

*CAYUGA  
PASTORAL  
TIMES  
October 2011*

**Minister's Report:**

Rev. James is happy to let everyone know that the phone and internet is finally set up at the Manse. So if there is anyone that needs to get information to Rev. James please call 905-772-3803. She would be most happy to hear if someone needs a personal visit or a hospital visit.

To date there will be 3 baptisms in November. At Presbytery all the monies collected for the dinner were donated to Ryerson Camp to support children in need.

**Finance:**

Many "Thanks" to all those that donated food, time and bought tickets that made the Turkey Supper a great success again this year.

**Finance continued....**

This project brought in \$4740.94 "Thanks" again. The Church Expenses for September are:

\$14,606.14

The Church Income was:  
\$6,027.28

The Anniversary Appeal was:  
\$2430.00

**U.C.W.**

The next meeting of the U.C.W will on October 24<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 p.m. in Wesley Hall. October 3<sup>rd</sup> was the Fall Gathering and there was a very good turnout. The Free Will Offering amounted to \$200.00 and was donated to the "Christian Gleaners" for their work with Outreach. The Full Executive of Erie Presbyterial will meet on November 9<sup>th</sup> in Waterford at 9:30 a.m.

The Food Focus for November is rice and/or canned soup and/or sugar. Thank you for all your support of this project. All items are donated to Cayuga Food Bank.

### **Men's Fellowship:**

The next Breakfast will be held on October 30<sup>th</sup> and all Men of the Church are welcome to attend.

### **Worship:**

Cayuga's participation in the "Trike Race" netted the Cayuga Food Bank \$700.00 that will be put towards rent and other expenses. The Worship Band received \$1550.00 and plan to participate in this project again.

The Star Gazing evening was a success and raised \$306.25. The monies raised from these projects will be used to replace older equipment. The Band will be working with The Jukasa Media Group to produce a CD. These CD's will be available for purchase for the Christmas Season hopefully.

Many "Thanks" go out to all those that worked so hard to make the 150<sup>th</sup>

Anniversary Service so special. Thanks to all those behind the scenes workers.

### **Membership and Pastoral Care:**

On October 2<sup>nd</sup> a total of \$112.75 was collected by the Sunshine Fund. Many thanks to all those who donated. Halloween is fast approaching and we will once again be packaging parcels for students and we would appreciate donations of treats left over from Halloween would be very much appreciated. This project will go ahead on November 5<sup>th</sup> after church services.

Christmas Cookie Trays will be sponsored by this committee and any donations from the congregation would be thankfully received on December 10<sup>th</sup>. You will be able to purchase "Trays" on December 11<sup>th</sup> for \$5.00 each.

## **Membership and Pastoral Care continued....**

This committee has remembered:

### **Get Well/Thinking of You**

Rick Meesters

Connie Woolvett

Murray and Bev. Richert

Marg Constable

Lenore Harisson

### **Birthday:**

John Ballanger

Earl Barclay

### **Wedding**

### **Congratulations:**

Alaris Holmes and Paul Duarte

A "Thank you" card was received from Jessica Glenney.

## **Christian Education:**

Youth Group will be attending Acquire the Fire on October 21 & 22 at the Prayer Palace, North of Toronto, they will travel with St. Johns United in Oakville.

A Harvest Celebration is being planned for October 30<sup>th</sup> and more information will be forthcoming in the Bulletin.

## **Christian Education continued...**

The next meeting of this committee will be November 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. and all are welcome to attend.

### **New Missions:**

Aase will be attending an information meeting Luncheon with Rev. Heather to work in Mexico on October 20<sup>th</sup>.

### **Outreach:**

This committee is making arrangements for the Christmas Plant Sale and more information will be in the Bulletin.

### **Property:**

Many "Thanks" go out to Mark Glenney for donating the new screen door for the side entrance to the downstairs kitchen. It looks great.

### **Property continued....**

This committee is working on estimates to replace all the shingles on the roof. So you may see workmen on the roof in the near future.

## **MOUNT OLIVET**

Again this year our church will be holding the annual Bean Supper on November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Meal times are 4:45 p.m. and 5:15 p.m. Please contact Ann Louise Vick for supper tickets at 905-772-5341

### **Dates to Remember:**

**October 17<sup>th</sup>** Official Board at Mount Olivet 7:00 p.m.

**November 3<sup>rd</sup>** Bean Supper

**November 5<sup>th</sup>** package Halloween Treats

**November 30<sup>th</sup>** Harvest Celebration

**December 10<sup>th</sup>** packaging "Cookie Trays"

**December 11<sup>th</sup>** Cookie Trays for sale after services for \$5.00

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