



Readings: MARK 13:1-8

## CHRISTMAS MARKET - THIS SATURDAY!

Time to bid, buy and eat!

Doors open at 9am, silent auction table ends at 1pm, tea room serves lunch between 11-2pm Remember, the bake table ALWAYS sells out!

# **CONNECTIONS:** Breaking bread and building bonds

Michael Coren is helping us with a new program to encourage engagement, companionship and reduce isolation with our neighbours at the Dorval complex.

We'll be hosting free spaghetti dinners, here at Incarnation, as a way to bring together people who may arrive as strangers, share stories over dinner, and leave as friends. Nothing binds us together like food. Even the word 'companion' comes from Latin and means 'with bread' – someone friendly with whom to share a meal.



The first event will take place on Friday, December 6 at 6pm.

Volunteers are needed for set up, cooking, serving, clean up and driving participants to and from the dinner. Sign-up sheets are at the back table.

## **GOOD TO KNOW:**



## **SHOE BOX program for St. Matthew's House**

Marlene Thompson is organizing a shoe box project for St. Matthew's House.

The idea is to choose a recipient and fill a shoe box with personal items and a couple goodies for them to open at Christmas.

We're looking for boxes for:

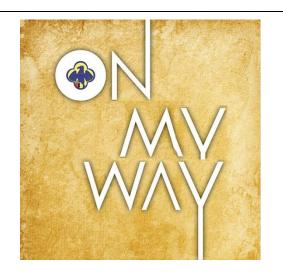
Single Mom with baby or toddler

Girl 1-5yrs/Boy 1-5yrs - Girl 6-11yrs/Boy 6-11yrs - Girl 12-14yrs/Boy 12-14yrs Girl 14-15yrs/Boy 14-15yrs - Girls15-18yrs/Boys 15-18yrs

Male/Female Senior

Select a quality "wow" toy such as a doll, soccer ball with pump, or stuffed animal. Then add other fun toys, hygiene items, and school supplies for each age group.

See Marlene for more details.



#### **ON MY WAY: Faith at Work**

Over the next few months we will be offering 4 evenings of education, exploration and dialogue for people to explore the role of faith in their life. How does one's faith/spirituality intersect with your everyday existence? Does faith inform the way you behave; how you work, how you make decisions or how you engage with family and friends? There will be a keynote speaker for each of these sessions and then an opportunity for small group discussion as well as a question and answer period. Each session begins at 7 pm and concludes at 9 pm.

Thursday Nov. 22th

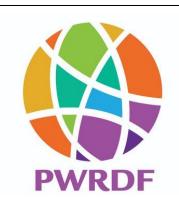
Michael Coren- author, public speaker, radio host and television talk show host <u>Thursday January 17th</u>,

Cheri DiNovo is a United Church of Canada minister and former MPP in Ontario



#### Once was nice, let's do it twice!

Sunday, December 16 – A Dramatic Reading of A Christmas Carol More details to follow.



#### 2018 Christmas Cards

This year, as PWRDF marks 60 years, they have eight ways to celebrate the season with your loved ones. Packs of 12 Christmas cards and envelopes are available in 8 beautiful designs. Click here to view the cards and order online!

### **World of Gifts Catalogue**

Our online guide allows you to support our partners by purchasing items of need for their programs. Click here to browse the World of Gifts catalogue



#### **Incarnation Choir Rehearsals Wednesdays at 7:15**

The Incarnation Choir meets on Wednesdays for rehearsal. 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 <a href="mailto:charlene@charlenepauls.com">charlene@charlenepauls.com</a>.



#### **Coffee Time**

We are trying something new!

Coffee will be available between the two services on Sunday. Come a few minutes before the 10:00 service and grab a mug before it begins. You can top up your mug after the service as well. Coffee hour volunteers will still be responsible for preparing coffee and refreshments for after the 10:00 worship.



## Wing and a Prayer - Thursday, November 22

We meet at 6:30pm at Monaghan's. Cost: \$30 per person including food and drink. RSVP Keith Lockhart at <a href="mailto:keith.lockhart@stockton-ag.com">keith.lockhart@stockton-ag.com</a> . Everyone is welcome!

## **COMMUNITY NEWS**



## **ROAD Youth Recovery**

ROAD is a peer-support group created and led by youth, for youth. It is a recovery support group for individuals 16 – 29 dealing with mental illness and/ or substance abuse challenges. About the group:

- Drop-in, New members can join at any time
- ROAD encourages volunteer participation in 4 yearly community events
- ROAD offers monthly recreational activities, community outings and workshops
- ROAD is a maintenance program, and your membership never expires

For information, please contact Rebecca Taube at <a href="mailto:rtaube@jif.to">rtaube@jif.to</a> or visit their website <a href="https://www.roadyouthrecovery.ca">www.roadyouthrecovery.ca</a>

## **THIS & THAT**



## Milk Bag Collection

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

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	November 18	November 25
<b>Bread Making</b>	J. Vanderwater	A. Moniuk
Altar Prep	V. Moniuk	M. Stevens
Coffee 1	D. Anderson	Stevens
Coffee 2	Bowden	J. Lockhart
Host 1	P. Russell	P. Moffat
Host 2	L. Hickey	J. Smith
Reader 1	J. Lockhart	S. Curran
Gospel	J. Bowden	G. chambers
Prayers	D. Wieler	P. Mitton
Server 1	A. Turner-Sommer	D. Bold
Server 2	P. Russell	P. Moffat
Wine Cups	C. Boulert	B. Abrams
WSRF	M. Morrison	J. Stevens
Counting	J. Raitt	G. Hughes

Please Note:

Thanks to all of you who update the master copy in the office – very helpful for me! The new schedule is available!

**DOWNLOAD THE November/December SCHEDULE HERE**