

St. John the Evangelist, Niagara Falls

Announcements for January 28, 2024



Our Sunday Services this week will be:

8 AM - Eucharist 11 AM - Eucharist

Thanks to The Rev. Canon Howard Anningson for Presiding, and to Karen James for Preaching this Sunday.



Rev. Mark continues on Vacation Jan. 23-30 inclusive.

He will be back mid-week.

If there are any
emergencies during his
absence, please leave a
voicemail on the Church
phone, or send an email
to the Church.



....are due BEFORE Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14 - via email (There is the absolute latest date for submission) in preparation for the Reports booklet to be compiled, edited, approved, printed, and distributed before our Annual Meeting Feb. 28. All official roles in the Church need to submit a report, as well as the **Leaders** of the various Special Events and Groups that have been held here in

2023. Thanks in advance!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY -



Calling all Knitters and Crocheters...
Beginning Feb. 6, St. John's will host a time of fellowship for our ongoing Prayer Shawl Ministry. If you are interested in creating prayer shawls and sharing some time with fellow fibre enthusiasts, please consider joining us in the Chapel on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month, from 1:30-3:30pm.

Please bring along your needles, hook, yarn, pattern, or just yourself and join in an opportunity to create, chat, and enjoy a cup or coffee or tea. Please reach out to Karen James or the church office to RSVP or for more information. Looking forward to seeing you there.



Pancake Breakfast Saturday, Feb. 10, from 9-11am

We are planning a Pancake Breakfast in February before the beginning of Lent.

Thanks to Lynne Coull for volunteering to be the Coordinator!

There is a **signup sheet for volunteers** is available at the
back of the church (or
email/phone the office during
office hours to get added).





The Work of the People Creating Our Way Through 5 Films on Art & Salvation

Art...is a means of union among [humans], joining them together in the same feelings, and indispensable for the life and progress toward well-being of individuals and of humanity. —Leo

Tolstoy, adapted for inclusion from his essay What is Art? Started Wednesday January 10th @ 7:00 p.m.

SESSION ONE // Describing the Indescribable with René August SESSION TWO // Amnesia Therapy with Marlon Hall SESSION THREE // The Artisan Soul with Erwin Raphael McManus SESSION FOUR // Crucified for All with Malcolm Guite SESSION FIVE // Creation Heals with Lanecia Rouse Tinsley



Advance Notice - Holy Trinity Chippawa Shrove Tuesday Pancake Lunch

Tuesday, Feb. 13, from 11:30am-2pm

featuring pancakes, sausages dessert, tea, coffee, and juice 7820 Portage Road \$10 each



Advance Notice

Ash Wednesday Service

Feb. 14 at 7 pm



Our Annual Church Vestry Meeting will be held Wednesday, February 28, 2024 at 7pm in the Church

Please mark your calendars.



URGENT - We have a wonderful problem! Folks want to come to the 11am service, but need a ride!

If you can help out to pick up some of our visitors at The Oak Hotel downtown, please contact The Rev. Rob Duncan at 905-356-8060.



2024 Donation Envelopes

Envelopes are **now available** at the back of the Church.

Thanks in advance for your support!

Ways We Can Help our Community

Grace Pantry (Emergency Food

Bank): A Shared Ministry between
Niagara Falls Christian Ministries and St.
John's. Please bring non-perishable
items, hygiene products, or grocery store
gift cards (No Frills or Food Basics \$25
suggested). By appointment only
Thursdays 6pm-9pm & Sundays 1230330pm. Call Christine or Darlene at 905356-5634 or 647-464-3774.

Breakfast Club Red Jam: is always needed for St. Georges/St
Catharines. Please drop off red jam jars at the back of the Church.

Project Share: One in every 7
Niagara Falls residents rely on Project
Share's emergency support
services. Thank you for your
continuing support in keeping our
neighbours fed, housed, and healthy.

St. John's - "A Community of friendship, faith, and care for our neighbours and all of creation"

The Church phone number is 905-354-1227.

The office is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 10

AM - 2 PM

Reverend Mark can be reached as needed at 289-303-7070 or by confidential e-mail: kmarkgladd@gmail.com