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

Future edition (Sept?): I would like to put out an edition in which there is a list of what individual parishes are doing to green up their building and congregations in the context of the evidence of Global Warming in order to reduce our energy and carbon footprints. Please send anything you are doing or planning to me by email – see above. Thanks for sending me your events and updates.]

Pentecost 2019

1. News and Events

- a. Archbishop Anne Germond's Personal Message – See attached document.
- b. Church of the Ascension
Community Family Haunted House – October 18th
There will be a community haunted house for young families (6–12 years) at the Ascension hall from 6–8pm on October 18th. No cost, but non-perishable food items will be accepted for a community charity. If you have any questions please be in touch with Jen Ames. Please join us for a night of family Halloween fun! See attached Poster
- c. Parish of Christ Church and St. John the Divine
 - i. Great Pumpkin Fall Fair at St. John the Divine October 26 2019. \$2 general Admission with a chili and soup menu for low price. More details to come. See attached poster.
 - ii. Messy Church Nov 5. See attached poster
- d. All Saints Coniston
Ham Dinner: Saturday October 19, 2019 fund raiser. Two sittings at 5 and 6:30 PM. Tickets Adults \$15.00 and kids under 8 \$5.00. To reserve your tickets call Rev. Ginny Rollins at 705–693–4425. See attached poster for more details.

- e. Church of the Epiphany
Evensong and Ham Dinner Sunday November 3, 2019. Evensong at 4 :30 p.m. Ham/Bean supper at 6 PM \$15.00 adults & teens \$10.00 children 3–12 years (children under 3 eat free). Call 705–675–2279 to reserve your tickets (Limited number available). See attached posters.
- f. Deanery Council
 - i. Next Council Meeting: Reminder to set aside Saturday Oct 19 at St. John the Divine Copper Cliff for the next Deanery Council meeting. 9:30 AM start with meet and greet.
 - ii. The Deanery of Sudbury – Manitoulin will be holding two Holy Listening sessions for those who would like to discuss same-sex marriage in the church (requiring General Synod to make changes to Canon 21). One session will be held at the Church of the Epiphany on November 4th at 7:30pm and another will be held in Espanola at the Seniors Centre (behind Espanola Hospital) November 5th at 2pm. If you have any questions please speak with the Archdeacon Glen Miller or Regional Dean Rev Aiden Armstrong.
- g. Diocese of Algoma News
 Archbishop Announces New Appointment – Warden of Lay Readers for Sudbury–Manitoulin, Joyce Foster from All Saints Gore Bay. See web link below for full story:
<https://www.dioceseofalgoma.com/2019/10/04/archbishop-announces-new-appointment-3/>
- h. Anglican Church of Canada
 - i. 2019 Federal Election Guide
 The Canadian Council of Churches invites you to use their guide, developed through consensus between member churches of the CCC, to go deeper into election issues you care about and to work on them with others. See attached document.
Related article: In this federal election, Christian Canadians face a crossroads. via The Globe and Mail
 "Canadian politics differs from the U.S. variety on numerous levels. And one of the most obvious is the importance of the Christian vote," Michael Coren, author and postulant (Diocese of Niagara), writes. See attached document.
Related Article: Election resources go ecumenical
 Anglicans casting a ballot in Canada's federal election on Oct. 21 will find a range of ecumenical resources to help them learn more about the issues and converse with

candidates. Both the Canadian Council of Churches and Citizens for Public Justice have produced election guides featuring information on major issues of concern identified by member churches. See attached document.

- ii. Anglican–Lutheran Weekly Prayer Cycle. See attached document.
- iii. Reflections on the Amazonian Synod

The Rev. Emilie Smith (Diocese of New Westminster) offers a second reflection on the special synod in Rome about climate and the Amazon – stories from August re forest clear-cutting and burning forests. See attached document (First and Second reflections).

2. List of Parishes with Service Times

a. Church of the Ascension

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

Rector: Rev. Aidan Armstrong

Honorary Associates: Rev. Jeff Hooper and Rt. Rev. Dr. Stephen Andrews

Worship Services 9 AM and 11 AM

Alternative Services: MESSY CHURCH

4:30pm First Wednesday of the Month (starting in Oct.)

b. Church of the Epiphany

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

Interim Rector: Rt. Rev. Tom Corston (Retired Bishop of Moosenee)

Curate: Rev. Sarah Armstrong (on leave)

Honorary Associates: Rev. Rhonda Hirst, the Rev. Canon John Gibault

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

Activities throughout the year: quilting group, Out of the Cold dinners, worship services by an group of African Christians Sunday Afternoons

c. Parish of Copper Cliff and Lively

Website: www.thelivelyanglican.ca

Incumbent: Archdeacon Glen Miller

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

Alternative Service: Messy Church first Tuesday's Feb–May and Oct–Dec at St. John's 4:45–7 PM.

Parish Small Group Ministries begin again the second week of September:

Knitting ministry group: Tuesdays 10 AM at St. John's

Wednesday Bible Study at 10 AM

Discovery Group noon in Lively

Men's study group at Christ Church 7 PM

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

Parish activities throughout the year:

Nursing/Retirement Homes services (Morning Prayer or Communion)

Out of the Cold dinners

Good Food box 3rd Wed of each month

Mom's and Tots

Breakfast for kids at a Lively School
Walden Winter Carnival
Chancel Guild

- d. Parish of Elliot Lake/Massey
Incumbents: 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 1pm
Gowan Gillmore, Sagamok 2.00 pm at Harvey Owl house
every 4th Sunday
- e. St. Alban, Capreol
Website: <https://www.facebook.com/alban.church>
Priest-in-Charge: Archdeacon Glen Miller
Assisting Priest: Rev. Jeff Hooper (part-time)
Service Worships Sunday Worship and Sunday School at 11 AM
Coulson Court Ecumenical worship service 1st Wednesday of Each Month 1:30
p.m. at Coulson Court 38 Coulson St., Capreol
PLEASE NOTE NEW PHONE NUMBER: 705-988-6401
- f. All Saints Anglican, Coniston
Website: <https://allsaintsangcon.weebly.com>
Incumbent: Rev. Canon Genny 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
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: <https://anglicanchurchesmanitoulin.com>
Incumbent: Rev. Doug Prebble
- i. All Saints, Gore Bay
Worship Service: Sunday at 11 AM.
1st and 3rd Sundays are Morning Prayer Service @ 11:00 AM
2nd and 4th Sundays is Holy Eucharist Service @ 11:00 AM

Events throughout the year
ACW Meetings: 1st Monday of the month with July and August off.
Cafe once a month at the Farmers Market from May to October.

Outreach Projects funded during the year

Samaritan Purse Christmas Shoe Boxes
 Manitoulin Secondary School Breakfast Club and Living Well Locker
 C.C. McLean Elementary School Breakfast Club
 Sleeping Children Around the World
 Camp Manitou; Strawberry Point Summer Youth Camp
 Mary Sherwood's Orphanage in Madagascar
 Amanda Flanagan's Project in Africa
 Manitoulin Family Resources in Mindemoya
 Teen Challenge; Samaritan Centre in Sudbury
 Food Bank; Sponsor Child; Threshold Ministries

ii. Holy Trinity, Little Current

Worship Services: Sunday at 9 AM

Q&A Meetings 3:00 PM on Fridays – A time of study, questions & answers to deepen our faith and draw closer to God.

iii. St. John the Evangelist, Kagawong

Worship Services: Sunday at 9 AM

Q&A Meetings 10:00 AM on Fridays – A time of study, questions & answers to deepen our faith and draw closer to God.

Community Ministries:

Welcome Baskets for newcomers

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/>

Incumbent: Rev. Beverly van der Jagt

Worship Services: Sunday 10:30 AM

Alternative Service: Messy Church the first Monday of the month

Community Ministries

Stewardship Committee

i. St. Thomas' French River

Website: <https://www.frenchriver.ca/p/places-of-worship>

Incumbent: Rev. Beverly van der Jagt (effective June 1, 2019)

Worship Services: third Sunday of each month 7 PM

2. Deanery Council News

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

3. Diocese of Algoma

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

4. Anglican Church of Canada Website: <http://www.anglican.ca>

Values

The values of the world are killing us. They are poisoning the creation around us. Maybe it's time to take seriously the invitation of the gospel, and discover the fruitfulness of humility, service, and sacrificial love. Because in Jesus we see that it is those things, not power, strength, and riches, that lead ultimately to life and to life eternal.

–Br. James Koester
Society of St. John the Evangelist
<https://www.ssje.org>

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. "Your Viewpoint" 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 to 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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