

# City of God: St. Augustine's - Parkland

## NEWSLETTER

May 8th, 2023



What a fantastic turn out! Twelve men of our parish met for breakfast and fellowship on Saturday morning. It looks like a great time was had by all! Men, mark your calendars, these guys meet the first Saturday morning of every month and all men of the parish are welcome to join them!



## ANGLICAN CHURCH WOMEN

This Wednesday at 1pm is the next ACW meeting in the church hall! All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend. Please remember to bring plant and vegetable ideas for successful planting in patio planters. Light refreshments will be available.



We have a date set for Confirmation - Sunday, November 26th! The following is the schedule for classes leading up to the big day! Classes will run on Sunday's following the service. Please send in the full names and ages of anyone looking to join by **Sunday, May 14th**. Please note: anyone of any age is welcome to join!

June 4th

June 25th

September 10th

September 24th

October 1st

October 22nd

October 29th

November 5th

November 12th

**November 26th**

# Fabulous Flowers & Fantastic Finds

A decorative floral arrangement featuring pink and yellow flowers with green leaves, positioned around the title text.

## St. Augustine's Parkland Anglican Church

131 Church Road, Spruce Grove

Saturday, May 13, 2023

10am – 2pm

### FLOWERS A MOTHER WILL LOVE

Hanging Baskets. A variety of planters.  
Individual geraniums, dahlias, and begonias.



### COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE

Those who've registered will pull their vehicle into  
a stall, grab a table and display their treasures.

Complete with a book table!



We'll have the BBQ fired up grilling  
hot dogs as well!

## ***Tabernacle Candle:***

The candle was sponsored this week by Bill & Judy Kesanko in celebration of grandson Cameron's 8th birthday!



If you would like to sponsor the candle for \$10 in memory of a loved one (perhaps on a birthday, anniversary or other important date), please do let us know! We are not limited to one sponsor per week.

May 14th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Marion Coates wishing all mothers everywhere a Happy Mother's Day!</li><li>· Bev Rushton remembering Charles on their anniversary (May 17th)</li></ul>
May 21st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· open</li></ul>
May 28th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Bev Myers in memory of her dad, John Hampson</li></ul>
June 4th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Elizabeth Rushton, remembering John on their anniversary</li></ul>
June 11th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Bev Myers remembering her dad, John Hampson on his birthday</li></ul>



## SGCHS presents The SpongeBob Musical!

Our very own Riley Shanmugam is in a play and YOU can get tickets to go support her and the rest of cast! When the citizens of Bikini Bottom discover that a volcano will soon erupt and destroy their humble home, SpongeBob and his friends must come together to save the fate of their undersea world. With lives hanging in the balance and all hope lost, a most unexpected hero rises up. The musical runs for approximately 80 minutes.

Tickets on sale NOW for the following performances at Horizon Stage:

Thursday, May 11 @ 7pm

Friday, May 12 @ 7pm

Saturday, May 13 @ 2pm and 7pm

Horizon Stage, Spruce Grove, AB

Tickets (\$20 each) available at [Ticketpro.ca](http://Ticketpro.ca)

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NEIGHBOURLINK

PARKLAND

*Compassion in Action*



For the month of May we will be collecting toilet paper and kleenex for the Neighbourlink Help Closet. There is a box in the narthex near the name tag stand to collect donations. See Debbie Curtis for more info!



If you or an immediate family member have a birthday between May 8th - May 20th, please do add to our birthday list found near the front door of the church!



Mark your calendar! Bishop Stephen will conduct a service of induction for Rev. Kevin Kraglund here in the church at 4:00pm on Saturday, June 3rd. There will be a potluck dinner following the service.



Yesterday saw the commissioning of our Vestry. Pictured above are Bob Coates (Rectors Warden & Verger), Greg Hanna (Treasurer), Karen Calder (Vestry member), Lindsay Northey (Vestry member), Jackie Lilywhite (Vestry member), Kathy Budd (People's Warden), Michelle Squance-Slade (Secretary), Randy Wolfert (Synod delegate), and Brenda Cameron (Synod delegate). Missing from the photo are Vestry members Sharon Bray and Jennifer Warren.

# Rev. Kev's Agenda!

Aside from the many regular recurring things that he does, this is what's coming up in his calendar. Friday's will be a regularly scheduled (& needed!) day off with the exception of pastoral emergencies and other important functions

- Thursday, May 11: Interment for Vicky Christodoulou-Baker
- Saturday, May 13: Annual Plant Sale & Car Boot Sale
- Tuesday, May 16: Meeting of the Edmonton & District Council of Churches (EDCC)
- Saturday, May 27: Memorial Service for Bud Watson
- Wednesday, May 30: Local Pastors lunch

Rev. Kevin can be contacted by calling the church at 780-962-5131 or by email at [parklandpriest@gmail.com](mailto:parklandpriest@gmail.com). In pastoral emergencies he can be reached at 780-993-9985



## *Please remember in your prayers this week:*

- We pray for Metropolitan Greg, Primate Linda, and Bishop Stephen. We also pray for our clergy, Rev. Kevin and Rev. Lesley.
- We pray for the Diocese of Algoma, for Holy Trinity Riverbend, for the Buringanire Parish in the Buyé Diocese, for Whitefish Lake First Nation, and for the Church in Wales.
- We pray for those who are ill, injured, or bereaved; and for all who need God's healing presence, especially remembering Bill, Stewart, Charlie, Eileen, Paula, Scott, Elyse & Connor, Iain & Aimee, and Al.
- In our own parish this week, we pray for Tammy, William & Glenda, George, Annette, and Jackie.

*Please note: Submitted names will be kept on the prayer list for a period of two weeks unless intentionally renewed. Thank you!*

## Upcoming Events

**Saturday, May 13th** - 10am - 2pm Plant sale and Car Boot Sale!

**Sunday, May 14th** - 10am Sunday service (in person or online) & Sunday School

**Sunday, May 14th** - Deadline to register for Confirmation classes

**Monday, May 15th** - 10am Bible Study in the church hall. (Every Monday)

**Saturday, June 3rd** - 4pm Induction service and potluck dinner

**Sunday, June 4th** - first Confirmation class following the service

