

Announcements

Coffee Hour: Please join your hosts, ***Helen Greatrex and Sue Blackhall***, downstairs after the service for some tasty treats, juice, coffee or tea.

Autumn Leaves Yard Sale and Café: Mark your calendar for **Saturday Sept 27th from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm!** Clean out your closets and let us take care of all those 'extras' getting in the way!! Our Yard Sale is coming up soon! We're looking for books, toys, linens, home decor, electronics, Christmas decorations and the like.

Drop Off: It takes a lot of time—sorting and pricing—so please drop your items off at the church by: **Friday, Sept 12th from 9 am to 5 pm or Mon, Tues, Wed Sept 15-17th, from 1:30-4:30 pm.**

Sorting and Pricing: If you have an hour or two to help with the sorting and pricing over the next two weeks, please contact Judy Dallaway at 613-323-1971. Any amount of time would be greatly appreciated!

St. Thomas Choir: Please consider joining our Choir? New voices are always welcomed and wanted. **Practices run on Thursday evenings at 7 pm and started on September 18th.** For more information, please speak with Bonnie MacDiarmid.

People's Pulpit: Warm summer days will be giving way to crisp Autumn days. The next People's Pulpit **deadline is Sunday, September 28th at 9 pm.** Please email Mary Anne Reinhard at mareinhard1@outlook.com your contribution.

Thanksgiving Flowers: Anyone wishing to provide a donation for **flowers may do so until Tuesday, October 7th, 2025.** Please use the white envelopes found in the Narthex (beside the bulletin board). Fill in the information and return it to the office, put it on the collection plate, or give it directly to Arlene.

HELP NEEDED: We are looking for Coffee Hour Volunteers on the following dates:

October 5th, November 9th, and 30th, and December 21st. Can you imagine a Sunday without a COFFEE HOUR?? No week should start without that great cup of coffee or tea! **If you are able to help out please speak to Susan Clark-Dow (613-292-3187 or scdow61@gmail.com) or there is a sign-up list on the bulletin board downstairs. Training provided for free for newbies!**

2026 Church Calendars: The **deadline for ordering the 2026 Church Calendars is Sunday, September 28th**. The cost is \$6.00 each and you pay on delivery, which will be early in October. Please sign the sheet in the narthex or call Diane at 613-825-6223 or send her an email at bill.di@sympatico.ca.

THIS IS REALLY IMPORTANT: **If you sent Diane an email or telephoned her while she was out of the country on vacation, please make contact with her again, to make sure she received your order.** THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT....as telephone calls and emails were not received.