

There is a **BOARD of MANAGERS MEETING** on Monday, February 3rd, at 7:30, in the Parlour.

We will hold a monthly **CRAFT CLUB** on the first Tuesday of each month, from 1:30-3:00pm, in the Hall. Our first gathering will take place on Tuesday, February 4th, and our first project will be making milk bag mats. All are welcome! For further information, please speak with Harriet A.

MONTHLY PRAYER TIME at ST. ANDREW'S: Beginning in February, the first Wednesday of each month, we will hold a prayer time in the Parlour, from 1:00-2:00pm. All are invited to participate, in silence or by joining in prayer aloud. We will open with a scripture passage, talk about the life of the church and what is happening in the world, then bow our heads in prayer. Come one, come all! Our first prayer meeting will be held on Wed., February 5th!

The next **MEN'S BREAKFAST** is scheduled for Saturday, February 8th, at 8:30am, in the Hall. All men are welcome! For further information, please speak with David C.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH & SUPPORT PROGRAM (Mission Room): Please take the time to look at the bulletin board outside the Sanctuary doors, above the donation bin. There you will find updated information about our most needed items, as well as a handy shopping list for the month. You will also find information re who is using our program and when we are hosting our next drop-in date. Thank you for your continued support of this ongoing program!

We are once again registered for the **COLDEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR WALK**, in support of The Refuge in Oshawa. The walk will be held on February 22nd, 4:00-8:00pm, starting at Simcoe Street United Church in Oshawa. This winter walk-a-thon is a fundraiser that partners with mission and inner-city charities in dozens of towns and cities across Canada, in support of the hungry, homeless and hurting in our communities. St. Andrew's is building a team of people who appreciate the challenge of a good, chilly winter walk, and who might appreciate a warm bowl of chili afterward! If interested in participating, please call Julia W.

Anyone who might be interested some fun and fellowship by participating in a St. Andrew's **CURLING GET-TOGETHER**, please speak further with Kate T.

This month, **EMILY F.** will once again be going on a **MISSION TRIP TO PERU**, and the congregation is encouraged to offer financial support. In this regard, please use your pew offering envelope or the third section of your regular envelope to designate your donation accordingly.

Please join us at **WINTER WORSHIP 2014**, which is scheduled for Sunday, February 23rd, at 7:00pm. (*Further details to follow.*)

THANKS FROM MONICA! I would like to thank you for your generous support of my efforts to take medications and toiletries to Cuba. I now have enough to fill a large suitcase! These supplies are not readily available to the seminary students in Cuba and when available are prohibitively expensive. Your generosity will enable them to use everyday medications that will improve the quality of their lives! Your gifts are a tangible reminder that we are all part of the body of Christ. If you would still like to contribute, please consider donating band-aids. I will be able to take with me anything that is donated by next Sunday, February the 9th. (Our trip is from February 13th to February 22nd.) Thank you too for your prayers for us as we travel, and as we meet the Cuban seminary students. Thank you!!

ATTENTION ALL READERS!!! January's theme is **Personal Growth and Devotionals...**

“Renew the thinking in your mind by the Spirit and clothe yourself with the new person created according to God’s image in justice and true holiness.” — Ephesians 4: 23-24

“I Saw the Lord” by Anne Graham Lotz: A wake-up call for your heart. If a fresh vision of God could transform Isaiah into the greatest of the Old Testament prophets, imagine what a difference it could make in your life if you truly saw the Lord?

“Turn” by Max Lucado: Turn back to God...who daily sustains your very existence and is the sole source of your every blessing. God keep our land...who showers our country with grace, creating this nation for His name’s sake. From your life to your land, His hand of mercy is upon you. It’s time to turn and ask, “What can I do for God?”

*****PLEASE RETURN YOUR BOOKS TO THE LABELLED BOX ON THE SMALL DESK IN THE PARLOUR*****

LITURGICAL DANCE WORKSHOP: “Anointed Joy” Liturgical Dance Group invites you to join in for an afternoon of dance and refreshments! This event is available for those who are ages 10 and up, and will be held at the church on Sunday, March 30th, from 2:00-4:00pm. Come and learn how dance is used as praise — Messianic folk dance, flagging and movement to music. For more information, please call Sharon G., or contact the church, at (905) 668-4022, or through our website at www.worship-with-us.org