

ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 9 2018

THIS COMING WEEK AT ST PAUL'S

Monday	6:30 p.m.	Hatha Yoga
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Centering Prayer
	1:00 p.m.	Contemplative Painting & Drawing
	2:00 p.m.	Food Cupboard
Wednesday	noon	Prayers in the Church
	1:30 p.m.	Contemplative Writing
	7:30 p.m.	Be Still My Soul service
Thursday	1:00 p.m.	Contemplative Mixed Media
	4:15 p.m.	Music Team Practice
Friday	10:30 a.m.	Hatha Yoga
	1:00 p.m.	Contemplative Photography
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion, BCP (said)
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (with music)

*BCP=Book of Common Prayer BAS = Book of Alternate Services BSS = Supplement to the BAS

WHAT'S ON

PRAYERS IN THE CHURCH: Every Wednesday at noon, a group meets to pray in the church for the needs of the church. Please join us!

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS DINNER: 12 noon Christmas Day, with carol singing at 11:30 am; (donations to the Food Bank welcome) For information, reservations or to book a ride, please call the church office at 613-256-1771.

PLEASE see the Sing Up sheets at the back of the church – we need your assistance to share hospitality with others on Christmas Day!



Be Still My Soul Service: Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Be welcome to a time of quiet music, readings and prayers to sooth the soul.

Friendly Reminder - Please pick up your Pledge Form at the back of the church, if you haven't already done so. 2019 envelopes will be available soon. Thank you!



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS! If you wish to sponsor memorial flowers to decorate the church this Christmas, please contact Barbara Humphries (613) 256-2498 or leshum@magma.ca

You are invited to participate in ...



The Bakeless Bake Sale 2018

St Paul's Christmas Fund Raiser

HELP AVOID BAKER BURN-OUT!

- ★ No slaving over a hot stove!
- ★ No standing for hours!
- ★ No set-up and clean-up!
- ★ NO CALORIES!

Bakers and Cooks are invited to contribute what you would spend on ingredients



Please join us as we tell the story of Christ's birth
 With a service of Lessons and Carols
December 16th at 10:30 a.m.

(Including the celebration of the Eucharist)
 Coffee and Christmas treats in the Hall following the service.
All are welcome.



Almonte Service Clubs Canned Food Drive
 in support of the Christmas Hamper Program

– 2 weeks only –



Sadly, the Christmas season is often very difficult for those in financial need. The Almonte Clubs purchase all of the items for a full Christmas Dinner, and many other basic food items. These purchased items form the basis for the Hampers. Your donated items will be collected and added to the baskets so that needy local families have even more support at Christmas! Please do your part to support your neighbours, your love will be reflected in every single donated item.

Please leave your canned food contributions in the Food Bank Basket at the back of the church. Thank you!

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Sunday, December 16—Advent 3

8:30 am Holy Communion (BCP; spoken)
 10:30 am Lessons and Carols with Eucharist (BAS with music)
Coffee hour with Christmas treats following in the

Hall

Sunday, December 23—Advent 4

8:30 am and 10:30 am Services as usual

Monday, December 24—Christmas Eve

7:00 pm Family Service
 9:00 pm Choral Eucharist

Tuesday, December 25—Christmas Day

10:00 am Christmas Day Eucharist
 11:30 am Community Christmas Dinner *in the Hall*

Sunday, December 30

8:30 am and 10:30 am Service of Intention
A light breakfast in the Hall between services

Sunday, January—Epiphany

8:30 and 10:30 am Services as usual