

Sunday School Monthly Newsletter

March 2019

Welcome to the St. John's Anglican church Sunday school monthly newsletter! We will email once a month with all the upcoming events your children might be interested in. You can also check out the website for more information regarding services and programs at http://www.stjohnstruro.ca/

Most every Sunday, September - June, our children and youth attend Sunday School classes using Godly Play. A sacred circle is formed with the storyteller and children and a story is told, using hands on materials. The children are invited to "wonder" about the story with the Godly Play storyteller. They then create a response to the story using art, words, or drama in any medium they chose. This is called the work time. The class ends with a feast; a simple snack representing our unity in the circle of God. Children are invited to bring their prayers and thanksgivings to the circle. Children receive a blessing on their week as they leave. We then return to church in time for the Eucharist.

Each week is a class unto itself, and you do not need to be there the week before to follow along. We understand weekends are a busy time, and we are thrilled to see you when we can, but fully understand when we can't!

March Sunday Morning Schedule:

Sunday March 3rd, 10am

• Transfiguration told by Melinda Tattrie

Sunday March 10th, 10 am

• Temptation of Jesus told by Shelley Keddy

Sunday March 17th, 10 am

• No Sunday school (March Break)

Sunday March 24th, 10 am

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Sunday March 31st, 10 am

 Story – Parable of the Pharisees and the tax collector told by Judy MacKenzie

Youth Bible Encounter

Ever sit in church on Sunday and wonder what the scripture readings are all about? Or what they have to do with your life? Us too! Join us for our evening bible encounter Thursday March 28th at 8 pm, for youth ages 12-19. This is one hour long, and will start with some running around games such as dodge ball. Then, we move into a look at the readings for the following Sunday, asking what we see in them and how they relate to our lives. Oh, and don't forget, snacks are provided. Hope to see you there!

Next month...

Sunday afternoon outings will begin back up in April, stay tuned!