

Weekly Calendars

LOOKING AHEAD

REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS	
Monday—Friday	
9:15 am	Friends in Fitness
Monday	
1:30 pm	Yoga & Meditation
4:30 pm	Sparks
6:30 pm	Guides & Brownies
7:30 pm	Yoga & Meditation
Tuesday	
9:00 am	Quilters
7:30 pm	Tai Chi
Tuesday—Thursday	
11:45 am	Daily Prayers
Tuesday & Friday	
8:00 pm	Alcoholics Anon.
Wednesday	
7:00 pm	Overeaters Anon.
Thursday	
9:00 am	Bridge Club
5:30 pm	Walking Group
7:45 pm	Choir Rehearsal

Monday, January 8	
5:00 pm	WWIT Meeting
7:00 pm	Nominating Committee
Tuesday, January 9	
4:30 pm	Pastoral Care Committee
7:30 pm	Tai Chi
Wednesday, January 10	
7:30 pm	M&P Committee
Thursday, January 11	
4:30 pm	Drum Circle Term 2
5:00 pm	Movin' & Groovin'
5:30 pm	Confirmation Module 1
Friday, January 12	
7:00 pm	"Living the Welcome"
Saturday, January 13	
9:30 am	"Living the Welcome"
10:30 am	Baptism Rehearsal

Sunday, January 14, 2007	
8:00 am	Sunday Morning Women's Group
8:00 am	Sunday Morning Men's Group
10:30 am	Baptism of Christ Robert Oliphant preaching Reel Theology Baptism

Monday, January 15	
7:30 pm	Lay Ministry Meeting
Tuesday, January 16	
5:00 pm	Therapeutic Touch Practice Group
7:00 pm	Planning & Priorities Group
7:00 pm	Screening Workshop
7:30 pm	Tai Chi
Wednesday, January 17	
6:00 pm	Congregational Project Group
7:00 pm	Healing Service
Thursday, January 18	
9:00 am	Good Food Box
12:30 pm	Unit 12 UCV
4:30 pm	Drum Circle Term 2
5:30 pm	Confirmation Module 1
Saturday, January 20	
9:00 am	Enneagram Workshop



Tai Chi class in the South Studio, resumes **Tuesday, Jan. 9th at 7:30 pm**
For information call Penny Wilkins at 416 482-9389

Reminders

COFFEE HOUR

On **Sunday, January 14th** the **Last Minutes** will be serving coffee.

Eglinton St. George's United Church Announcements



January 7, 2007

After the Service

Join us for refreshments at **Coffee Hour** hosted by CD Committee in the Lower West Wing

CONVERSATIONS ABOUT FAITH

With Gordon Nodwell - **Hearth Room**
12 noon - 1:00 pm.

Pick up your coffee on the way—a light snack will be provided.

CHURCH SCHOOL



Attention Parents: Please "sign out" children at the end of Church School. Also, please advise your child's leader if your child has food allergies.

On the Upper West Wing:

Infants and toddlers (infants - age 3) with our caregiver, Lita, along with volunteers

Kindergarten (ages 4,5) with teachers in room 213

Bible Story Theatre (grades 1-5) in St. George's Hall—rotation 5 **Discipleship**

On the Lower Level: Youth Church (grades 6 and up) in the Youth Room

WINTER WORKSHOP: THE ENNEAGRAM RETURNS!

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2007

Introduction to the Enneagram: Saturday morning (9:15 - 12:15) - \$20.00/person - lunch provided - this workshop will provide an introduction to this fascinating window into one's personality.

Marriage and Partnership Enrichment: Saturday afternoon (1:30 - 4:30) - \$20.00/person. This workshop will provide an opportunity for couples to join with Keith for an enriching time in their marriage or partnership.

Leader: Keith Fraser B.S.A., MDiv. - Keith is a mediator, counsellor and trained Enneagram educator.

More details available at the Welcome Desk - please sign up at the Welcome Desk before January 14th.



OUR OFFICE HOURS ARE : Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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Community Events

Rabbie Burns Tribute is the second of three concerts in our "Music On The Donway" 2006-2007 series, a special Winter concert featuring Peter Glen, tenor, George Robb, piano, Martin Shaw, fiddle and special guests Scottish Country Dancers, to be held on **Saturday, January 20, at 7:30 p.m.** at the **Donway Covenant United Church**, 230 The Donway West (Lawrence Ave. and Don Mills Road), Don Mills. Tickets are \$20 each, \$12 (children under 12 years), available through the church office at 416-444-8444 or at the door the night of the concert.

FAMILY SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF TORONTO
Seniors and Caregivers Support Services

Caregiver Discussion Group

for those who are caring for or concerned about an elderly parent, spouse, partner, relative or friend. Exchange ideas, offer support, share experiences.

Second Monday of each month, January 8th to August 13, 2007 - 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Pre-Registration Required call 416 595-9618

355 Church St., Toronto

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Have you received your copy of the January Issue of The Observer? If you haven't please drop by the ESG church office Welcome Desk and pick one up. Due to an error, some of the subscribers were missed off the mailing. We apologize for this, and we thank you for your continued support.

Shari Hammill,
Circulation Manager

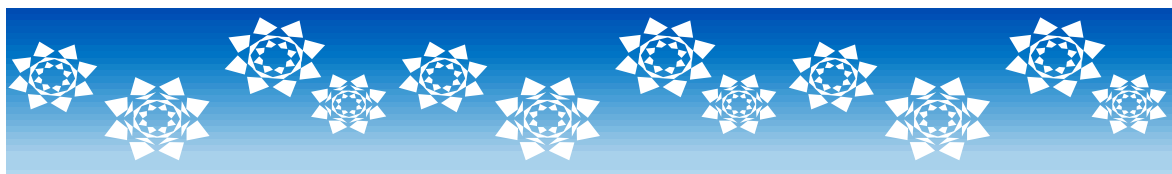
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GRIEF GROUP

Wednesday, January 24, 31, February 7, 21 at 7:30 pm

Have you experienced a loss due to death, divorce or job termination?

These four sessions by Deborah Hart will explore the "tasks" of the grieving process from a personal and spiritual perspective, with the goal of helping people move forward on their life journeys. Contact; Deborah Hart 416 481-1141 ext. 320.



Pledge cards are due.

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ESG News & Events

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MORE COMFORT, MORE JOY

Under Peter Merrick's guidance, you can expect to make friends with your voice, explore music through movement, drumming, and games. Graduates of last year's "Sing with Comfort and Joy" and novices equally welcome.

Tuesdays at 7:30 pm, January 23 to February 13.

Fee is \$25.00. Sign up at Welcome Desk.

Contact Betty Heining at 416 964-0389.



The Honorable James K. Bartlemen, Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, encourages First Nations students in northern Ontario to pursue reading and education to get a good start in life. As part of his literacy program, books donated this month, in January, will be flown from Downsview to reserves in northern Ontario. Books for children up to grade 8 level can be dropped off for this purpose at any Toronto police station before Wednesday, January 31st.

Lay Ministry Opportunities at Eglinton St. George's

Chair of Adult Education and Small Group Ministry Working Group
This is a rewarding opportunity to help shape and implement the adult education and program activities of the congregation. Working with Connie you will gather folks in April/May to brainstorm and plan programs for the coming year and help identify "champions" to give leadership to their implementation. Through the year you will connect with the "champions" and Connie ensuring plans are proceeding smoothly. A few other responsibilities round out this satisfying lay ministry opportunity, which will require an average of 4-6 hours per month. Please be in touch with Betsy Anderson at 416-481-1141 ext. 260 or email betsy@esgunited.org if you are interested.



FREE THE CHILDREN

children helping children through education

Have you purchased your tickets yet for the Free the Children event on **Sunday afternoon, February 11th**? The founder of Free the Children, **Craig Kielburger** is our keynote speaker and two young people from our congregation, **Marlies Farrill** and **Samantha Todd** will give a perspective of their personal experience working on a Free the Children project in Kenya. Tickets are only \$20.00 per person or \$50.00 for a family (under the age of 12 – maximum 4) and are on sale today at coffee hour.