry, Daniel, Melvin, Irving, and Rose were cherished by their families, well respected in their communities, beloved of God, made in God's own image and likeness.

Like us they sought solace in their time of worship, in the sanctuary which they knew to be a holy place of prayer and fellowship where God always was with them. In a few short minutes that changed from being a place and time of safety to a time of fear, where the last words each child of God heard were words of hatred.

We join our voices with people from every creed, race and nation in condemning Saturday's shooting and are outraged at this violent act of hatred.

As happens so often in these tragic circumstances, those most deeply affected become our teachers. Speaking at a vigil for the community, Rabbi Jeffrey Myers of the Tree of Life Synagogue said that his holy place has been defiled, and that his community will rebuild. "Words of hate are unwelcome in Pittsburgh," he said.

Rabbi Myers turned to the 23rd Psalm to find comfort. "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want." Then, in a voice full of anger he said, "Well God, I want. What I want what you cannot give me. You cannot return these 11 beautiful souls. You can't rewind the clock"

He wondered how he could rectify his dilemma with the Psalm as it says, "You shall not want." He kept on reading the Psalm and came to the place where the psalmist says, "You anoint my head with oil, my

cup overflows.” He then described how his texts, emails, and face book page are overflowing with messages of love from strangers and people he’s never met from around the world. Messages of love from Jews, Christians and Muslims pouring in, all with the same message that they are here for him and his community.

“That,” says Rabbi Myers, “Is how you defeat hate.”

In our words and actions, let us do our part in anointing this broken world with the oil of love that hatred may be overcome.

In the peace of God which passes all understanding,

+Anne
Archbishop of Algoma
Bishop of Moosonee
Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario

c. November 11th – invitation issued by The Royal Canadian Legion

Posted: November 2, 2018

November 11, 2018 marks the 100th anniversary of the end of World War 1. The Royal Canadian Legion, in partnership with the Government of Canada, invites all local churches, fire stations, police stations, town halls and others with bells to join in a nation-wide initiative to mark this event.

Communities across Canada will mark the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War with the tolling of the bells 100 times.

Archbishop Anne encourages all parishes that have bells to participate in this commemorative action if they are able.

We will remember them!

4.

Anglican Church of Canada

A Statement from the House of Bishops
By General Synod Communications

A Statement from the House of Bishops of The Anglican Church of Canada
Concerning the Events in Pittsburgh Over the Weekend

On Sunday, The Most Reverend Colin Johnson wrote the following statement, which has been adopted by the members of the National House of Bishops in the name of the Primate.

Jonathan Sacks, former Chief Rabbi of Great Britain, who addressed the world-wide Anglican bishops at the Lambeth Conference in 2008, wrote this: "If you cannot recognise the image of God in a person who does not look or think like you, then you have made God into your own image and have begun to worship an idol."

Yesterday's [Monday October 29] killing of Jews in Pittsburgh while they were at Sabbath prayers was a horrifying event that affects all of us. No life – whether in Pittsburgh or on the streets of Toronto or in the bush on a reserve or in the cities of Syria or South Sudan – no life is expendable.

Anti-Semitism has a long and terrible history in our Christian tradition. It is still alive in too many places and in too many hearts. It should have no place in the hearts and minds of Christians today. I call you to pray for those who have died, for those who grieve the loss of loved ones, for those are caught in the web of anger and hatred. I call on us to challenge words of prejudice and hatred spoken in public or behind closed doors. I call on us to extend hands of friendship and compassion not only to friend but stranger. I call us to act for reconciliation in places of brokenness and pain.

Rabbi Sacks also wrote this: "All the high ideals in the world –the human as God's image, belief in God's unity, and the love of neighbours –count for little until they are turned into habits of action that become habits of the heart."
(Lessons in Leadership)

Jesus said, "Love your neighbour as yourself."

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

Improvements: If you have any concerns or suggestions regarding our editorial policies, please feel free to send them to me.

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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