

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 (in particular, blocked arteries), and for a quick and uncomplicated recovery from his Aug. 27th quadruple bypass. (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

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

St. Stephen's Anglican Church
WESTMOUNT, QUEBEC



Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me;
for I am gentle and lowly in heart.

—Matthew 11:29

August 29, 2010 at 10:30am
Fourteenth 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

Author and Giver of all good
things, graft in our hearts the love
of your name, increase in us true
religion, nourish us in all
goodness, and of your great

mercy keep us in the same;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God,
now and for ever. Amen.

Worship in Song

Psalm/Canticle: PSALM 112page 603

1 Praise the Lord. Blessed is the
man who fears the Lord, who
finds great delight in his
commands.

6 Surely he will never be shaken;
a righteous man will be
remembered forever.

2 His children will be mighty in
the land; the generation of the
upright will be blessed.

7 He will have no fear of bad
news; his heart is steadfast,
trusting in the Lord.

3 Wealth and riches are in his
house, and his righteousness
endures forever.

8 His heart is secure, he will have
no fear; in the end he will look in
triumph on his foes.

4 Even in darkness light dawns
for the upright for the gracious
and compassionate and
righteous man.

9 He has scattered abroad his gifts
to the poor, his righteousness
endures forever; his horn will be
lifted high in honor.

5 Good will come to him who
is generous and lends freely,
who conducts his affairs with
justice.

10 The wicked man will see and
be vexed, he will gnash his teeth
and waste away; the longings of
the wicked will come to nothing.

Gospel Reading: LUKE 14:1, 7-14page 1034

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

Verse of the Week

*The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my
rock, in whom I take refuge. He is my shield and the horn of my
salvation, my stronghold. --Psalm 18:1*

Meditation

*Today, be bold. Be strong. Be all that God has called you to be.
What would you do if you knew God was right beside you?*

ST. STEPHEN'S NOTICES

1. TODAY'S PRESENTATION is **Week #9 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?

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

3. BULLETIN BOARD & "WELCOME AREA"

Don't forget to check the bulletin board and "Welcome Area" in the entryway of St. Stephen's House each week for notices, service opportunities, events going on in Montreal, and more! There are also often interesting pieces of Christian literature (magazines, devotionals, New Testaments, etc.) that you are welcome to help yourself to or share with a friend.

4. 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.

MONTREAL EVENTS

5. 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.

6. 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.

7. 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 or pick up a brochure at St. Stephen's.

