

# Life of the Church

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY to...** Brian M., 65 years old March 28th!

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to...** Bill & Mary A., 54 years on March 28th!

**SENIOR SUNDAY SCHOOL KIDS (AGES 10+) today is the first day of our NEW CLASS!** Hopefully, you grabbed a Senior Sermon Notes page on your way into church—it's a guide to help you listen for God's teaching and prepare for our discussion—maybe your parent will do it with you. Settle in to your pew and give God all you've got as you worship. After worship, find our table in the gym, and don't forget to bring your parent/grandparent (grab them a coffee/tea too). Together, we'll enjoy a great treat as we share what God has said to us today (for 15-20 minutes). Then we'll go into our week having grown in God and ready to give Him the glory! See you in the gym!

If you forgot to pick-up your **EASTER LETTER & NEWSLETTER** last Sunday, you have another opportunity to do so today! As per usual, the newsletters are laid out alphabetically, by surname, so please ensure you take the copy with your name on it. Many thanks to those who contributed to this publication!

**MAUNDY THURSDAY**, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm: Join us for an intimate, reflective service in the Sanctuary, as we remember the events that took place the evening before Good Friday. This will be a family friendly communion experience, remembering the Last Supper.

**GOOD FRIDAY**-March 30<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am: We will worship at 10:00am, and the Community Outreach food bank will take place at 1:00pm. Some of our Outreach friends may be gathering in the Narthex and the Hall as we gather for worship. We will invite our friends to join in worship, if they wish. Please visit with our friends and share a cup of coffee in the hall after the service.

**EASTER SONRISE SERVICE, April 1st, 6:45 am:** *"Very early on Sunday morning, the women went to the tomb, carrying the spices they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the entrance to the tomb..."* Come and join us at Rotary Sunrise Lake Park (269 Water St.), at the bottom of Brock Street at Whitby Harbour, and greet the sunrise and celebrate that our Lord, our Messiah, is risen indeed! We will have a short worship service at the lake, on the beach, just east of the gazebo. Pick up a directions sheet on the Narthex table.

On Saturday, April 14th, at 2:00 pm, Pastor Jonathan will participate in the **INTERFAITH PRAYER for PEACE**, being held at the Pickering Islamic Center, 2065 Brock Rd. N., Pickering. All are welcome to attend and participate! *"Retain your peace, reserve your judgement."*

The **DUTY ELDER** for the month of March is Bob B! If you wish to pray or speak with the Duty Elder, please remain in your seat following this morning's service and the Duty Elder will come to see you.

**EASTER POSTCARDS** outlining our Easter services are available for you to hand out to your family and friends — please feel welcome to pick some up from the Narthex table!

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

Mar 25th	— 10:00 am	Palm Sunday Worship Service, in the Sanctuary
	— following service	Little Harmonies practice, in the Sanctuary
Mar 27th	— 9:30 am	Tuesday morning Prayer Meeting, in the Sanctuary
	— 3:30 pm	Tuesday afternoon Bible Study, in the Parlour
	— 7:30 pm	Liturgical Dance practice, in the Sanctuary
Mar 28th	— 10:00 am	Wednesday morning Bible Study, in the Parlour
Mar 29th	— 7:00 pm	Maundy Thursday service, in the Sanctuary
	— <b>cancelled</b>	<b>Praise Team practice</b>
Mar 30th	— 10:00 am	Good Friday Worship Service, in the Sanctuary
	— 1:00 pm	Community Outreach food bank, in the Hall
Apr 1st	— 6:45 am	Sonrise Service, at Whitby Harbour
	— 10:00 am	Easter Sunday Worship Service, in the Sanctuary