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Wardens' Report

Your Wardens are most thankful to our Rector Michael for his continuing initiatives and leadership in our efforts to grow, diversify and nurture our Community.

The past year has seen the retirement of our long serving Administrative Assistant Angela Barraclough. Although Angela has retired, she has continued to give her most valued support to our Christmas Market endeavors. We have been most fortunate in welcoming Margot Cudmore, whom is doing a most admirable job in her new capacity.

Charlene Pauls just keeps raising the level of the bar with her choir and music inventiveness and initiatives.

Significant projects for the year and carrying on into the future include, Operation Buckthorn, the INCA Community Garden, Abbeyview BBQ, and the Syrian Refugee Family undertaking.

Operation Buckthorn, our ongoing efforts to rid our property of this and other "invasive plant species" have been very successful this year, largely due to sustained efforts by David Jenkins, Albert Luce and many others. This project will probably take another 4 to 5 years of continuing attention to achieve our objectives.

Our INCA Community Garden is well established with 3 cribs constructed and a proven ability to produce a great variety of vegetables. The ongoing success of this program will hinge on our ability to initiate and sustain a greater community participation. A special thanks to Nadine Amis for her tremendous help in getting this project out of the ground.

The Abbeyview BBQ program, which is a combined support effort including other community churches and organizations, was considered by all to be a huge success once again. Special thanks to Susan Curran and the ECO Justice committee for their input and organizational skills.

The Syrian Refugee Family undertaking is just getting underway and is under the guidance of Lynne Jenkins and Susan Curran.

Looking ahead, we see the need to establish more sustainable funding initiatives. This can be done with more emphasis on our committee structure and volunteer participation in these committees. We know that there are many excellent ideas floating around in the Parish, the problem will be to harness and then convert the ideas into actions.

- Judy Vanderwater, Mac Morrison, Stacey Williams and Terry Rochefort

Rector's Report

It is extraordinary how quickly time seems to pass by and this past year, 2015, has seemed to disappear more quickly than most. It could be age but I would like to think that the rapidity by which this year has come and gone is due primarily to the activities, the energy, the worship and ministries, the new initiatives, the events and all the new relationships formed and nurtured over these past twelve months here at Incarnation.

From the beginning of my time here at Incarnation as rector, I have maintained that one of the most foundational principles that determines the health of a faith community is the extent to which that community is involved and making a difference in the neighbourhood in which it resides. If one were to ask the question, "If Incarnation was to disappear tomorrow, would anyone in the neighbourhood notice?" I am confident that with all that has gone on this past year and prior and with our ongoing commitment to our vision, "searching for and making meaning together in Christ" the answer would be a resounding 'Yes!' because Incarnation is making a difference in people's lives.

The year began with the realization of our community garden project. Early in 2015 we began a search for a community garden coordinator and before long we were able to hire Nadine Asmis thanks to a Hands Across Niagara diocesan grant. Nadine led a merry band of volunteers in the development of three raised bed gardens and over the course of the growing season, Inca was able to donate a significant vegetable harvest to various agencies across Oakville.

At the same time, Incarnation was chosen by the Greening Sacred Spaces organization to receive a pollinator garden which was created early in the spring. This was in recognition of Inca's commitment to the sustainability and preservation of our environment. In light of this and because of other greening initiatives around our community, Incarnation was recognized and nominated for a Greening Sacred Spaces award.

Also, in relation to the environment and seeking to be good stewards of this wonderful piece of property that we enjoy, the work of clearing the property of buckthorn, an invasive species of shrub, has continued. This ongoing battle will continue for years. However, it our hope to that we may soon realize a dream that has been part of the Inca community for years and that is to create a space/garden for quiet meditation; a place for the neighbours to gather and a space where community can be nurtured.

Incarnation's support of the Abbeyview barbecues continued in 2015. Each year seems to get bigger with the volunteer base growing along with the number of participants enjoying the Thursday evening event. A few of the Abbeyview folks, because of this connection, also assisted in the community garden as well.

Again, consistent with the concept of engaging with the neighbourhood, 2015 saw the creation of a group called R4R; Raising Resiliency, Raising Recovery. R4R is a support group for young people between the ages of 16 and 24 who are struggling with addiction and substance abuse issues here in Halton Region. They meet each week to encourage, care for and provide support for one another under the guidance of a counselor. At the same time, parents of these young people meet another night during the week for their own support and care.

In relation to young people here at Inca, one of the great challenges has been that we have more teens than younger children attending our young people's programs and as I indicated in last year's report, we needed to find the capacity to support our teenagers. This past year, I am happy to say, we have welcomed Phil Carver and Ally Turner-Sommer as the facilitators of our youth program. They have engaged the kids in a variety of events and discussions and there have been as many as 20 young people participating. We thank Phil and Ally both for their commitment to this really vital work.

Likewise, I want to acknowledge and thank Elvira Rago and her other volunteers that have continued to work with our little ones week after week within our Children's Church program.

A very significant new initiative over the course of the year was the introduction of the Contemplative Fire gathering. This is an opportunity to slow the pace of life down and finds ways to listen to the still small voice of God within. This gathering happens the third Sunday of the month beginning with hospitality at 8 and the actual gathering beginning at 8:30. I want to thank Karen Pitt, Ally Turner-Sommer, Alex Chin, and Margaret Afheldt for their creativity and commitment to this alternative form of gathering together as a community of faith.

One of the great gifts I receive as a priest in this place is that, week after week, I am blessed to be surrounded by so many faithful people who come to worship and gather together as a community of faith. It is such a joy and blessing to have such diverse and eclectic group of people meet together for the common purpose of being together as one body and one community on a journey to encounter the Holy.

There are many people who assist in making this happen; the altar prep women led by Michele Stevens, our volunteer readers, greeters, servers, hosts, bread makers, etc facilitated by Claudine Boulert, our choir, soloists and musicians led by Charlene Pauls, our décor team led again by Michele and Anne Moniuk (special thanks to Jim Stevens and the Gowing boys) our worship and music committees; thank you to all for making our life together meaningful.

Our worship is at the centre of what we do and who we are and this past year we have experienced many meaningful and relevant worship moments be it Easter or Christmas, Mardi Gras, baptisms or weddings. We continue to work at broadening the way our worship is expressed in word or song in order to expand the umbrella of inclusivity and openness. As we do, it is vitally important that we hear from you if you have a feeling, opinion or question about what and why we do what we do.

This past year we said good bye to Angela after 15 years of faithful service to Incarnation and we welcomed Margot Cudmore as our church administrator. Margot has been a quick study and tuned into the Inca culture very well; it is great to have Margot with us, to say nothing of her sense of humour.

I want to say thank you to the team of people who lead, mostly behind the scenes, to ensure that we continue on a healthy path forward. First to Mac Morrison and Judy Vanderwater who are retiring as wardens this year, to Terry Rochefort and Stacie Williams who step up into the wardens shoes, to Deanna Lusby, our treasurer,

Anne Moniuk, our bookkeeper and Pamela Maloney, our envelope secretary. I also want to thank Leslie Hickey and David Jenkins who are assuming the roles of deputy wardens for the upcoming term.

Also to Tom Birchall and Jeff Bowden, our IT specialists, who spent countless hours in the development of our new web site www.incarnationchurch.ca our deepest gratitude.

I also need to say thank you to Lynne Jenkins and her refugee sponsorship committee who have been working diligently to get everything in place as we move toward sponsoring a Syrian family of three. At the time of writing, we expect this young widowed mother of two small children to be arriving in Oakville in the next couple of months. Please pray for this young family!

Looking forward into 2016, we will continue to build on the initiatives that we have begun. From a financial perspective, 2016 may be a challenging year given the end of our diocesan subsidy as well as some significant expenditure on our heating/ AC system that is aging and in need of repair. However, it is our hope that we, as a parish, can meet in May or June to spend a day together in order to continue to review our mission and direction for the coming years. Stay tuned for more information.

Again, it is a privilege and blessing to work with all of you here at Incarnation. I thank you for your support, commitment and love for me and my entire family.

- *Michael Patterson*

Building & Property

The Building and Property Committee had a full slate of requirements that were tackled in 2015. The most important areas were:

Buckthorn: Volunteers removed some of this invasive species in early April, then the buckthorn was tackled four more times as late as December. We thank Albert Luce, David Jenkins and Mac Morrison for their efforts. It will take us at least 4-5 years to properly get rid of the residual pop-up shoots. We have had visits from P.O.W.E.R., and the Town of Oakville has been extremely cooperative in removing the cuttings.

Community Gardens: We operated 3 gardens last summer, with food being distributed to Kerr St. Ministries and Lighthouse. It was disappointing that folks in the subsidized housing area did not take advantage of our offer, and we will engage them again this year. We thank Oakville Green and Hamilton Victory Gardens who helped us in the planning of our gardens. We also thank Nadine Amis for her help.

LED lights: We have undertaken a program to replace as many interior lights as is practical with LED high efficiency bulbs. However, with the cost of these bulbs, we cannot replace them as quickly as we would like.

HVAC unit: The furnace located on the north side of the church has failed. At the present time, we are heating with the furnace on the south side, and using electric baseboard heaters in the Daycare area. A committee comprised of Mac Morrison, David Jenkins and Tom Birchall have had estimates from HVAC companies, and the reports are being examined.

Our building is approximately 15 years old, and will require more and more maintenance as time goes on.

- *Beth Hanna-Morrison*

Music

The music at Incarnation continues to be a vibrant, essential part of who we are. We work towards making it inclusive, diverse, reflecting who we are as a community, to welcome newcomers, and to comfort and inspire those who attend regularly. This year we have continued to build on many traditions that are a part of Inca, and have also seen new initiatives develop.

Who we are:

The choir continues to meet regularly on Wednesday evenings to prepare and lead the service music each Sunday. Our congregation also continues to appreciate the musical contributions of David Gowing on bass, Alex Patterson on guitar, and the musical leadership of Melissa Dutch. There are many, many others from our congregation who consistently contribute to the music such as Leila and Brenna Stevens, Penny Mitton, Eric, Douglas, and Ian Gowing, Benson Wieler, and Ewen Lorimer. A new development this year has been increased efforts to video and upload musical events at Incarnation. This has been an outstanding way to increase our web presence, and a great way for us to relive and share various events. All of these endeavours have combined to create music greater than any solitary efforts could provide. My continued thanks to all.

Some highlights from the past 12 months:

Each year we prepare special choral and orchestral music for Easter and Christmas services, and in the process welcome many new singers to our core choir for these events, an ever-evolving group of singers I'll call the "Incarnation Festival Choir." Our Easter 2015 service included a presentation of Handel's "Zadok the Priest" with orchestra, as well as special music from our dear friend, mezzo-soprano Anna Babenko.

The Advent and Christmas 2015 season included our second annual "Carols by Candlelight" service on the Sunday before

Christmas sung by our "Incarnation Festival Choir." It was a time of readings and music from a wide range of sources, alongside familiar and less familiar Christmas carols to create a uniquely "Inca" style of service. Another highlight of that week (and for many of us it was a highlight of the entire Christmas season) was connecting with two different communities through music: first, on Tuesday our "Festival Choir," joined by a few students from McMaster University, carolled in the lobby and in the Psychiatric Unit of St. Joseph's Hospital in Hamilton; and second, on Saturday we carolled in the food court of Oakville Place, a repeat appearance following our successful flash mob last year.

Other musical highpoints from the past year include services marking our liturgical seasons. Leading us into Lent, our February Mardi Gras service, with guest clarinetist Carmen Gassi, started as a "Dixieland" style celebration and closed in a more sombre tone anticipating the following weeks. A musical feature of our Good Friday service was guest cellist, Anthony DeClara playing the "Kadish" by Ernest Bloch while leaves were strewn on the cross. In honour of National Aboriginal Day on June 21, guest speaker and musician Barbara Croall led us in a service looking at the history of the Anglican Church and the Canadian First Nations communities through drumming, Ojibwe prayers, music, and stories.

Summer 2015 was the third year we've joined together with the congregation of St. Aidan's, July in their space and August in ours. We appreciate our connection to St. Aidan's and look forward more joint services this year.

I would like to close by thanking the members of the Music Committee - Sarah Curran, Susan Curran, Graham Hughes, Michael Patterson, Penny Mitton, and Melissa Dutch - who continue to strive to put together theologically and musically sound music in a range of styles, reflecting the ethos of our congregation.

- Charlene Pauls

Eco Justice

In the spring of 2015, our main focus was the establishment of our community garden. We applied for and received a grant in the amount of \$5000 from Hands Across Niagara. We hired Nadine Asmis as our garden coordinator. She supervised the building of three raised beds in our garden. The beds were planted with seeds and seedlings that were donated by parishioners. The harvested vegetables were donated to both the Kerr Street Ministries and the Lighthouse Shelter. Garden

volunteers were parishioners, neighbours, and members of various community groups. Thanks go to all who helped clear the buckthorn and work in the garden.

During the summer, we again co-hosted the barbeques at the Abbeyview, joining with our partners, St. Matthew church and Front Line Outreach. This year was our largest turnout ever. Many parishioners worked on site and behind the scenes to make this community building event successful.

In the fall, we began discussions about sponsoring a refugee family. There was overwhelming support for the idea. A refugee sponsorship sub-committee was struck, chaired by Lynne Jenkins. Fundraising efforts began and in the New Year our name went forward to the diocese to apply for a family of 4-5 from Syria. As of the writing of this report, we have raised almost \$21,000. Fundraising events are ongoing.

During Advent, we worked in conjunction with the worship theme of The Advent Conspiracy. We had two

guest speakers, Scott McLeod, Refugee Coordinator for the diocese, and Enver Domingo, who shared his story of the fight against apartheid in South Africa. We recognized International Human Rights Day by holding an Amnesty International Write for Rights event.

Once again, the parish collected a generous donation of Christmas gifts for the youth living at the Syl Apps Centre.

- Susan Curran

Altar Preparation and Decor

In Reflection

2015 saw our church community enjoy another year of growth with respect to Eucharistic Celebration. The decor trend remained big, with lots of draping and colour. Reception from the community remains positive and encouraging. For the fourth year, the INCA community united to prepare the Church for our Christmas celebration. The general mood continues to be one of pride and satisfaction.

Canadian made, scentless candles continue to be purchased from a Mississauga distributor called Yummi .

The New

Individual recyclable communion wine cups have been added to the Eucharist. About 18 cups are placed in their silver tray to be used each week. The position of wine cup server has been added to the volunteer list. This alternative method of receiving communion has quietly been gaining support.

Gratitude

Sincere thanks are due to all members of the Altar Prep and décor teams. Special appreciation to the youth: Matt, David, Eric, Ian, Leila and Brenna. Our youth are a wonderfully creative and virtually untapped resource. Décor can greatly benefit from an official teen branch.

Looking Forward

As the result of the general church membership drive, the Altar Preparation team has gained one member. Our welcome to Loraine Bird! Overall, our numbers remain status quo. In light of our growing membership, we the members of the Altar Preparation group and the Decor teams look forward, with hope, to the possibility of welcoming new volunteers.

- Michele Stevens

Social

Under the scope of Social Convenor are the following events:

- Welcome back bbq
- Chili Potluck lunch
- Pancake supper
- Maundy Thursday event
- Hot Cross Buns – Good Friday
- Other social events as decided each year (eg Bunco night, euchre night)

This past year has been a very busy one socially for Incarnation. In addition to the above noted yearly events, I organized two Bunco nights (spring and fall) which were successful. In addition, Lorraine Bird organized a “Name That Tune” night, and I helped to organize a Tea for Angela’s departure.

I am passing the job of Social Convenor on to someone new this year as I take on the role of Warden for the next couple of years.

- Leslie Hickey

Sunday School

So 2015 was a great year for the Church School. I just completed my second year as Church School Coordinator and I really enjoyed working with our kids! I would like to thank our dedicated teacher volunteers as it would not have been a successful year without them: Julia Lockhart, Allyson Turner-Sommer, and Judy Vanderwater. I welcomed back Brenda Butler who is willing to offer some of her time as a teacher volunteer.

Last year we had Vittoria Rago, staff, for the 2015 Nursery Program. Vittoria was always eager and willing to help out our teacher volunteers and we all appreciated her enthusiasm. We also get support from our enthusiastic teens. Thank you Vittoria and teens!

Our program is geared for children up to age 12 with much variation in attendance. We can have anywhere from 1 to 16 or more show up as the youth have been participating in the Sunday school program as well. In

addressing the fluctuating numbers in attendance and with the youth participation, I reported to Parish Council that I felt it necessary to either have another teacher each Sunday to manage the teenagers or have a Youth Program put into place so we could separate the varying age groups. I am pleased to say that Phil Carver & Ally Turner-Sommer have stepped up to lead a new Youth Program. As a result of this, it was decided to have the funds of the paid staff of the Nursery Program put towards the Youth Program. I wish the youth all the best in their new program.

We continue to use the Whole People of God School Curriculum to help and guide us. If any member of Inca would like to participate as a teacher volunteer, please contact me directly at elvirarago99@gmail.com or Michael Patterson at 905-825-2851.

- *Elvira Rago-Patterson*

Christmas Market

Another Year is Over!!

Congratulations and a big THANK YOU to everyone who helped make our Christmas Market a wonderful success.

Success of a Project is not determined by one person. Success is mainly determined by a number of factors and most importantly it is determined by the dedication of volunteers who donate valuable time over and above their daily busy schedules.

Incarnation Volunteers made sure that our Christmas Market Guests not only felt welcome in our Church Home but enjoyed all we had to offer to create a fun and pleasurable afternoon.

On behalf of our parish, I would like to convey my personal thank you to those people who have spent the last 6 months working tirelessly to make our Christmas Market a success. This was truly an Incarnation Team Effort.

Coordinators:

Evergreen Lee – Vendor – With the patience of “Job” produced 12 wonderful Vendors

Claudine Boulert – Volunteers – A Lady who works miracles.

Lorraine Bird, - Advertising – an idea lady that suggested our Personal Invitation and the Incarnation “Business Card” that outlines Incarnation’s Christmas Services.

Leslie Hickey – Tea Room – Organized a delightful lunch with her Kitchen, Wait Staff and Cashier

Bonnie Abrams - Craft Table, Judy Riatt, Winnie Burk – Showcase the handiwork of Incarnation Crafters

Michele Stevens - Bake Table, her many “platters” and Denise Bold super saleslady

Judy Vanderwater - Raffle Baskets – Collector and Basket maker extraordinaire along with Ursula Kadensamer,

Anne Moniuk and Beth Hanna-Morrison – Silent Auction, who worked sponsor miracles

Angela Barraclough – Trinkets and Treasures and her of helpers. Lois Logan, Helen Burke, Bridget McCarthy, and Ursula Kadensamer – Making a great table presentation out of kayos.

Una Blenkhome, Ann MacNaughton, Shona Rocheford - Books, CD & DVD – Popular as ever

Lois Maclaughlan – Children’s Corner – The hidden Gem in our Christmas Market. Where children can safely play and stay while their parents enjoy some personal time. A surprise for many parents.

And last but not least:

Paul Logan, Our Flyer Man – who distributed 600 flyers door to door and twice on Milton Road.

Mac Morrison, Terry Rocheford, Set Up and Tear Down – The heroes of all major projects

Incarnation Choir, The Youth of Parish - What would we do without our Youth and Choir

Margot and Michael - For enduring the constant Office mess created by the C.M.

Mac Morrison, Jim Stevens – Silent Auction Security

Brenda Butler and Denise Bold - Who looked after our Dollars and did our final Counter

Refugee Sponsorship

In September, when the world-wide refugee crisis was reaching epic proportions, Michael invited interested parishioners to review the possibility of sponsoring a refugee family. In the first meeting it was quickly decided that Inca has the experience, talent and resources necessary to sponsor a family.

Refugee Sponsorship Committee members include: Brenda Butler, Susan Curran, Jean Grieve, Leslie Hickey, Lynne Jenkins, Ann Moniuk, Michael Patterson, Charlene Pauls, Lisa Seiler and Jennifer Seikeld, a member of another church in Oakville. Member from St. Aidan's and Grace Lutheran are also contemplating joining the committee.

The group has been meeting on a regular basis and attending information sessions offered by the Niagara Diocese, Lifeline Syria and the Halton Multicultural Council. Scott McLeod of the Niagara Diocese refugee office has met with the group several times to share his expertise in this area and to assist with the preparation of the initial sponsorship application forms.

We began fundraising efforts in October. Our youth group held a bake sale and there were a few other initiatives

Givings

During 2015, pre-authorized payments accounted for a significant proportion of givings received by the church. This accounts for 27 distinct donors during the year compared to 26 for 2014. A total of 129 families were recorded as donors during the year, compared to 94 in

Special Thank You to everyone in the Incarnation Congregation who not only Baked, Made Soup, Chili, Distributed flyers in their Condos, Donated to T&T and Found us Sponsors. And found time to come and enjoy themselves at the Christmas Market.

Last but not least you will be glad to know that you won't have to put up with our many Christmas Market Announcements, Bulletin Inserts and endless Christmas Market conversations until next year.

Attendance: 326 Vendors: 12 Dollars Raised: \$ 5,643.65

- *Marlene Thompson*

to bring awareness and money to our sponsorship. The majority of our fundraising came from a modified version of crowdsourcing. We encouraged everyone to tell their friends and family about our planned sponsorship and to ask them to write a check to our church with "Refugee Sponsorship" on the notes section of the check. We blasted the message out on social media and emails. We were fortunate that our fundraising efforts coincided with the diocese 140th Anniversary Campaign aimed at refugee support. To date we have raised \$21,000. More fundraising events are planned. A concert called "Love Lives" will be held on February 27 and is anticipated to generate \$4000 towards our goal of \$35,000.

On January 26th we were matched with a family. We will be sponsoring a 27 year old single mother and her 3 year old son and a 20 month old baby girl. Originally from Syria, they are currently in Mardin, Turkey. Their arrival is expected within the next 2 months.

We have a settlement plan in place which assigns volunteers to the various tasks that will be necessary to settle this new family to Oakville. The committee will continue to meet regularly to prepare for the needs of this anticipated family.

- *Lynne Jenkins*

2014. A part of the reason for this increase was donations to the refugee fund. Pledges for 2015 were 34. At the time of writing this report, we received 33 pledges for 2016.

- *Pamela Maloney*

Youth Group

I am proud to announce The Incarnation Youth Group has firmly planted their roots and I look forward to it's continued growth!

At our first assembly in October I immediately observed a keen interest by many of the youth to become involved with the group as we all took turns introducing ourselves and connected by engaging in a few fun team-building exercises. Ally and I then discussed hopes and fears and asked all of the youth to share with the group what they were currently experiencing related to that topic. There were approximately 20 youth in attendance, ages ranging from 12 to 19. I felt we managed to make a connection with the majority of the youth on some level, and they as well with each other.

Using the input we had from the group we decided to move forward with future gatherings, with activities focused on community involvement, projects to raise money for charitable causes, discussions on hot topics in the media, reviews and "check-ins" of the youth's week outside of the group and obstacles/challenges they faced. It has been challenging at times to keep the group focused during these discussion periods, but it is improving as we gain trust and they begin to understand that their voice is respected by Ally and I, and also as they find their place in the group and continue to connect to each other.

We have also welcomed the group to invite friends" which they have on a few occasions, and I have also invited youth from the outside community to attend, so far 1 has attended and participates sporadically.

Activities to date:

SATURDAY AFTERNOON CAKE-BAKE : the group gathered on a Saturday afternoon (thank-you Ally) to bake and

Stewardship

There was no Stewardship Committee this past year. As a result of a meeting with Judy Vanderwater, and subsequent conversations with Michael Patterson, financial and volunteer commitment cards for 2016 were distributed on November 1, 2015. They were to be returned by November 29, 2015. Thank you to Michael Patterson and Margot Cudmore for their help with photocopying and mailing.

decorate Christmas cakes in order to sell to raise funds for the Syrian refugee sponsorship, and as well to fund future activities for INCA YOUTH GROUP, as we decided it would be empowering to show them the group can be somewhat self-sufficient. We raised \$142 , proceeds being split down the middle.

We were also asked to put on a Christmas performance for the congregation, resulting in the group performing The 12 Days Of Christmas skit for the congregation during service on the 20th of December..... I am STILL apologizing to the youth on a weekly basis!

Our most recent project was the making of custom Valentine cards, with the goal being to sell them to raise more funds for the group, but whether those cards will be deemed sale-worthy is another question, I don't anticipate a huge financial windfall for the group but they enjoyed themselves and connected further, and ultimately THAT is the goal!

On Sunday, January 31st, the group went on their first (and not last!) outing to Film.ca for pizza and a movie (thank-you David Jenkins). We have also allowed one guest per group member, and hopefully some of those guests may be interested in joining us in the future.

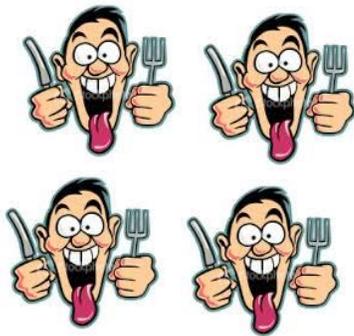
I'm looking forward to watching this group grow as we move forward. It has been an extreme pleasure to be involved so far, and I am optimistic of it's future.

- *Phil Carver*

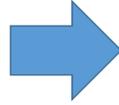
Looking to next year, note that I am stepping down from this post. My suggestion would be that a new committee be formed to address the major fundraising needs over the next few years.

- *Lois Maclauchlan*

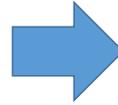
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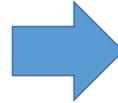
123 Hungry People



1,000 Wings plus
Fries, Veggies, Rings,
and Drinks



123 Happy People



\$400 to Abbeyview BBQ

Parish Statistics

	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Total Attendance	4508	4202	3476	3247	3334
Average Attendance	83.27	78.8	60.8	62.4	64.1
# of Households in Parish	113	104	95	96	103
# of Members on Parish Roll	-	196	178	206	210
# of Eligible Voters at Vestry	-	144	136	128	128
# of Regular Givers	60	50	42	40	50
# of Identified Givers	129	94	70	70	
Baptisms	0	3	1	3	2
Weddings	0	3	0	1	1
Confirmations	11	0	6	0	0
Funerals	1	1	2	5	1
Church School Teachers	6	6	5	5	5
Church School Attendance	11	14	10	10	10