

Share the Spirit; Spread the Word

Wednesday, Sept 29, 2016

Thursday, September 29, 5:30 pm

St Augustine's Church, Danville – Messy Church

Saturday, October 1, 11:00 am

October 1, 11 a.m. Blessing of the Pets in honor of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. River Park, North Hatley, near the farmers' market. Each owner will receive a digital photo of them with their pet and a certificate. Bishop Bruce Myers will be there together with Archdeacon Edward Simonton. Hosted by people of St. Barnabas Church, North Hatley. All animals are welcome but must be leashed or in carriers.

Sunday, October 2, 10:00 am

St. John's Church, Waterville - The Rt Rev. Bruce Myers, Co-adjutor Bishop will be celebrating. Pot luck meal to follow.

Sunday, October 2, 1:00 – 4:00 pm

St Anne's Church, Richmond - The Walking Christians Youth Group. All youth are welcome! If you have any questions, please contact Katherine Archer at [819-398-5256](tel:819-398-5256), revenge_lives@hotmail.com or you can Facebook.

Sunday, October 2, 2:00 pm

St. Barnabas, Milby - Fall church service led by Page and Beverly Dame.

Sunday, October 2, 2:00 pm

St Augustine's Church, Danville - Country Gospel Hour. Guest speaker is Bishop Bruce and the music is being played by Dave McBurney and friends. Apple and pumpkin pie served in the hall after.

Sunday, October 2, 3:00 pm

St Mark's Chapel, Bishop's University - Organ Concert. Les Amis de l'Orgue de l'Estrie presents Sylvain Barrette on the organ and Michel Cervant, Baritone. Tickets are 10\$ and will be available at the door.

Tuesday, October 4

Confirmation class with the Rev. Ruth Charleau will be beginning after school at Alexander Galt High School. Please meet in the center office.

Saturday, October 8, 5:00 – 7:00 pm

St George's Church, Lennoxville – Please join His Eminence Archbishop Elia Bahi, Patriarchal Vicariate of Canada and The Right Reverend Bruce Myers OGS, Coadjutor Bishop of Quebec for a short service of Thanksgiving followed by a party celebrating the relationship between the Syrian Orthodox community of the Eastern Townships and the Anglican Deanery of St Francis and their work for refugees. See the attached poster for more information.

Saturday, October 8

Children's Choir, Leslie Young - I would like to start a children's choir, starting with children from the United, Anglican, Baptist and Presbyterian churches. I would start with children from Grade 2 and up. The goal is really to teach them musical skills that they can use, as well as to form a community of young singers with our churches as the base. Music will be sacred. Children younger than seven could be involved in a minimal way for one or two rehearsals to sing something very simple, but they will not be the focus of the choir. I plan to have physical meeting of all of those concerned during the first week of October. My plan is to start in October with maybe 6 or 8 - Saturday morning rehearsals of 45 minutes in order to have something ready by Christmas. Contact Leslie Young lesliemartinyoung@gmail.com

Sunday, October 9, 9:00 am

St Barnabas' Church, North Hatley - A Service of Thanksgiving. Special music performed before and during the Service of Morning Prayer by Louis Brouillette, church

organist, and Jean Gervais, trumpet solo at the Sherbrooke Symphonic Orchestra. Selections will include: *Prayer of St. Gregory* by Alan Hovhaness, 2d movement from the *Sonata for Trumpet and Organ* by Denis Bédard, *Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring* by Johan Sebastian Bach. 1st movement from the *Sonata for Trumpet and Organ* by Denis Bédard. Please join the congregation at St. Barnabas for this worship service. All are welcome!

Saturday, October 15, 11:30 am – 1:30 pm

Hope Community Church, Lennoxville – Empty Bowls Lennoxville Bols du partage. Empty Bowls is an international grassroots effort to fight hunger.

Local potters have created bowls and local chefs will prepare soup and local bakers are supplying the bread. For 25\$, you are invited to join us for a bowl of soup and you keep the bowl. All proceeds will go to local organizations to fight hunger: Cornerstone Food Bank, Lennoxville Elementary School Breakfast Program and The Pastoral Fund which helps needy students on the Bishop's and Champlain Campus. Tickets are available at BU Bookstore and will be available at the door.

Check out our Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/#!/emptybowlslennoxville?fref=ts>

Thursday, October 20 from 4 pm – 8 pm; Friday, October 21 from 11 am – 8 pm and Saturday, October 22 from 9 am – noon.

Lennoxville United Church - The Bishop's/Champlain Refugee Student Sponsorship Committee will be holding their annual Used Book Sale at Lennoxville United Church, 6 Church Street, Sherbrooke (Lennoxville Borough) on the following dates: If you have used books to donate to the sale please bring them to the church on Wednesday, October 19 from 1 – 6 pm or Thursday, October 20 from 9 am – noon. All proceeds go to assisting our sponsored students.

Friday, October 21, 4:00 – 6:00 pm

St Anne's Church, Richmond - Annual Soup Supper on Friday evening from 4 pm till 6 on October 21. Varieties of soups, assorted pies for dessert.