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**Mission Moments:
Thanks be to God!**

Presbyterians Sharing supports the Rev. Dr. Paul McLean, a Bible translation consultant working in partnership with The Presbyterian Church in Taiwan and The Bible Society in Taiwan. In a recent blog post, Paul writes: "Maelaanenge ki Twaumase!" (Thanks be to God!) These words were repeated during the joyful 3-hour thanksgiving service for the publication of the Ngudradrekai Bible on July 11, 2017 at Kucapungane Presbyterian Church in the mountain foothills of southern Taiwan. Nearly 30 years after The Gospel first took root in Old Kucapungane village, Ngudradrekai people now have the complete Bible printed in their own mother language." The Rev Peter Bush, Moderator of the 2017 General Assembly, attended the celebration. He shares, "To read the Bible in one's mother language is to be affirmed culturally as a people having value and it is to be called to discipleship following Jesus Christ." *Presbyterians Sharing equips people to read the Bible in their own language*

Check out our church website at www.standrewsbarrie.ca



Welcome to our fully accessible church

Today at St. Andrew's
*We welcome guest worshippers with us
today and invite you to sign the guest
register at the front hall.*



Welcoming Elder	Andrew Douglas
Elevator Operator	Don Tutty
Greeter	Eric & Lottie Forsyth
Ushers	Kent & Connie Hall
Ushers	Marion Taylor & Joyce Chisholm
Driver	Jack Hettinga
Scriptures	Kathy Tutty
Counters	Russ hope & Irene Jones

NEW WORSHIPPERS: On the small table in the entry narthex (beside the elevator), you will find coloured file folders which contain welcome and information materials for new worshippers to St. Andrew's. If you have recently come among us, or if you have questions about who we are as a Christian faith community, we invite you to take home one of those file folders and peruse it at your leisure. It will help you become better acquainted with our life, work and helpful staff here at St. Andrew's. Feel free to be in touch with us if we can be of support to you!

Nursery Care (located through the right front door of the Sanctuary) is provided for little ones in St. Andrew's each Sunday. If your little one fusses, please feel free to walk them at the back of the church, or we would love to care for them in the nursery. You are welcome to bring them into the nursery before service begins as well. Our ushers will gladly show you to our nursery.

In light of the number of persons who suffer from asthma, allergies and breathing difficulties, we ask you to kindly consider eliminating the use of colognes and fragrances during worship

Kindly let us know of any births or deaths or those hospitalized so that we may respond. Simply share information with Dr. Horst or an elder or leave a message at the church office.

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please speak to Dr. Horst or leave a message on his voice mail (728-3991 ext. 3) and he will see to it that your request is passed on to members of our prayer network.

October		
Sun	22	10am Worship Service
Mon	23	4pm Centering Prayer
Tues	24	7pm Art Guild 7pm Fall Study Series
Wed	25	7:30 Speaker Series – Brian Stewart
Thurs	26	7:30pm Choir
Sat	28	9am Fall Yard Cleanup
Sun	29	10am Worship Service
		Reformation Sunday – 500 th Anniversary
		Mission & Outreach Team
Mon	30	4pm Centering Prayer
Tues	31	7pm Art Guild 7pm Fall Study Series



→ **We encourage all new people (and "old" people, too)** in our church family to forward their correct addresses, phone numbers and email addresses to the church office so they are included in church mailings and future updated church phone directories. Also inform Barb in the office if you wish to receive The Awareness newsletter by email or by regular mail.

NATURE EMBELLISHED St. Andrew's Art Guild is gearing up for its Fall Program. Please see the posters for more info. You can also visit our website www.standrewsbarrie.ca to view our newsletter "The Palette".

ST. ANDREW'S FOOD CUPBOARD.

The following items would be greatly appreciated:

- Canned Meat
- Coffee
- Pasta Sauce
- Peanut Butter
- Apple Sauce
- Jam
- Crackers



Libertas

Libertas Male Choir
Presents:
Sounds of the Season
A Christmas Concert Series with
special guests from the Netherlands
Friday, December 1st at 7:30pm St.
Andrew's Barrie
Tickets available in the office \$20

Reminder to the Mission and Outreach Team: We will meet next Sunday, Oct. 29th following coffee hour in the Library. Please plan to be there. If there are any other members of the congregation who are interested in being part of the work of this team, we would welcome you to join us.

Gift Card Fundraiser: Gift cards are available for you to purchase every Sunday during coffee time. Our usual offering of cards - Loblaws, Zehrs, No Frills, Metro, Sobeys, FreshCo, Foodland, Price Chopper and Shoppers Drug Mart are available for you in convenient denominations. **They're back! We are offering the Ultimate Dining Card again this year!** These cards can be used at many local restaurants – Swiss Chalet, Harvey's, milestones, East Side Marios, Fionn MacCool's, Montana's, BierMarkt, Kelseys, Landing and newyorkfries – and are available in \$25 and \$50 denominations. And the good news is that we purchased our supply at a 10% discount!!! Stock up early and often! Gift cards are an excellent way to support the St. Andrew's Food Cupboard – just purchase the cards from us and we will forward them on.





Lifelong Learning
at
St. Andrew's Church
lifelonglearning@standrewsbarrie.ca

Fall Speaker Series
Exploring Current Trends
Wednesdays 7:30 – 9:00pm

- October 25th **Brian Stewart**
 Current Trends in International Relations
- November 22nd **Dr. Kerstin Mossman**
 Current Trends in Health Care

Online credit card purchases at www.standrewsbarrie.ca
or mail/drop-off cheques to St. Andrew's Church

Individual speakers: Adults \$10 Seniors & Students \$8

Speaker Package: Adults \$25 Seniors & Students \$15

Purchased tickets will be available at the door

**Tickets are also available following the service
in the Gathering Hall.**

St. Andrew's Fall Study Series

Continues Tuesday, October 24th at 7 pm



➤ **LIVING THE QUESTIONS** is a video based study featuring presentations by 30 of today's leading religious voices. LTQ encourages independent thinking regarding issues of faith. Each session begins with dessert, followed by a video introduction of the evening's topic. This Tuesday's focus is entitled: **Stories of Creation**. These studies are led by either Rev. Dr. Horst or Rev. Boyer. (Please note, the study will not be held on Tuesday, October 31 and will resume on November 7.)

CARENOTES

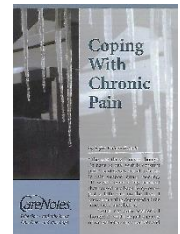
**People in pain need
"the right words at the right time."**



When life gets a little overwhelming, a CareNote can provide just the right words of encouragement, strength, guidance, and comfort. St Andrew's now has a CareNote display containing several booklets covering various subjects. These booklets rotated on a monthly basis are tailored to many different life situations and you are encouraged to take, read and share them freely.

**This month's feature selection is titled
Coping With Chronic Pain 20692**

Pain has a way of sharply defining life's true pleasures. Many don't realize there is a choice on how one lives with their chronic pain. This booklet shares insights on how to take charge of your life instead of allowing the pain take charge of you.



**Take One – And Take Heart
Give One – And Give Hope**

Saturday November 25th, 2017

9am-noon

November Christmas Bazaar



It's that time of year again where we're calling on all knitters, crocheters, bakers, and crafters. It's our annual November Christmas Bazaar and we need your help! We're looking for handmade crafts and baked goods to be donated for the bazaar. We will also have a White Elephant table for gently used goods to be sold.

We're also looking for some volunteers to help setup tables the day before (on the Friday afternoon/evening). If you are able to help with setup, please speak to Alanna.

If you would like to volunteer to help staff the tables at the bazaar, your help would be greatly appreciated! There is a signup sheet in the office during the week, and downstairs in the Gathering room after service today.



GET READY

Every Sunday
in November is a “\$
Sunday”



Be sure to bring your appetite and your wallet. You will want to enjoy a hot delicious bowl of soup and bakery fresh bread after church.

Buy extras to take home for your lunch Later in the week or to someone who wasn't able to be at church that day.

\$7 (no tax or tip required)

*Help support the life & mission
at St. Andrew's and enjoy doing it.*

Thank you.

**P.S. THE SOUP DOESN'T MAGICALLY APPEAR. WE NEED A LARGE NUMBER OF THE CONGREGATION TO SIGN UP TO HELP MAKE, SET UP AND SERVE THE SOUP. EVEN IF YOU CAN HELP US WITH JUST ONE OF THE WEEKS, IT WOULD BE OF GREAT SERVICE. WE ARE LOOKING FOR THOSE WHO HAVE HELPED BEFORE AND THOSE WHO ARE WILLING TO HELP FOR THE FIRST TIME AT THIS JOB. See the sign up sheets
THANK YOU!**

Psalm 99

Today's Music

Introit: Worthy is the Lamb *Beethoven*

O worthy, worthy is the Lamb that was slain;
The Lord of Lords and King of Kings;
Jesus, Lord and King of Kings.

Anthem: Jubilate Deo *Mozart*

Let us praise you,
Let us praise you,
Father, let us praise you,
We rejoice in you,
O Father,
Let us give you praise.

Offertory: Allegro Moderato *Mendelssohn*

Postlude: Prelude in C *Mendelssohn*

The LORD is king; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

The LORD is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.

Let them praise your great and awesome name. Holy is he!

Mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

Extol the LORD our God; worship at his footstool. Holy is he!

Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel also was among those who called on his name. They cried to the LORD, and he answered them.

He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud; they kept his decrees, and the statutes that he gave them.

O LORD our God, you answered them; you were a forgiving God to them, but an avenger of their wrongdoings.

Extol the LORD our God, and worship at his holy mountain; for the LORD our God is holy.