

## PRAYER & THANKSGIVING

### SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

**Graham Bathe's father**, fractured his hip and is in transition now that his residence is closing. (member's father)

**Cathy & Dean Brady**, please pray for Cathy, Dean and family, for healing and for Dean's thesis work (friends of St. Stephen's)

**Daniel**, volunteering in Gulu, Uganda (friend of Heather Doucet)

**Wendy Dayton**, suffering from cancer and undergoing therapy (member)

**Bob Grier**, for his health and in particular, blocked arteries, and preparations for a forthcoming quadruple bypass on Aug 27th. (member)

**Randal Halter**, diagnosed with cancer (St. Stephen's administrator & organist in 70s)

**Leslie James**, suffering with multiple sclerosis (our bishop's wife)

**Eric Latimer and family**, Eric's younger brother, Tony, died in Montreal on July 8th, during the heat wave. Tony attended St Stephen's occasionally in the 1990s, and suffered from schizophrenia. We pray for his parents, George and Denise, his sisters Anne, Catherine, and brothers Stephen and Eric. (friends of St. Stephen's)

**Bonnie Patterson-Payne**, fractured hip in a ski accident while doing social work in Nunavut. Please pray for her pain, for all of the arrangements her family will have to make, and for her daughter Amelia's decisions as to the right steps to take in terms of her care. (mother of Amelia Payne)

**Amelia Payne**, that she would reach her target goal with Team in Training to raise awareness and money for leukemia and lymphoma research. (member)

**Nancy Thompson**, for rest and healing of heart arrhythmia (Alpha course participant)

### INDIVIDUALS, ORGANIZATIONS AND MISSIONARIES

**Roger Banda**, missionary in Malawi

**Bishop Barry Clarke**, for blessing and guidance (our bishop)

**Pastor Sebastien Frappier of Calvary Chapel (CCRM)**, which currently holds their services and ministry gatherings at St. Stephen's. We are thankful that the Church is growing and that many are growing in the ways of Christ. We are also thankful for the excellent cooperation between St. Stephen's and CCRM. May God be glorified and His kingdom flourish in Montreal.

**Emmaus Church**, for God's presence & guidance (our sister church)

**Camille Hadlock**, missionary with Teen Missions International in Uganda

**The Open Door & Director Ramon Herrera**, guidance, strength & provision.

**The Youth Ministry**, for God's presence & guidance

**ST. STEPHEN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, WESTMOUNT • Sunday Services: 10:30am**

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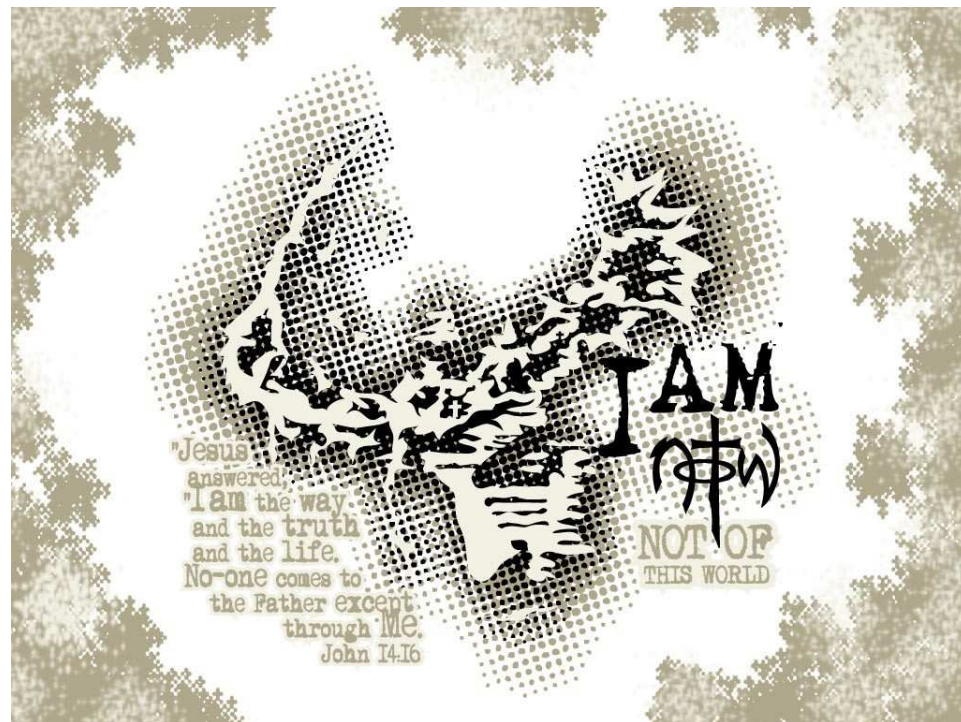
**The Open Door:** Drop-in center open M/T/Th/F from 9:30am to 2:00pm

**Director:** Ramon Herrera 514-939-1970 Email: <TheOpenDoorRamon@gmail.com>

~ Love God, love one another, serve the world. ~

## St. Stephen's Anglican Church

WESTMOUNT, QUEBEC



I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord;  
no one comes to the Father, but by me.

—John 14:6

August 22, 2010 at 10:30am  
Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

# ORDER OF SERVICE—MORNING PRAYER

**Call to Worship** ..... 10:30am

**Collect For Purity**..... LAY READER

Almighty God,  
to you all hearts are open, all  
desires known,  
and from you no secrets are  
hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of

our hearts by the inspiration of  
your Holy Spirit, that we may  
perfectly love you, and worthily  
magnify your holy name; through  
Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Collect of the Day

Almighty God, we are taught by  
your word that all our doings  
without love are worth nothing.  
Send your Holy Spirit and pour  
into our hearts that most  
excellent gift of love, the true

bond of peace and of all virtue;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you  
and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

## Worship in Song

**Psalm/Canticle:** PSALM 103:1-8.....page 595

1 Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and all that is within me, bless his  
name.

6 The Lord executes  
righteousness and judgement for  
all who are oppressed.

2 Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and forget not all his benefits.

7 He made his ways known to  
Moses and his works to the  
children of Israel.

3 He forgives all your sins  
and heals all your infirmities;

8 The Lord is full of compassion  
and mercy,  
slow to anger and of great  
kindness.

4 He redeems your life from the  
grave and crowns you with  
mercy and loving-kindness;

5 He satisfies you with good  
things and your youth is  
renewed like an eagle's.

**Gospel Reading:** LUKE 13:10-17.....page 1033

## Prayers of the People

### Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass  
against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

### Offertory Hymn

### Closing Prayer

**Coffee & Fellowship Time**.....10:45am

**ALPHA Presentation**..... 11:00am

### Small Groups

**Lunch** ..... 12:00pm

*You will not have to fight this battle.  
Take up your positions; stand firm and see the  
deliverance the LORD will give you,  
O Judah and Jerusalem.  
Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.  
Go out to face them tomorrow,  
and the LORD will be with you.  
—2 Chronicles 20:17*

## ST. STEPHEN'S NOTICES

**1. TODAY'S PRESENTATION** is **Week #8 of ALPHA**. This video course explores various topics of the Christian faith and is a great way to introduce people to Christianity, to solidify your own faith, or learn new ways to share your faith with others. Upcoming topics include:

- Week 1: Who Is Jesus?
- Week 2: Why did Jesus die?
- Week 3: How can I have faith?
- Week 4: Why & how should I pray?
- Week 5: Why & how should I read the Bible?
- Week 6: Who is the Holy Spirit & what does he do?
- Week 7: How can I be filled with the Holy Spirit?
- Week 8: How does God guide me to make the most of my life?
- Week 9: What about evil & does God heal today?
- Week 10: What about the Church and telling others?

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### 2. BRAINSTORMING DINNER

On **Monday, September 6, 2010** (Labor Day) at 5:00pm we would like to invite you to a Dinner at St. Stephen's House followed by a time of informal discussion, feedback, proposals and brainstorming about the next year 2010/11 at St. Stephen's. Hope you can come!!!!

—Heather and David

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### 3. APARTMENT WANTED

St. Stephen's member **Patricia Hicks** is looking for an apartment downtown near Concordia for the fall. She is working in Ontario for the summer and is trying to do the search long-distance. If you have any leads that could help her, please contact her by email at [granola-eater@hotmail.com](mailto:granola-eater@hotmail.com).



*Alpha*

## MONTREAL EVENTS

### 4. AWARE CONFERENCE

On **Sept. 17, 18 & 19, 2010** the annual Aware Conference for women takes place in the Laurentiens. More information to follow, but reserve the dates if you can. Elaine Poutney is the speaker and she is excellent.

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### 5. IVCF DESSERT & COFFEE FUNDRAISER

On **Friday, September 24, 2010** at 7:30pm Intervarsity Christian Fellowship is having their annual fundraising dessert and coffee at the Wyndham Hotel, Montréal Aéroport. Come and experience their Campus Bible Study led by IV Vice-President Al Anderson. For tickets \$15 please call 514-861-5233.

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### 6. HARVEY FELLOWS PROGRAM

Each year, the Mustard Seed Foundation seeks to make an investment in promising Christian graduate students through their Harvey Fellows Program. This fellowship, a \$16,000 stipend, is not open to individuals preparing for ministry within the Church. Rather, it is awarded to Christian students seeking to serve the Lord within prestigious secular institutions in their disciplines, preferably those underrepresented by Christians. Applications must be completed online between August 1 and November 1 for the fall of the following academic year. See: [harveyfellows.org](http://harveyfellows.org) or pick up a brochure at St. Stephen's.

