

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING

Sunday February 17, 12:00 pm

Please join us in the Parish Hall for a light lunch prior to the meeting.

Everyone is encouraged to attend. Voting is limited to members who meet the qualifications below. Please check the Vestry List in the Foyer to ensure your name is on it.

The qualifications for vestry membership are set out in the "Declaration" in Canon 14, Section 1. The person will declare that they:

- are a member of the Anglican Church of Canada and have been a member of the congregation for three months
- have attended regularly scheduled worship services in the congregation, at least 3 times in the past year
- are at least 16 years of age
- have not voted at another vestry and do not intend to do so

We are looking forward to seeing you at Vestry on February 17th!

#NOTINMYTOWN – Bake Sale TODAY

Please help support this Campaign to Fight and raise awareness of human trafficking in and around Durham Region. The overall goal in this 13- week campaign is to raise \$50,000 to provide 6 months of safe housing, and help more than 6 girls who have been affected by this. Members of a Christian Youth Group will be in the Parish Hall, after service, selling baked goods for the campaign. We'd love to see you there!

Messy Church – Saturday February 23, 3:30pm

The next Messy Church is February 23. For more information please contact our office (905) 623-2460.

Open Circle – Sunday February 24, 4:30pm

Acoustic Worship and a complimentary Meal for families, youth and singles. For more information please contact our office (905) 623-2460.

Men's Bible Study & Discussion Group – Thursdays, 7:00pm

The Men's Group meets on Thursday evenings at 7:00pm. For more information please contact our office (905) 623-2460.

Ladies Bible Study & Support Group – POSTPONED to March

The Ladies Groups will begin again on Thursday March 14. For more information please contact our office (905) 623-2460.

Adult Badminton Club Mondays, 7:00pm

Join us for FUN, FITNESS, and FELLOWSHIP. For more information please contact our office (905) 623-2460..

Sanctuary Flowers

If you would like to have flowers placed in the Sanctuary on a particular Sunday, please contact the Chancel Guild Convenor, Mary Tillcock 905-623-4326, mtillcock@rogers.com. Your name will be added to the Flower Chart Calendar posted in the Parish Hall. Payment for the flowers is made through Weekly Giving envelopes, with either cash or cheque, made payable to St. John's Church, and indicating "Sanctuary Flowers" on the envelope. The suggested donation is \$50.00. For more information please contact our office.

Wednesday Holy Eucharist Service at 10:00am

The Wednesday service offers a quiet time for prayer and reflection on scripture. Please join us in the church sanctuary. Services are hosted at Bowmanville Creek Retirement Community Chapel, every 4th Wednesday of the month.

2018 Tax Receipts and 2019 Offering Envelopes

The 2018 tax receipts and 2019 envelopes are available for pick up at the back of the Church. For more information please contact our office (905)623-2460.

Confirmation

Any teens interested in preparing for confirmation, please speak to Canon Susan. For more information please contact our office (905)623-2460

Prayer for Discerning St. John's New Incumbent - Please Pray

Lord God, We seek your kingdom first, your will to be done.
We seek your choice for a new Incumbent for St. John's Bowmanville.
We seek your guidance, wisdom and discernment in this selection.
We seek openness to your surprises.
We seek to be honest in expectations for our new Incumbent.
We seek honesty in all communication between our committee and the candidates.
We seek your strength and stamina, and cooperation in ourselves and others as we journey together. In Jesus Christ's Name we pray, Amen.



St. John's Church
Making Jesus Known
Through Worship, Learning
And Faithful Community Engagement

Upcoming Events

Date:	Time:	Event:
Sun. Feb 17	12:00 pm.	Annual Vestry Meeting
Sat. Feb 23	3:30 pm	Messy Church
Sun. Feb 24	4:30 pm.	Open Circle Worship and Dinner

St. John's Anglican Church

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Hours Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm			

Sunday, February 10, 2019

Kenyan Rite Service

I am the light of the world, says the Lord. Those who follow me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life. *John 8.12*



8:00 a.m. ~ Holy Eucharist ~10:30 a.m.

Celebrant & Preacher Canon Susan Sheen

Accompanist: Sharon Kosloski

Readings This Week

Psalm 138 O.T. p.639 Isaiah 6.1-8 (9-13) O.T. p.704
1 Corinthians 15.1-11 N.T. p.184 Luke 5.1-11 N.T. p.64

Mid-Week Holy Communion Wednesdays 10:00 am – in the Church
(4th Wednesdays at Bowmanville Creek Retirement Community Chapel)

Services next Sunday, February 17, 2019

8:00 am BCP ~ 10:30 am BAS

Readings Next Week

Psalm 1 O.T. p.539 Jeremiah 17.5-10 O.T. p.799
1 Corinthians 15.12-20 N.T. p.184 Luke 6.17-26 N.T. p. 65