

SKATING SEASON SLIDES TO A STOP

It was a year of challenges but the All Saints' skate program still had a good season. In spite of there being no ice at Charles Clark Square until February 22, and some days at the other outdoor rink too cold, some too warm and some too rainy we still loaned skates from the first week in December to the 2nd week in March to 325 people plus 85 helmets. 480 people in 18 groups borrowed skates and skated at other arenas. Even though the lessons didn't get started we had two Saturdays with our famous "homemade" soup for 70" and fruits and vegetables just to end the season on a high note for those who came down to CCSq. We assured the kids that we will be back next year with lessons.

Our volunteers are a reliable and friendly crew. Thank you for your dedication to this outreach to our community.

Wally Atkinson John Brennan Jamie Bridge Guy Jolin Dale and Louise Boutilier Denes Sr. and Denes Jr Shaw David McComb and Rolf Weilbach, our soup makers Pat Cunningham and friends of Grace Baptist Church, also soup makers.

Thank you also to the office volunteers and Joan who answered the many phone calls from the public asking about skates and skating. It was a year to remember.

Sincerely, Art Roth, coordinator.

The following note of appreciation was received in the fall of 2013.

"We appreciate so much that the staff allowed my eleven year old daughter to borrow skates and participate in free skating program. She will attend the Skate Canada's competition to be held on March 2014 in Harrow. "

Signed Satoke Nguyen, PhD and Nicole Nguyen.

Another card was received in March signed by Pat Cunningham from Grace Baptist and several of the many children from refugee families that she and her friends bring each Saturday.

Dear Art and all the volunteers who organize and manage all the skates and helmets we borrow and for the lunches. Thank you all and your congregation who open your hearts, your church doors, and your lives to help us have a healthy fun time each winter. We love you, appreciate you and say "Thanks" to you.

**Art and all names above - your congregation and Rector thank you too!*

Weekly Announcements!

The Week in Parish March 30 ~ April 6

Today		Council of the North Lonnie Walk Coffee & Mingling!
Mon.	5:00 pm	Financial Committee Meeting
Tues.	9:00 am	Clothing Cupboard
Wed.	10:30 am	Qigong - Benfield Room
	12:05 pm	Lenten Series ~ \$5 soup & sandwich
Thurs.	11:00 am	University of Windsor - Parish Hall
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice - Parish Hall
Fri.	11:00 am	Piano Tuner - Sanctuary
	7:30 pm	Brian Bloom & Richard Householder Concert - Sanctuary
Sat.	8:30 am	ACW Annual Meeting - Parish Hall
	10:00 am	Prayer Shawl Group- Lounge
	5:00 pm	Sudanese Choir Practice

Parish Forum

'Today's Healthcare Issues'

**Guest Speaker: David Musyj
CEO Windsor Regional Hospital**

Next Sunday! April 6, 2014

11:30 am following worship

Presentation & Questions!

Light refreshments!

Thank you for the donations of food etc., for the Group Home
Please accept our thanks to everyone for their kindness and generosity... we are so grateful. Wishing everyone a blessed day. Warmest regards, Sheila, Ben and the folks at Horizon House.

Next's Week's ~ April 2 at 12:05 pm

Lenten Series Features:

Kim Arnaut, reader

Professor Jonathan Bayley, flute

Professor David Palmer, organ & piano

Next Sunday's Worship Services

8:00 am & 10:00 am

5th Sunday of Lent

Readings: Ezekiel 37: 1 - 14

Psalms 130, Romans 8: 6 - 11

John 11: 1 - 45

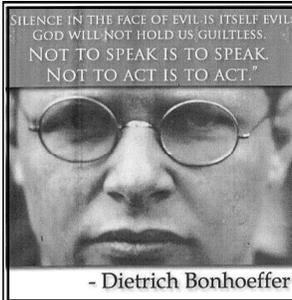
All Saints' Presents A Forum:

DIETRICH BONHOEFFER

PASTOR, PACIFIST, NAZI RESISTER

Saturday, April 26 10 am to 2 pm

Presenters: Christina Simmons, George Stewart,
Rev. Canon Kim Van Allen.



Introduction to the Documentary. An examination of the genesis, horror, and perversion wrought by the Nazi Regime.

Bonhoeffer & the African-American Church (influence on his approach to faith).

Film 'Bonhoeffer: Pastor, Pacifist, Nazi Resister'.

Fee \$20 Register by email/mail.

Discussion as we reflect on our own call to faithful discipleship in response to contemporary conditions and challenges

AN INVITATION With the richness of musical talents we have in All Saints' and the generous manner in which you offer your gifts, I'd like to propose an informal choir could be a way to broaden our music in worship. We already do this from time to time, especially at Christmas, but I'm thinking we could do this at other times in the church year, if there is interest. One or two songs at a service (psalm setting, offertory song, or a songs during the communion) could be possibilities. If you'd like to engage in this, please let me know. Easter is coming up (April 20), but I'm also thinking of next Sunday, April 6 for a "debut"! There will be a beginning rehearsal this coming Wednesday, April 2 at 4 pm for an hour. Thanks very much.
David Palmer



Sanctuary Candle

Would you like to dedicate a sanctuary candle in memory of a loved one? If so, the following dates are available:

April 6, 20 or 24

May 25

June 1, 8, 22 or 29.



The schedule for the candles is on the Chancel Guild board in the Scott Hall hallway. Make a minimal monetary donation of \$6 marked "Sanctuary Candle" and place it on the offering plate.

Needed !!! Lenten Lunches!

April 2 & April 16 1 loaf of sandwiches (first volunteer gets their choice of kind) another loaf, another loaf, another loaf. Thanks to all who have already made soup or sandwiches, or have already volunteered. Joyce D., Kim A., Maureen A-Z, Rosemary J, Marcia B, Gerard P, Shirley C, Nancy P, Betty M, Don G, Liz F, Kathleen D, Lonnie P, Valerie VR, Alice L, Art R. Betty R, & Valerie VR, (our setup ladies.) See or call Bob McIntosh (519-253-1817) to have your name added to this list.