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## Claiming God's Promises

"Though your sins are like scarlet, I will make them as white as snow. They are red like crimson, I will make them as white as wool."

(Isaiah 1:18)





"Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water."

(John 7:37-38)



# The First Sunday in Lent Sunday, February 14, 2016 10:00 AM



<u>SERMON</u>
"THE WORD OF FORGIVENESS"

READING EPHESIANS 2:1-10

#### **New to Living Waters?**

Good news! We all are!

We are thankful to have you with us this morning as we build a new Jesus-centered worship community in Kingston. For more information about our fellowship or to get involved in growing God's 'new thing' among us, please speak to one of our greeters or contact the Rev. Chris & Kathy Doering.

## Collect of the Day

Almighty God,

whose Son fasted forty days in the

wilderness, and was tempted as we are but did not sin, give us grace to discipline ourselves in submission to your Spirit, that as you know our weakness, so we may know your power to save; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



#### Ministering @ Living Waters Today

**Greeters:** Kate Insley & Devon Lessey-Searles

Reader: Glen Hyde

**Prayers of the People:** Shirley Underhill

Chalice Bearers: Barb Lutz & Ann Edwards

**Computer:** Ross Underhill

Prayer Team: Derek Waddingham & Yolande Chan

**Kid's Church:** Brenda Windatt, Allison Insley,

**Scott Young** 

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#### KIDZ CLUB

All children from K to Cr. 10 are welcome to join our programs for children and youth. Young people and Crew are dismissed before the reading and return at Communion. All groups begin together with some worship and a Bible story in the Sir John  $\Delta$  .room and then break into small groups by age. Young visitors are welcome to check it out

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Men's Life Group!

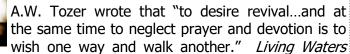
Our Life Group is Friday mornings from 7:00 AM - 8:00AM at the Kingston House of Prayer (447 Division St.) We are studying the Book of Ezekiel. Please join us for this time of fellowship and study. Bring a Bible-coffee is provided!



#### Women's Life Group

Our Women's Life Group continues Thursday morning from 10:00 - 11:30 AM at 5 Emily St. downtown, near Macdonald Park. Please let Kathy Doering know if you are coming. And bring a Bible!

#### **Monthly Prayer Meeting**



must be a community of prayer. And yet it is so often a battle just to gather to pray. We are encouraging everyone to make prayer a priority: pray on your own, pray with your spouse or family, pray with your church family. Join us one Thursday a month, beginning this Thursday, February 18 from 7:00 PM- 9:00 PM at the Doering's (726 Chatsworth Pl.) for an evening or prayer. "There has never been a spiritual awakening in any country or locality that did not begin in united prayer." ~ D.A.T. Pierson Let's pray until great and mighty things happen, and then let's keep praying!

#### **Loonies for Lent**

Almsgiving is a common practice during Lent. Moved by the sacrifice of Jesus, many Christians respond to the needs around them ! by intentionally giving their time, talent, and treasures to others.

Film canisters will be available at the Welcome Table-please take them home and fill them with your loonies (or toonies or bills!) and return them Easter Sunday. All donations will go to !establish a fund to support the work of our Missions Committee.



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#### Life Groups at Living Waters

Small groups were an integral part of the Early Church's structure. The Book of Acts tells us that when the church was first established there were no buildings--people met in the temple and svnagogues for their corporate gatherings on the Lord's Day and in homes throughout the week. These groups were small enough to allow individual members to minister to one another, discover and use their spiritual gifts, and be discipled in the teachings of Jesus, Life Groups at Living Waters are small groups that provide an opportunity for connection, community, and spiritual transformation. There is a place for everyone--from the first steps of finding out more about faith to the deeper questions of life. There are no prerequisites and everyone is welcome and encouraged to join a group. Currently there are 4 Life Groups meeting at Living Waters and more will be starting in the coming months. If you are interested in joining a group, please speak to the Rector or the Group Leader. Getting involved in a could be one of the most important things you do this year!

Young Adults Life Group Sunday Nights ~ 7:00 Pm - 8:30 PM

821 Somerset Cres.

Contact: Kathy Doering (613-546-7721)

Women's Life Group Thursday Mornings ~ 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

5 Emily St.

Contact: Kathy Doering (613-546-7721)

Mixed Life Group Thursday Nights ~ 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

315 Melanie Ave.

Contact: Wayne Catel (613-542-0406)

Men's Life Group Friday Mornings ~ 7:00 Am - 8:00 AM

The Kingston House of Prayer (447 Division St.)

Contact: The Rector (613-546-7721)



#### For Your Prayers

Please hold the following people, places, and petitions in your prayers this week.

**The World:** Pray for an end to all violence and unrest; for countries in conflict and for the people who live in them--that the whole world would know the peace, justice, and freedom of God.

- For Israel, Palestine, Iraq, Afghanistan, Syria, and parts of Africa.
- For the vulnerable: for women, children, those lost in the sex-trade, refugees, prisoners, and captives.
- For those effected by storms in the N.E. United States.
- For victims of ISIS and other extremist groups.

The Church: Pray for Christians throughout the world as they seek to proclaim the gospel--that Jesus would be known, worshipped, and obeyed.

- For the persecuted church for Christians in the Middle East, Pakistan, China, and parts of Africa.
- For our Province (ACNA) and Primate Pray for Archbishop Foley Beach (& Allison).
- For our diocese Pray for our Diocesan Bishop Charlie Masters (& Judy); our Suffragan Bishops: Stephen Leung (& Nona); Trevor Walters (& Dede); our Episcopal Vicar, Bishop Don Harvey (& Trudy).
- For ANiC congregations in the Greater Toronto Area: Christ the Redeemer (Multicultural), Toronto; for the Rev. Mel Tai & The Rev. Marion Karasiuk.
- For our brothers and sisters in Christ ministering with us in Kingston Pray for St. Paul's, Kingston (ACoC).
- For our parish Pray for the families of : Aly Richmond, Joan Running, Brad & Jennifer Shoniker, Janet, Gwen & Sandra Smith, Ray & Rachael Souch.
- For for missionaries at home and abroad--for their safety and protection, as they spread the good news.

Our Country, Province, and City: Pray for all those in authority--that they would lead with righteousness and truth.

- Pray for Prime Minister Justin Trudeau; Premier Kathleen Wynne; and Mayor Bryan Paterson.
- Pray for the recovery of our economy and the Canadian dollar.

The Sick and Suffering: Pray for all those who cry out for healing in body mind or spirit.

- Pray for those in our parish: Gwen, Heather, Jerry, Joe.
- Pray for our family & friends: Megan, Meg, Carolyn, Laura, Nora, Matthew, Christina, Candace, Bill, Derek, Aya, Heather, Ken, David.

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#### Pre-Guthorized Giving

Pre-authorized Giving will be starting in February. Brochures, outlining the benefits of the PAG program to donors and the church, are available at the Welcome Desk, and funds will be withdrawn on February 25. If you wish to give your tithes and offerings to *Living Waters* through the PAG program, please fill out the application in the brochure and return it to the church (with a void cheque). If you have any questions, please speak to our Treasurer, John Telgmann.

# Birthdays & Wedding Anniversaries This Week February 14 - February 20



Chris Doering (15)
Mark & Brenda Windatt (19)
Kitty Stewart (20)

Many blessings from your Living Waters Family!

#### ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING



The first Annual Vestry Meeting of Living Waters Anglican Fellowship will be held on **Sunday**, **February 28** after the 10:00 AM service and lunch. At this meeting we will give thanks to God for everything that He has done in and through us these past 7 months and look forward to the

months ahead. We will also be approving the 2016 Operating Budget and electing Wardens and Parish Council members. The ANIC Constitution and Canons, as well as our church By-Laws, require that all voting members register before the meeting. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Table. If you have any questions or concerns, please speak to the Rector.

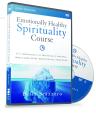
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# Living Waters Community Sharing



Thank you to all those who brought in hats, mitts, gloves, and scarves in January. For the month of February, we will be colleting

**SMALL STUFFED TOYS** for children in need. Please bring **new** items to church and place them in the basket at the Welcome Table.



#### Emotionally Healthy Spirituality DVD Study

"The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly." (John 10:10)

Are you living an abundant life or have you settled for something less? Are you maturing in your faith or staying the same? Would you like to go deeper in your relationship with God or are you satisfied with what you have? Christian faith and spirituality, without an integration of emotional health, can be deadly—to us, to our relationship with God, and to the people around us. However, emotional health and contemplative spirituality, when interwoven together, can transform the hidden places deep beneath the surface of our lives—allowing us to not only grow in our faith, but better live the abundant life that Jesus has for us.

This 8-week DVD study will take participants beyond merely reading about emotional health and spirituality to introduce them to a life with God that goes beyond the "tip of the iceberg spirituality." It is a powerful 8 week journey of transformation that will equip you with tools to develop a deeper interior life with Christ.

Join us **Friday's** from **10:00 AM - 11:30 AM**, beginning this **Friday**, **Feb. 19** at the Kingston House of Prayer (447 Division St.)