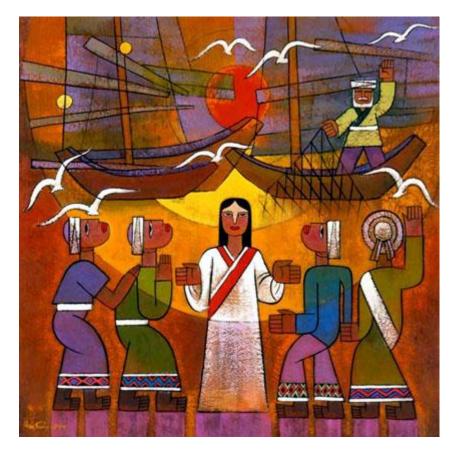
#### Deanery Office:

# Sudbury Manitoulin Deanery Digest January 14, 2015

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#### **Deanery News and Announcements**

**TODAY! ATTENTION ALL ANGLICANS** in the Deanery of Sudbury/Manitoulin!! There will be an *indoor yard/basement sale* at the St. Mark's church building in Garson ON (at 154 Church St.), on Wednesday January 14 from 3pm to 9pm. There are a variety of items up for grabs, from kitchen ware and appliances, to dishes and mugs, to household/holiday decorations, to some light tools/building supplies, to children's toys, and even more! Please note that the chair lift **is not** for sale. All offers will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Purchasers are responsible for removing and transporting items themselves, but there will be some members of the former congregation around to help with heavy lifting if needed. All are welcome, so we hope to see you there!

**BOOK SALE:** The Church of the Epiphany Outreach Team's annual book sale will takes place on January 30, 31 & February 1<sup>st</sup>. Proceeds from the sale will be used to fund Epiphany's Outreach projects - internationally through PWRDF, nationally through Diocese of Moosonee and local charities such as Elgin Street Mission and the Sudbury Action Centre for Youth. Donations of books, CDs and DVDs are most welcome! Please contact Robin or Barb Bolton at <u>boltonrb@persona.ca</u> for more information.

#### AWAKE CONFERENCE: Do you know someone in grade 11 or 12?

Are they seeking to deepen their faith, form lasting friendships and be transformed? Awake is seeking students to join us for an incredible week during March Break! We are inviting youth leaders, pastors and parents to encourage their youth to attend.

Awake is a unique immersion experience at Wycliffe College during Mach Break.

Through conversation, community, worship, formal teaching and experiential learning, students will deepen their faith and build a solid Christian foundation for whatever they will do. In addition to Wycliffe College's top-rated faculty, students will also be mentored by some of the most dynamic theological grad students at Wycliffe.

Awake is especially designed to give teenagers a safe and welcoming space to wrestle with big theological and philosophical questions, to interact with students and faculty whose lives are centered around these pursuits, and to build community with other youth seeking to understand how the Christian faith relates to life in 21st century Canada.

Find out more here: https://awake.wycliffeserves.ca/

**HAM DINNER:** St. Alban's in Capreol is hosting a Ham Dinner on January 24<sup>th</sup>. Dinner is served at 5:00 and will cost \$15.00. All proceeds go to Blessings in a Backpack program. A poster is attached.

### FROM THE DIOCESE OF ALGOMA FACEBOOK PAGE:

Thinking of starting something new to reach your community, but not sure where to begin? There is still time to register for this year's Vital Church Planting Conference in Toronto. You can sign up for the whole conference, Jan 29-31, or take a group from your congregation for the Team Day, Jan 31, to get hands-on ideas and practice to take home to your parish. Contact Jay Koyle at 705.256.5061 (ext. 22) for more info.

**STUDY BOOKS AVAILABLE:** The Women's Bible Study group at Church of the Epiphany has a variety of study books available for loan to any group in the Deanery. If you might be interested please contact Barb Bolton at <u>boltonrb@persona.ca</u> for a list of books available. Only cost involved would be return postal charges of the items.

## **READINGS FOR THIS COMING WEEK:**

(Taken from <a href="http://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/">http://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/</a>)

Second Sunday after the Epiphany (January 18, 2015)

- First reading
- 1 Samuel 3:1-10, (11-20)
- Psalm
  - Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18
  - Second reading1 Corinthians 6:12-20
- Gospel
  - John 1:43-51