

Service of the Word

July 31, 2016

Presider: Matt Bulley
Homelist: The Rev'd Cathy MacKendrick

Scheduled Ministers for Today's Liturgy:

Cantors : Beth Felet, Margaret Kissau

Lector: Dianna Iannicello

Sidespersons: Andy Hahn, Helen Cahill, Joan Mallender

Collection Supervisor: Paul Finlayson

Fellowship Hour: Doug Wardord & Janet Williams; Pat Lown & Flora Smith

Scripture readings for Sunday, August 7, 2016: Genesis 15: 1-6, Ps 33: 12-22; Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16; Luke 12: 32-40

Summer Service Schedule: August 7 & 14: one service only, at 10am.

Feed the Kids at Marlborough – Every year we need at least \$1800 for the programme, so **Money Bags** are available to collect your change etc over the summer. The challenge - Loonies and Toonies - of course smaller and larger amounts are welcome, too. **The Money Bags will be collected on St. Matthew's Sunday 17, in September.** Thanks for supporting this worthy ministry on behalf of St. Matthew's

Do you colour? Many adults are taking up colouring with coloured pencils. It is a form of relaxation and for some, meditation. Well, the inmates at the Detention Centre do it too. But their coloured pencils must be cut in half and so only last for a day or two. Coloured pencils are a real need. Please consider getting a pack next time you are at the Dollar Store.

Craft Guild Supplies Needed – We are looking for the following donations: little plastic animals or other little toys (approx. size 1/2 to 1inch tall); old jewellery - any and all; old WOOL sweaters (no polyester, cotton, acrylic) - preferably with bright colours and/or patterns; clock works; white or cream buttons - all sizes; old wooden thread spools; sports team t-shirts and jerseys in good condition; white feathers. If you have any of these items, please either place them in the Craft Guild donation box in the narthex, or contact Danielle Richer (519-972-9058) or Beth Felet (519-969-3035). If you have other items that you would like to donate, please talk with Beth or Danielle.

Canterbury College Welcome Baskets: New students get a welcome basket with various necessities included. We will collect cleaning supplies, toilet paper and paper towels, dish detergent, laundry detergent, and fabric softener. These items will be collected up to August 19th. Box in the Narthex.

Craft Guild Meetings - every Wednesday 6:30 to 9:00. We do crafting, but also use this time to get opinions on crafts in progress, planned crafts, and prototype recommendations. Everyone is welcome.

Newsletter – **Pick up** your summer issue of The Journey on the table in the narthex, or download in full colour on our website.