



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Worship 			
May 14	Sixth Sunday of Easter – Mothers' Day	In person/Facebook	10:00 a.m.
May 17	Morning Prayer	By Zoom	8:00 a.m.
May 18	Evening Prayer	By Zoom	7:30 p.m.
May 21	Ascension Sunday	In person/Facebook	10:00 a.m.
May 24	Morning Prayer	By Zoom	8:00 a.m.
May 25	Evening Prayer	By Zoom	7:30 p.m.

Other Events/meetings 			
Weekly	Coffee Hour	in person	after the Sunday service
May 12	Pub Knights at The Frog	in person	6:30 p.m.
May 17	ESL Class	in person	11:00 a.m.

HOW TO JOIN ST. GEORGE EVENTS ON ZOOM AND FACEBOOK

ZOOM: To join by computer, tablet or smart phone – Go to the following link:

<https://zoom.us/j/5482169827> You may have to download Zoom. Passcode: 1922

To join by phone – Call **647-374-4685**. When prompted for the Meeting ID number, enter 5482169827 then press #. If prompted to enter a participation ID, press # again and stay on the line. Passcode: 1922

Please remember that the Sunday services are live on Facebook, not on Zoom.

FACEBOOK: <https://www.facebook.com/stgeorgeonyonge>

Parish Announcements



SPECIAL MOTHERS' DAY SERVICE

For our service on Mothers' Day on May 14th Sr. Connie will be presiding at the service and Margie Lyttle will be preaching. In the narthex, we will be featuring paintings by one of our long-time members – Mary "Betty" Clennett. Please see the tribute attached about Betty and pictures of some of her artwork. Hope you can join us.

SAD NEWS

A member of our congregation, Mrs. Emelda Thomas, passed away this morning. Rev. Leonard had the opportunity to visit with her during Easter week, with the permission of her family. The family would like to have her funeral at the church, but have not yet made any arrangements. We will let you know of the plans once they are finalized. May she rest in peace.



COFFEE HOUR HOSTS NEEDED

Do you enjoy the social time after the service and the nice treats? Are you appreciative of the people taking care of this? Well, you could be one of them. Volunteers are needed to be hosts. Lorraine Baillie and Nancy Dodsworth coordinate coffee hour hosting and buy all the treats and supplies. The host's role on Sunday morning is to make coffee and tea, plate food, set out food and drinks after the service, and clean up afterward. Lorraine and Nancy will be happy to give you more information and orient you to the church kitchen. There is a sign-up sheet at the welcome desk.

CAN YOU CONTRIBUTE FOR THE SGY GARDENS?

We need funds to revitalize our gardens and many of the shrubs and hedges -

- replacements for the dead cedars along Churchill
- soil for several of the hedges and shrubs, and to nourish the gardens and grasses
- vegetable seeds, fertilizers, tools
- establish a vegetable garden between the cedars and the driveway? [aspirational - but a gift to the those in our neighbourhood enduring food insecurity]

And of course- more hands and ideas welcome!

Speak to Craig Robertson if you can help out.

ST. GEORGE ON YONGE 100TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE WATER BOTTLE

Did you pre-order a commemorative water bottle? If so, please come and pick it up after the service on Sunday. If you didn't... there are just a few left that can be purchased after the service.



CHURCH LIBRARY



Check out the books in the Church Library. Our library is getting restored by Damiana. Books are getting reorganized into subject areas that will be easy to access. For the present time, please see the cart of suggested books which will be outside the library each Sunday morning. If you wish to borrow a book, please fill in the sign out sheet in the red binder. We ask that books be returned within a month.

DONATIONS OF FOOD AND ESSENTIAL ITEMS



The grocery cart in the narthex is for donations of non-perishable food and other essential items. The donations will help support the St George on Yonge Gift Card recipients, as well as the NeighbourLink food bank that helps the needy in Willowdale and the wider North York area.

ESL CLASSES HAVE RESUMED IN-PERSON AT ST. GEORGE!

Sessions are at St. George on Yonge, 5350 Yonge Street, normally on **Wednesdays from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

Please share this information with others who may wish to attend. For further information, contact Craig Robertson (mcrobertson3@gmail.com) or the office at 416-225-1922.



LIVE FLOWERS FOR SERVICES

We are able to have fresh flowers for services only when there are donations given specifically for them. When flowers are donated, we place a notice in the worship bulletin, 'The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of/in honour of.....' naming the person (s) and the special event (birthday, anniversary, loved one's memory, etc.) and the names of donors. If you attend the services when you donate flowers, they are yours to take home. The Altar Flower Request Form is available at the welcome desk and we request that you submit it at least 2 weeks before the date for the flowers. The donation can be put in the collection plate with a note that it's for flowers and the date you want them.

PARKING AVAILABLE AT ST. GEORGE'S (MONDAY – FRIDAY)

There is parking available for license in St. George's underground parking lot. A total of 15 spots are available, Monday-Friday, for \$120 per month. For full information, plus rules and conditions email the church office - office@stgeorgeonyonge.ca. Tell your friends and colleagues who might be interested!

Other Announcements

REMINDER ABOUT THE YORK-SCARBOROUGH BURSARIES

For the last twelve years the York-Scarborough Area Council has offered bursaries to students going into their first year of post-secondary education. We have been very pleased with the response and a total of 150 young people have been given a helping hand since this initiative was started to encourage our faithful area youth. Please see the attached letter and application form for more details. May 19th is the deadline.

We Remember in Prayer Today and This Week . . .

Worldwide Anglican Cycle

The people and leaders of The Church of the Province of West Africa

Canadian Anglican-Lutheran Cycle

ACC The Rt. Rev. Michael Oulton, Bishop, and the clergy and people of the Diocese of Ontario

ELCIC The Assistant to the Bishop and the staff of the Saskatchewan Synod

Outreach prayer cycle

Pray for St. George, Pickering Village, its Creation Care team, support and ministry to Migrant Workers, its support to the local Food Bank with groceries and produce from the Community Garden, its Knitting Ministry providing hats and blankets for babies in ICU, and items for homeless people, its support to Herizon House Women's Shelter and to Joanne's House for homeless youth;

for St. Hilary, Cooksville, its community garden, weekly food cupboard and holiday hampers, backpacks and school supplies for children in Mississauga and Ghana, knitted items for patients at Trillium Hospital, bed mats, and international relief efforts for natural disasters; *and for* St. Hugh and St. Edmund, and its community youth ministry.

Diocesan Cycle

The people and leaders of the Scarborough Deanery

Deanery Cycle

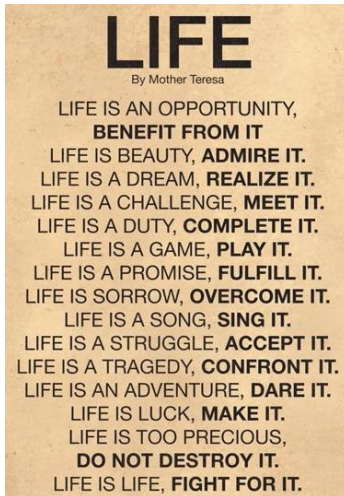
The People and leaders of Flemington Park Ministry

Congregation Cycle

Oluchi and Henry A / Etoann A / Jiranee A / Anne, Kathy and Lorraine B / Daniel, Priya & Joey

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God for all mothers and mother figures.

A LITTLE INSPIRATION



A LITTLE HUMOUR

My Kid: I feel like you're always making up rules and stuff.

Me: Like what?

My Kid: Like if I don't clean my room a portal will open and take me to another dimension.

Me: Well that's what happened to your older brother.

My Kid: What older brother?

Me: Exactly.

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