

Happening

Sunday March 4, 2018

Condolences

Our condolences to Gloria Seabrook and her family. Gloria's mother, Ethel Seabrook, died on February 17th in her 102nd year.

Fundscrip

Orders are due today. Information about the Fundscrip program and order forms are available in all 3 churches.

Lenten Lunches

St. John's has begun its Lenten lunches for 2018. Homemade soup, sandwiches and dessert. Cost is by donation and the money collected goes toward community outreach. Come and enjoy.

International Women's Day Thursday March 8, 2018

Please see the flyer posted in each of the churches for details about this event. Guest speaker is Chief Laurie Carr, Hiawatha First Nation. There is no cost for admission.

Saturday April 21, 2018 Deanery Confirmation, Reaffirmation

All the churches in Peterborough Deanery will be celebrating these sacraments together On Saturday April 21st @ 2:00 pm at St. Thomas, Millbrook. Please read the flyer available in all of our churches describing these sacraments. If you might be interested or just curious about Confirmation or reaffirmation, I would like to hear from you as soon as possible.

Holy Week in the Parish of Belmont

Available in all 3 churches, this brochure explains the liturgies available during Holy Week and explains the theology that grounds them. Please take one home and read it. I will gladly meet you over coffee or in a small group to discuss your questions.

Elder care working group seeking input

Based on some of the discussion we have had in the parish around this important issue I thought you might be interested in this article:

Ahead of the upcoming provincial election, the Ecclesiastical Province of Ontario is gathering opinions and issues from across the province, and will be putting together a number of questions that can be used to influence the political agenda and advocate for better elder care. Take a moment to complete the [elder care survey](#) to share your opinion with the elder care working group.

Unfortunately the survey only seems to be available electronically but if you are interested in knowing its content, please speak to me. I have completed the survey and given my contact information. G+

Contact List for St. Michael's and Christ Church

A number of parishioners at St. Michael's & Christ Church have indicated that it would be really helpful to communication about events if we had an updated contact list that parishioners could access to contact each other directly with questions or offers of help. The purpose of the list would be to allow parishioners to share details about events, meetings, important dates etc. and it **would not be shared beyond your congregation or without your permission.**

Under the Privacy Act, we must have your permission to add your contact information to any list; to send you copies of Happening electronically; or to add your name to the subscription list for the Parish Website, as examples. If you wish to add your name to a St. Michael's/Christ Church Parishioner contact list, the form has been posted at St. Michael's. You would be sharing your name, phone number and email address (if applicable.)

The usual means of communication through Happening and Belmontanglicans.ca will continue as usual. If St. John's parishioners would like share a contact list as well, please speak to Gloria.

