



The Season of Creation is an annual celebration of prayer and action to protect the environment. We will be observing it at Incarnation starting Sept 9. The following is an excerpt from the invitation to participate by the international leaders of various faiths.

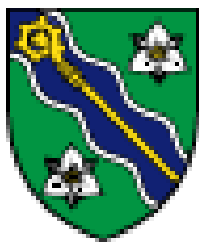
Once every year, from September 1 to October 4, members of the Christian family set aside time to deepen our relationship with the Creator, each other, and all of creation. This is the Season of Creation, which began in 1989 and is now embraced by the wider ecumenical family.

During the Season of Creation, we join together to rejoice in the good gift of creation and reflect on how we care for it. This season offers a precious opportunity to pause in the midst of our day-to-day lives and contemplate the fabric of life into which we are woven.

As the environmental crisis deepens, we Christians are urgently called to witness to our faith by taking bold action to preserve the gift we share. During the Season of Creation, we ask ourselves: Do our actions honor the Lord as Creator? Are there ways to deepen our faith by protecting “the least of these,” who are most vulnerable to the consequences of environmental degradation?

We invite you to join us on a journey of faith that challenges and rewards us with fresh perspective and deeper bonds of love. United in our sincere wish to protect creation and all those who share it, we join hands across denominations as sisters and brothers in Christ. During this season, we walk together towards greater stewardship of our place in creation.

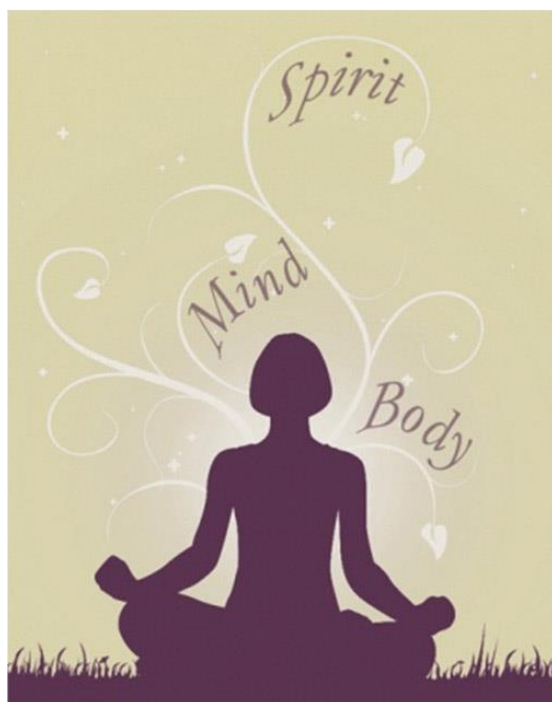
## GOOD TO KNOW:



### **The Order Of Niagara - Sunday, September 30, 2018**

Christ's Church Cathedral, Hamilton - 4:00pm

Please take a moment to congratulate Mac Morrison who will be installed this year! If you'd like to attend the ceremony, Church of the Epiphany in Bronte has rented a bus. Cost is \$12 per person and the bus departs at 2:30, returning at 6:30. You must pre-register by calling the office at The Epiphany 905-827-2546 no later than September 16.



### **Kundalini Yoga - new series starting this Sunday, September 16 at 7pm**

In a hectic, chaotic world, take time to go inside and experience something new. A series of Kundalini Yoga classes begins on Sunday, September 16th at 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

[Kundalini Yoga](#) is sometimes referred to as the Yoga of Awareness. We begin with breathing exercises and then a kriya (exercise set), followed by a meditation (silent or voiced) and a savasana (deep rest). The sequences and kriyas open the body and one's own awareness to source energy.

Please bring a yoga mat and a bolster or small cushion to raise the hips off the floor when seated. All exercises can be done by everyone at their own level, and from a chair if needed. Please wear comfortable clothes that allow easy movement. Every Body is welcome.

Starts Sept. 16 and continues through Nov. 29. \$15.00 per class cash at the door. Early Bird Series price is \$165 if paid by Sept. 13, 2018 for the complete series of eleven classes.

Contact Colette Shand, Phone: 905-808-4508

shand.colette@bell.net (You can also e-transfer your payment to this address.)



### Christmas Market - Saturday, November 17

The date has been set, the hard work and planning has begun!

**WANTED:**

- quality donations for our Trinkets and Treasures table (*no books, CDs or stuffed animals*), jewelry and craft tables
- baked goods
- donations to our silent auction and
- gift basket table

We do well with products and services from local businesses and great gift items. Bring your donations to the office

Christmas Market committee meeting: Monday, September 17 at 7pm



### Incarnation Choir Rehearsals Wednesdays at 7:15

The Incarnation Choir resumes our weekly Wednesday rehearsals. We are a friendly group and would love to have more singers join us. You do not need to have vast musical experience!

If you are interested in more information about the Incarnation Choir, please contact Charlene at [charlene@charlenepauls.com](mailto:charlene@charlenepauls.com).

**PLEASE NOTE:**

On September 19, 26 and October 3, the Incarnation choir rehearsals will take place AT the Halton Multicultural Centre on Speers road from 7-8pm as *part of the Music Mosaic Collective*. (Music for the Sunday worship will be reviewed prior the start of each week's worship)

On October 10, 17 and 24, the rehearsals will take place at Incarnation along with the Music Mosaic from 7-8pm, and will continue with just the Inca choir from 8-8:45pm

The will be no rehearsal on October 31



### The Mosaic Music Collective

Incarnation is pleased to announce a new music partnership this year called "The Mosaic Music Collective". This is a NEW inter-generational and multicultural music ensemble that will meet at Incarnation for six weekly sessions, bringing together people of different backgrounds and ages to create music from around the world. We welcome all - newcomers to Canada as well as long-standing residents. Participants will learn and teach music from a mix of cultures as we join together in a safe, collaborative space. Co-directors are Dr. Charlene Pauls and Natalie Fasheh.

**6-Week Fall Session: Wednesdays from 7-8 PM**

September 19	7-8 PM – meets at Halton Multicultural centre on Speers Road
September 26	7-8 PM – meets at Halton Multicultural centre on Speers Road
October 3	7-8 PM – meets at Halton Multicultural centre on Speers Road
October 10	7-8 PM – meets at Incarnation
October 17	7-8 PM – meets at Incarnation
October 24	7-8 PM – meets at Incarnation

This program is free (with donations gratefully accepted).

Thank you!

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### Tanks to the BBQ crew. Wasn't that fun?!!

Many thanks to chef Jim Stevens, his sous chef Graham Hughes; and Lois Maclauchlan and Judy Vanderwater in the kitchen, for a successful barbecue on Welcome Back Sunday! A big thank you also goes out to everyone who brought salads and desserts. Everyone enjoyed the lunch and chat.



### Wing and a Prayer – Thursday, September 27

We meet at 6:30pm at Monaghan's. Cost: \$25 per person including food and drink. RSVP Keith Lockhart at [keith.lockhart@stockton-ag.com](mailto:keith.lockhart@stockton-ag.com) . Everyone is welcome!

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### The Bishop's Company Dinner, October 15, 6:30

Bishop Susan is inviting parishes to support the important ministry of the Bishop's Company. Please see Michael if you'd like to attend as part of the Incarnation delegation!



## Diocese of Niagara News

Read updates, news and commentary from around the Diocese.

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## THIS & THAT



### Travelling to Ottawa this semester?

I have some things that I need to transport to Ottawa for my son. If anyone is travelling to Ottawa on business or pleasure, would you be willing to take some things to my son who attends Carleton? Please contact me at Leslie Hickey 905-483-0737.



### Milk Bag Collection

We're still collecting Milk bags for the kids at Ellengale Public School



### Our recycling efforts! New procedures

Thank you to all our hard-working volunteers who prepare the coffee and help with the set-up and clean-up of our premises. The daycare has been testing a new green bin routine with much success. We have almost completely eliminated critter attacks!

- Start a new **SMALL** green bin for each service or event. Before leaving, tie off the bag and move the **SMALL** green bin waste to the shed and deposit into the **LARGE** green bin. This will eliminate any critter attacks. No green bins are to be left in the kitchen or out the back door after each event. If you don't know where the key to the shed is located, please ask a Warden or office staff.
- Green bin liners are located in one of the 3 stacked multi-coloured baskets in the kitchen on the counter by the small sink
- All recycling must be emptied after each coffee hour or event. The large blue recycling bins are located at the back door. Please dump all recycling into the larger bins before leaving the church.

## LOOKING TO VOLUNTEER?

We have lots of way you can get involved. Positions include: altar prep, greeters, readers, hosts and coffee preparation. Youth can gain volunteer high school hours. Training will be provided. Contact Julia Lockhart if you are interested.

SCHEDULE	September 16	September 23
<b>Bread Making</b>	A. Moniuk	J. Lockhart
<b>Altar Prep</b>	A. Moniuk	Bird/Smith
<b>Coffee 1</b>	D. Anderson	K. Wilson
<b>Coffee 2</b>	Stevens	Bowden
<b>Host 1</b>	D. Bold	L. Bird
<b>Host 2</b>	S. Hutchinson	D. Anderson
<b>Reader 1</b>	L. Hickey	V. Moniuk
<b>Gospel</b>	L. MacLauchlan	M. Stevens
<b>Prayers</b>	M. Russell	J. Bowden
<b>Server 1</b>	B. Hanna-Morrison	A. Turner-sommer
<b>Server 2</b>	J. Stevens	S. Williams
<b>Wine Cups</b>	D. Bold	E. Rago
<b>WSRF</b>	J. Stevens	V. Moniuk
<b>Counting</b>	G. Hughes	J. Stevens

Please Note:

Thanks to all of you who update the master copy in the office - very helpful for me!

[DOWNLOAD THE SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER SCHEDULE HERE](#)