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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR HARVEST THANKSGIVING 7TH OCTOBER 2018

Welcome to the St Francis Regional Ministry. We acknowledge the traditional territory upon which we gather. For many thousands of years, the Abenakis and the Wabenaki Confederacy nations have sought to walk gently on this land. They offered assistance to the first European travellers to this territory and shared their knowledge for survival in what was at times a harsh climate. We seek a new relationship with the Original Peoples of this land, one based in honour and deep respect.

SAINT GEORGE LENNOXVILLE

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR THIS MORNING ARE TO THE GLORY OF GOD

IN THE LOVING MEMORY OF:

STEWART AND ANNESLEY FAMILIES

GIFT OF MARGARET AND BOB HALL

DUTY ROSTER – SAINT GEORGE LENNOXVILLE

11 am Celebrant & Homilist – The Venerable Dr. Edward Simonton OGS; Chalice Bearer & Intercessor – Spencer Nadeau; Server – Spencer Nadeau; Organist – Sandra Gallichon; First Reader – Janice Fraser; Second Reader – Spencer Nadeau; Sides people – Doug Crosby & Brian Thomas; Collection Counter – Bob Hall, LR & Margaret Hall; Fellowship – Ferne McConnell, Janice Fraser, Mary Simons

SAINT BARNABAS NORTH HATLEY

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR THIS MORNING ARE TO THE GLORY OF GOD

IN THE LOVING MEMORY OF:

MR. AND MRS. JOHN FOLEY

GIFT OF THEIR FAMILY

DUTY ROSTER – SAINT BARNABAS NORTH HATLEY

9 am Celebrant & Homilist – The Venerable Dr. Edward Simonton OGS; Eucharist Assistant – Jennifer Madill; First Reader – Paul McFarlane; Second Reader – Jack Wilmer; Sides person – Wendell Smith; Prayers of the People – John Moses; Organist – Louis Brouillette

St. Barnabas North Hatley website: www.stbarnabasqc.org

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION – ST BARNABAS, NORTH HATLEY & ST GEORGE, LENNOXVILLE

Centering prayer is a contemplative Christian practice. It involves sitting in silence, letting go of thoughts and emotions, in order to rest in the presence of God. All are welcome to join as we meet for a twenty-five-minute session of centering prayer followed by twenty minutes of discussion. No previous experience is necessary, and instruction will be provided. Starting Sept 18th & 20th, meditations will be offered from 6:00-7:00 pm at two sites: Tuesdays at St Barnabas, North Hatley and Thursdays at St George, Lennoxville. If you have any questions, contact Sam Borsman (819-620-6058; sborsman@ubishops.ca).

SEEKING GOD IN A SECULAR AGE – ST GEORGE, LENNOXVILLE.

Charles Taylor, a Quebec Roman Catholic, is one of the world's most important philosophers. His 2007 book, A Secular Age, has been praised as a "magnificent epoch-making work" in describing the origins of secularism and its relationship to contemporary religion. Its last chapter speaks of a series of Christian thinkers who have broken out of contemporary secularism, which Taylor describes as a kind of "conversion". Our discussion group will focus on Taylor's account of conversion—and its relevancy to our personal and communal lives—through a close reading of this chapter, as well as selections from earlier chapters of the book. We will also turn to other Christian thinkers in order to supplement Taylor's challenging reflections. We meet Wednesdays, beginning October 10th, from 7:00 to 8:30 pm, at St George, Lennoxville.

NASKAPI SUNDAY – CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY TRINITY, QUEBEC CITY

Sunday, October 14, 11:00 am

The unique contribution of the Naskapi people to our diocesan family will be celebrated on Sunday, October 14 at 11:00 am at the Cathedral of the Holy Trinity, Quebec City. The Rt. Rev'd Mark MacDonald, our church's National Indigenous Anglican Bishop, will be the guest preacher, and we will recognize the designation of Kawawachikamach as a distinct region within the structures of our diocese.

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

NEXT SATURDAY	3 PM	SERVICE OF THE WORD	DRUMMONDVILLE
NEXT SUNDAY	9 AM	HOLY EUCHARIST	NORTH HATLEY
	9 AM	SERVICE OF THE WORD	AYER'S CLIFF
	9:30 AM	HOLY EUCHARIST	RICHMOND
	9:30 AM	HOLY EUCHARIST	FITCH BAY
	11 AM	HOLY EUCHARIST	DANVILLE
	11 AM	HOLY EUCHARIST	LENNOXVILLE
	11 AM	HOLY EUCHARIST	MAGOG
	11 AM	SERVICE OF THE WORD	COATICOOK

UPCOMING EVENTS

ANNUAL BOOK SALE – UNITED CHURCH HALL, LENNOXVILLE

The Bishop's / Champlain Refugee Student Sponsorship committee is holding their annual used book sale at the Lennoxville United Church Hall, Lennoxville from Thursday, October 18 to Saturday, October 20.

DEDICATION / CONSECRATION CEREMONY – NATIONAL HEALING FOREST FITCH BAY

Sunday, October 7, 12:00 noon

The Dedication / Consecration Ceremony of the first National Healing Forest in Quebec at 760 chemin Sheldon, rte 247, Fitch Bay with guest assembling at noon. This will be cross cultural, bilingual, and Indigenous led. The web site describing the project is www.nationalhealingforests.com.

LUKE: A JOURNEY WITH JESUS – RECTORY, NORTH HATLEY

Montreal Diocesan Theological College is providing a 5-part online course on the Gospel of Luke. This course is meant to be an introduction to the Gospel for people with no prior background, or a refresher for those who have studied it previously. People in the Deanery are invited to meet at the Rectory in North Hatley (645 ch. Sherbrooke) to participate in this class together on Oct 23 & 30 and Nov 6, 13, & 20 from 7:30 to 9:00 pm. Please let Fr Giuseppe know if you plan to come (ggagliano@quebec.anglican.ca).

FALL RUMMAGE SALE – ST GEORGE, LENNOXVILLE

St George, Lennoxville will be holding its Fall Rummage Sale on Thursday, October 25th and Friday, October 26th from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. BAG SALE will be on Saturday, October 27th from 8:30 am to Noon. Articles may be left at the Church Hall during the week of October 21st. Further info or pick-up of articles please call 819-562-6245 or 819-346-5056. SAVE YOUR \$\$\$ - SHOP WITH US!

SEAFARERS' BOXES – ST GEORGE, LENNOXVILLE

Wednesday, November 7

The Guild's Annual Bus Trip to Quebec City is scheduled for Wednesday, November 7th to deliver the Seafarers' boxes, etc., to the Port of Quebec. Now is a great time to pack a Christmas Gift Box enabling the sharing of your joy with those away from home at Christmas time. Lists of suggested articles to pack in the boxes are available at St-George's - Lennoxville. Cost of the trip is \$50.00 and to reserve a seat on the bus or for further information please call Kay Hartwell at 819-346-5056.

PLEASE SEND ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY'S BULLETIN TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT BY WEDNESDAY NOON AT: gkwenga@quebec.anglican.ca OR CALL 819 342 3223