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January 1, 2012

Happy New Year!

This Sunday at Beach

Sunday, January 1, 2012, 10:30am
Service in Memorial Hall

Church Office Closure Church office will re-open on Tuesday, Jan 3rd, 2012

Pastoral Care during Holidays

Karen Dale will be available for pastoral care during the week of January 1-7

January 21 9-12 am, Final Beach United Church Clear Out Sale! Come in and find the last treasures – desks, lamps, toys, pews. Consider it a Garage Sale from Heaven! We will also be featuring a HOME booth where you can learn more about our upcoming construction project. Tell your friends and neighbours. There will be free coffee and cookies too! We are looking for volunteers to help with final set up (9-12am Sat Jan 14), day of sale (8:30 – 1pm, Sat Jan 21) and for large item pickup (week of Jan 23 – time tbd). If you would like to help please call Carol or Chris Bell at 416-686-7530 or send a note to homebells@sympatico.ca or chris.bell@kraftfoods.com

Service

Council Contact: Lorraine Methven

Thank You to Beach United Church Please convey my sincere thanks to all the members of Beach United who helped with the set up, welcoming, serving and clean up after the lunch. We served over 100 people and provided about 50 take-home meals to them. Happy New Year. *Michael Van Dusen, St Aidan's Anglican Church*

Inter-faith Christmas Lunch: resumes Jan 5, 2012

Used Postage Stamps are needed to support a Leprosy Mission. Trim stamps leaving ¼ inch margin of paper around stamps that will be collected in 2012.

Out of the Cold Beach "Out of the Cold" program at St. Aidan's Church needs volunteers to donate 3 hours of service once per month on a Monday afternoon/evening or Tuesday morning for the season. To make a difference, contact us at: outofthecold.beach@gmail.com

Learning & Growth

Council Contact: Wendy Johnston

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Pizza with Purpose will be held in the kitchen at St. Aidan's Friday, Jan 13th at 6pm. Bring a friend and earn some community volunteer hours making pizza for the Interfaith Lunch Program. Bring 5 dollars to throw in for food supplies. Let us know if you can come so we have a clear idea of numbers. We will also get a chance to taste the pizzas. Quality control. Contact Rayford Glasgow orangeGuy6@hotmail.com or karen@beachuc.com

Knitters Awake Pull your needles out of storage. We are starting our Knitting for Shivering Children meetings again on Saturday January 14, 10 am to noon in our worship space in St. Aidan's. Last summer we delivered 502 vests to Canadian Food for Children, 27 more than our goal. Who's up for a goal of 600 this year? We've had lots of yarn and needles donated. Even if you can't stay for the meeting, drop by to pick up supplies to work on vests at home. Or hang around for good food, coffee and scintillating conversation. Knitters talk and laugh a lot. Phone 416.465.3081 or email pat@patriciadavies.com at 416-465-3081 for further information,

Congregational Development

Council Contact: Mary Anne Lemm

Eat, Pray, Skate ~ back by popular demand on Sunday January 29th, 6.00 pm at the Kew Gardens skating rink. Bring your skates and we will provide hot chocolate and prayer candles. Contact karen@beachuc.com or Hasting Withers 416 691 1657

2012 OFFERING ENVELOPES ARE READY FOR PICK-UP As storage space in the Church Office is limited please pick up your 2012 Envelopes as soon as possible. They will be available beginning this Sunday, Dec. 18 and will be located on a long table in Memorial Hall where we worship.



In the Heart of the Beach

