

Sudbury Manitoulin Deanery Digest

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Deanery News and Announcements

DEANERY COUNCIL: Deanery Council meets next on Saturday, April 11th at Holy Trinity Church in Little Current. Members of Deanery Council include all Clergy, Wardens, Synod Delegate(s) and Alternate(s), Treasurers as well as those holding a Deanery Position such as Lay Steward, Program Associate, ACW President etc. The meeting will begin at 10:00 and should conclude by 3:00. At this meeting we will be electing Youth Delegates to Synod, a Lay Steward (preferably from the Island Parishes, but not necessary).

MESSY CHURCH: Please join us at "Messy Church", A celebration for all ages at St. James Anglican Church, Southridge Mall (by the Food Court), 1933 Regent St, Sudbury, on Sunday March 8th, from 1 to 3 p.m.

Messy Church is a family friendly worship, with fun activities and snacks, all in a relaxed atmosphere. Our theme will be "He's Alive!"

Please note: Children must bring an adult. For more information please call Reverend Anne Germond at 705.566.2790 . All are welcome

CHALLENGE WEEKED FOR YOUTH: The Challenge Community of the Diocese of Algoma is preparing to host a Youth Weekend in Sudbury on the weekend of May 1-3, 2015 at Christ Church in Lively. Contact the Clergy at your church for more information or call 705-692-3344

FROM THE DIOCESE OF ALGOMA FACEBOOK PAGE: Free Webinar - How to get your Faith Building Ready for an Extreme Weather Event

Extreme weather events are increasing in frequency due to climate change, and churches can respond. This free webinar will take place on Tuesday, March 10 from 7:00 - 8:30 pm ET. Presenters Donna Lang and Stephen Collette. For more info, visit Algoma's website: [here](#)

READINGS FOR THIS COMING WEEK:

(Taken from <http://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/>)

Second Sunday in Lent (March 1, 2015)

- First reading
 - Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16
- Psalm
 - Psalm 22:23-31
- Second reading
 - Romans 4:13-25
- Gospel
 - Mark 8:31-38 *or* Mark 9:2-9