## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

April 27, 2025

<u>Coffee Hour:</u> Welcome back to coffee hour! Please join our hosts, *Susan Blackhall and Helen Greatrex,* after the service in the church hall for a cup of hot tea, coffee, and goodies.

<u>Prayer and a Pint:</u> Our men's group will be meeting on Thursday,1st May 2025. We are planning to go to the National Gallery of Canada. We will meet at St Thomas' at 5pm to carpool. Please contact William Passmore at 613 836 2876 for more details.

<u>ACW:</u> Please join our Anglican Church Women on **Monday**, **May 5**<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm for their monthly meeting. Refreshments will be served; everyone is welcome to attend.

ALONGSIDE HOPE (formerly PWRDF): Alongside Hope has launched a Resilience Fund in response to the devastating cuts to international aid by the U.S. and other governments. The Fund will support many of our partners whose programs are now in jeopardy. All donations made to the Resilience Fund before June 30<sup>th</sup> will be matched by an anonymous donor up to \$250,000. You can give by telephone at 1-866-308-7973, online at <a href="https://alongsidehope.org/resilience-fund">https://alongsidehope.org/resilience-fund</a>, or by cheque with Resilience Fund on the memo line.

<u>Volunteers needed for Coffee Hour:</u> The Spring schedule of Coffee Hour volunteers has some vacant spots on the following dates: **June 22, June 29.** If you can help out with one or more of these dates, it will fill the year up until next Fall, thanks for the consideration.

<u>Morning Prayer Service:</u> Please join us on Wednesday mornings for our service beginning at 10:00 am. Everyone is welcome.

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**Shout out Corner:** This week, Linda Lorrain would like to give a "special thank you to Judy and the kitchen volunteers for all the delicious food that we enjoy at open table. All of us from Carleton Apartments across the street always look forward to that special day."

<u>FundScrip:</u> Please submit your orders to Nicole Dallaway at <a href="mailto:nrdallaway@gmail.com">nrdallaway@gmail.com</a> by **Sunday, May 4**th, **at 9:00 pm**.

<u>Parish Council:</u> Our next meeting will be on Thursday, May 8, 2025, at 7:00 pm in the Council Room. The meeting is open to everyone.