# ST. JAMES UNITED CHURCH WEEKLY BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS April 12th to April 19th, 2019

PLEASE NOTE: MONICA HAS A NEW EMAIL ADDRESS: revmonicamoore@gmail.com

#### **LENT VI**

#### **National Volunteer Week**

"Volunteers don't get paid, not because they're worthless, but because they're priceless." - Sherry Anderson

The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others.

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#### LENTEN CONTEMPLATIVE SERVICES

WEDNESDAYS 6:30 - 7:00 P.M. ST. JAMES UNITED CHURCH, Sanctuary

This is an informal service of meditation, scripture, song and prayer.

Open to anyone who would like to find a quiet centre in the middle of your week.

Last one is April 17th

#### YARD CLEAN UP DAY

Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

There will be a potluck lunch in Georgian Bay Hall for all workers.

It will be fun!

Bring your rakes etc. and your young, strong-backed friends!

# Holy Week April 14<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 Film Nights @ St. James 7 - 9 p.m.

Monday: Lars and the Real Girl

Tuesday: The Mission
Wednesday: Jesus of Montreal
Thursday: First Reformed

Saturday: Jesus Christ, Superstar

#### **Movies FREE**

Snacks Available by Donation
All movies will be in the Rainbow Country

Cafe

#### **INDIAN HORSE**

In collaboration with Trinity Anglican Church, and as a follow-up to the "Scene & Unseen: Facing Race Through Film" conference, there will be a viewing of the film "Indian Horse", based on the book by Richard Wagamese, on Sun., April 28, 2019 at 3 pm at St. James United Church.

**ALL** are welcome!

#### **Upcoming Fundraising Events**

Fundraising Goal 2019: \$19,000. As of April 12<sup>th</sup>, we have \$16,879.15 left to raise.

April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019 - 'SPRING IN THE SOUND' - Piano Bar & Roast Beef Dinner.

Tickets now available at Bearly Used Books. Last date for tickets for dinner, Wed. Apr. 24<sup>th</sup>.

May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 - Giant Garage Sale. We especially want larger items such as furniture, etc., and will do a Silent Auction for higher-priced items. Please no broken or non-functioning items.

Contact the office if you have items to donate or would like to volunteer.

#### **UCW News**

We had a very successful Lenten luncheon last Wednesday. There were about 80 people who stayed for lunch. A big thank you to all the ladies who made soup or sandwiches. We made sure the soup was hot and we served the sandwiches on plates! (This has not happened at all the venues). A big thank you to Les for making sure that we did not blow any fuses with our crock pots and coffee! We love the new chairs but they get heavier every time we have to move them! Thanks Ivan for setting them up for the lunch. Thanks also to the willing helpers who do so much to make these events such a success. I am not mentioning names in case I miss anyone, but you know who you are!

This coming Wednesday April 17<sup>th</sup>, our speaker is Miles Loach, the OPP Community Policing Officer, who will be talking to us about 'Fraud and Scams'. Seniors are particularly vulnerable, so it will be a good topic with an opportunity to ask questions after his talk. As always, all ladies are welcome to attend. Hope to see you at 2:00pm in the lounge on Wednesday. Valerie Cramp, president.

## HOLY WEEK AT ST. JAMES Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup> - Monday April 22nd

Sun.	Apr. 14		Palm Sunday
Mon.	Apr. 15	7:00 p.m.	Movie 'Lars & the Real Girl'
Tues.	Apr. 16	7:00 p.m.	Movie 'The Mission'
Wed.	Apr. 17	12:10 p.m.	Lenten Lunch & Service
			Bayside Church
			Fr. Bob Mansfield preaching
		6:30 p.m.	Contemplative Service in Sanctuary
		7:00 p.m.	Movie 'Jesus of Montreal'
Thurs.	Apr. 18	6:30 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Service with Communion
	-	7:00 p.m.	Movie 'First Reformed'
Fri.	Apr. 19	12:45 p.m.	Ecumenical Good Friday Walk
			Meet at Market Square Park in front of the library
			We will stop at stations throughout town, telling the
			story of Jesus' last day as we go. All welcome
			Hot Cross Buns and coffee following at St. James
			United Church, 24 Mary Street
			If you are unable to participate in the walk, St. James
			will be open at 12:30 p.m. for those who would like to
			pray and/or walk the labyrinth.
Sat.	Apr. 20	6:00 p.m.	Pizza Night and viewing of 'Jesus Christ
			Superstar'
			Please phone or email the office if you plan to attend
			so that we will have enough pizza ordered. Donations
			will cover the cost (suggested \$5/person). If you tell
			us by Thursday, we will accommodate food allergies,
			vegetarians etc.
Sun.	Apr. 21	7:00 a.m.	Sunrise service at Wasauksing United
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		10:30 a.m.	Worship
		10.00 4.1111	Celebrate Holy Easter Day!
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## WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR BULBS FOR THE CHURCH GROUNDS ...

so, please, don't throw yours out once the blooms are spent. Leave them in the pots in which you bought them, and bring them into the church office.

Thank you!



#### ST. JAMES UNITED CHURCH'S PRAYER CORNER

- 1. For <u>Sandra Houzer</u> who was released from hospital this week. She will be on a medical leave for the next while.
- 2. For John Grant who is in hospital this week.
- 3. For a <u>friend from Utterson</u> who recently had a double lung transplant.
- 4. There will be a celebration of life for Mary Gwen Lawson Sat. May 11<sup>th</sup> 1 4 p.m. Parry Sound Seniors Centre

## TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE for SPRING IN THE SOUND

@ Bearly Used Books and

St. James United Church and Mary Street Centre
If you are interested in helping to promote this event or
volunteering for this event, please see Lynda or call/text her
at 705-746-1865/email programdirectormsc@cogeco.net



### SoulCollage Card-Making Days

Rev. Monica Moore - Facilitator

Sat., April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 Sat., May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Georgian Bay Hall

NO COST FOR EVENT
Card-making Supplies - \$5.00 for 10 Cards

Sat., June 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. <u>A Taste of SoulCollage</u>

You will make cards, learn how to read them, and use them as a spiritual tool. You will also learn of the history, theory, and the different suits of SoulCollage.

**COST:** \$25.00 (incl. lunch)

All proceeds to the St. James United Church

REGISTER by email revmonicamoore@gamil.com by May 31st, 2019



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Led by area clergy and churches April 19<sup>th</sup> 2019 12:45 p.m.

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