

**The Flowers in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of:**

- **Liam Byrnes**, dear son of Chris & Jilann, special brother of Henry & Brendan.
- **Luella & Jack Lumley**, loved parents, in-laws and grandparents of Jilann, Chris, Henry, & Brendan.
- **Murray Millar**, loved husband of Betty Anne.
- **James & Irene MacDonald**, parents of Betty Anne Millar.

**Birthdays/Anniversaries**

**Birthdays this week**

Brian Harper	Kayden George
Margaret Parker	Bob Goodwin
Heather Rector	John Smith
Ryan Stanners	Sandi Smith
Brie Langs	Jennier Turpin
Barb Pentilchuk	Doug Froom
Robert Robinson	Carol Rice
Betty Ferguson	Pam Calvert
John Wolak	Lisa Dermentjian
Vam Askari	Mary Ann Foster
Robin Brooks	Jeff Sims

**Anniversaries this week**

Sarah Brodie & Arne Rickert	13
Paul & Barbara McCallen	54
Andrew & Pamela Elmhirst	15
Malcolm & Peggy Harris	60
Deborah & Arthur Portelli	43
Lynda Clark & Karen Joyce	32

**Thursday Mornings**

Study 10.30am | Service 11.30am | Lunch 12 pm

**Doing the Bible Proud**

For Pride month, Penny invites you to spend a bit of time reading the Bible through a queer lens. This study is for everyone! We'll talk about things like, what do all the 2S&LGBTQIA+ initials mean; how modern people can interact with ancient views of sexuality; gender expansiveness in the Bible; how to be allies; and what it means to be an inclusive church. **Last week!**

Wed. - June 24 on Zoom at 7pm (register stcb.ca)

Thurs - June 25) in person at 10.30am

**Children & Youth**

Sundays at 9.30am - GIFT children's program

Children's programming will be paused from June 28 to September 6, resuming again on September 13. Please remember that children are always welcome in church. Activity bags are available on the children's table in the Atrium.

**Dear Friends,**

A couple events to note at St. Christopher's this weekend. Sunday morning marks the end of the program year for the choir, and for our children's and youth programs. The choir is preparing a really interesting anthem – I can't wait to hear it! As a way to celebrate the end of the program year, Parish Council is hosting Sundaes Sunday following the 9.30 service. If you normally attend the 8 o'clock or the 11.30 services, we'd love to see you at Sundaes Sunday – please plan to drop by the Great Hall around 10.40am.

Jazz Vespers also takes place this Sunday at 4pm. The next Jazz Vespers will be on September 20.

*Penny*



Sundaes Sunday  
June 21 10.30am

**SAVE THE DATE**

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DATE MONTH YEAR

Tickets on sale soon



**Community Golf Tournament & Dining Experience**

**For confidentiality reasons  
the prayer list does not  
appear online.**

### What's on this week ...

June 21 Worship .....	8.00am, 9.30am, 11.30am
Sundae Sunday social time .....	10.30am
Jazz Vespers .....	4.00pm
June 22 Fit for Service .....	9.30am
Bridge.....	2.00pm
June 23 Seniors Social .....	2.00pm
Open Doors Programming.....	3.00pm
Accessibility Committee .....	7.00pm
June 24 Fit for Service .....	9.30am
Doing the Bible Proud Study (Zoom) .....	7.00pm
June 25 Doing the Bible Proud Study (in person).....	10.30am
Morning Eucharist .....	11.30am
Seniors' Lunch.....	12.00pm
Prayer Shawl Group .....	1.00pm
June 26 Fit for Service .....	9.30am
June 27 Repair Café.....	10.00am
June 28 Summer Worship.....	9.00am, 11.00am

### Jazz Vespers

Don't miss the next event on **Sunday, June 21 at 4pm**. If you missed the May event you may still see it on our YouTube channel. Light refreshments follow the event. This is the perfect chance to invite friends, family and neighbours!

### Save the Date

Pride in the Park, Milton	Sunday, July 19
Fun in the Sun Camp	July 20-24
Open Doors Gala	Late August
Golf Tournament	Friday, Oct. 2

### Mental Health Care Partners' Support Group

This group will be paused for the summer. Our next meeting will be Monday, **September 14** at 7pm on Zoom or in-person. Please contact [staff@stcb.ca](mailto:staff@stcb.ca) or call 905.634.1809 for link connections.

### Repair Café

Bring It or Fix It - for Free!  
Volunteers help you fix broken household items  
Saturday, **June 27** from 10am - 2pm

### Donation Opportunities

If you would like to donate to St. Christopher's, there are several options:

- 1 Mail us a cheque. *Please never mail cash.*
- 2 Go to [www.stcb.ca](http://www.stcb.ca) and choose "Donate" (top right). Options include:
  - a Regular offerings by pre-authorized payment from your bank account or by Visa.
  - b Special gifts, such as memorials or gifts to be directed to a particular ministry, by Visa or Mastercard. Be sure to *specify where your gift should be directed/credited.*
- 3 E-transfer from your bank account to this email address: [acctg@stcb.ca](mailto:acctg@stcb.ca) (no password required).
- 4 Also, there is now a tap machine on a stand in the Atrium. You can tap with your credit card or using your mobile phone or watch. Please use your mobile device to scan the QR code if you wish to receive a tax receipt.

### Bridge Group

Our group will meet next in the Preschool Room for a game of bridge on **June 22**. Bridge will then cease for the summer and meet again on Monday, Sep. 14 and 28.

### Summer Knitting with Diane

Beginning **July 9**, meet Diane each Thursday at 1pm and learn to knit or come with your knitting project.

### Burlington Mindfulness Group

This group is now ceased for the summer and will meeting again on Wed. **September 9** and 23 at 7pm. Contacts are Sandy Amodio and Carole Caron at [staff@stcb.ca](mailto:staff@stcb.ca). Everyone welcome.

### Ginger Group

This group will be paused for the summer months. The next gathering is on **Monday, September 21** beginning at 11.30am, with a beverage and good conversation. Lunch will be served at 12noon. Cost is \$15. Future Topics include: Service Dogs and the Canadian Space Agency.

### Seniors' Social

This warm and wonderful group of seniors, meet every Tuesday afternoon at 2pm in the Family Room. Enjoy a time of refreshment, games and conversation. Please contact [staff@stcb.ca](mailto:staff@stcb.ca) for details..

### Garden Group

Sandi Smith and her team meets in the front garden on Friday mornings at 9am (weather permitting). If you are able to spend some time weeding and trimming, your efforts would be so appreciated. This is the time of year when "many hands make light the work"! Conversation and laughter always abound.

### Community Golf Tournament & Dining Experience

Save the Date: Friday, October 2 at the Tyandaga Golf Course  
Register your team now or sign on as an individual golfer.  
Dinner only opportunities. Sponsor a hole! Visit the golf table in the Atrium on Sunday mornings.

### Church Office

In the event of a pastoral emergency, our clergy may be reached at 289.427.0623. For information about St. Christopher's or Open Doors, please call 905.634.1809.



### Open Door Programming

#### Summer Community Market Volunteers Needed

We are looking for new volunteers to stock shelves, greet customers, chat with new people. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Please email Shannon at [volunteer@stcb.ca](mailto:volunteer@stcb.ca) to learn more.

#### Community Market Donations Needed

cereal and oatmeal, baking supplies (sugar, flour etc), canned fruit, non-dairy alternatives, canned meat, tuna, appleseauce.

#### Garden Volunteers

Do you have a green thumb? Would you like to learn more about plant names and characteristics? Sign up in Better Impact to work alongside our gardeners. Ask Shannon how to use Better Impact to volunteer or ask questions?

#### Christmas Market Canning

Are you already starting to can your summer harvest for the Market? Don't forget to sign out the PH meter in the office to take home and test your batches.