

*Welcome to Fort Massey by-the-Sea  
~ where life and faith meet ~*

**Welcome.** A very special welcome to those who are being invested into **The Order of Fort Massey**, and their families, on this All Saints' Sunday. **Visitors** are invited to sign our Guest Book and fill out a Welcome Card at the left of the main doors upon exiting, leaving it with the guest book. Join us in the lower hall after worship for **coffee & conversation**; your hosts are *the Janson family and Carol & Alasdair Sinclair*. *Sign-up* in the Tobin St. lobby to be a host.

**Phoenix House Snack Program.** Fort Massey is sponsoring the week of Nov 28 to Dec 2. We need \$175, plus food items: fruit Cups/apple sauce (single servings), canned soups, canned meats & fish for sandwiches, hot chocolate, spaghetti & pasta sauce, "Ensure" meal replacement drinks, baby formula and baby food.

**Nominations** are now being accepted for the William S. Fong Volunteer Award. Please submit nominations to the Nominating Committee via the Church Office.

*At the Kirk...*

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|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Mon                                         | 11-1                                                                                          | Church Hall/Cornwallis Park | South End Playgroup            |
| Mon                                         | 3-4:30 pm                                                                                     | Lower Hall                  | Acupuncture Class              |
| <b>Tue</b>                                  | <b>10 am</b>                                                                                  | <b>Jean Cudmore's</b>       | <b>Women's Coffee Group</b>    |
| Tue                                         | 5-7 pm                                                                                        | St. Andrew's UC             | University Student Suppers     |
| Tue                                         | 6 pm                                                                                          | Gym                         | Men's Basketball               |
| <b>Tue</b>                                  | <b>7:30 pm</b>                                                                                | <b>Lower Hall</b>           | <b>Board of Management</b>     |
| <b>Tuesdays, Nov 15 - Dec 13, Jan 3 -17</b> |                                                                                               | <b>Yoga</b>                 |                                |
|                                             | <b>7-8:15 pm</b>                                                                              | <b>Lower Hall</b>           | <b>with Jenny MacDougall</b>   |
| <b>Wed</b>                                  | <b>9:30 am, Nov 9</b>                                                                         | <b>Cousin's Restaurant</b>  | <b>Next Men's Breakfast</b>    |
| Wed                                         | 9:30-11:30 am                                                                                 | Lower Hall                  | Breastfeeding Support          |
|                                             | (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays of the month) in partnership with Public Health |                             |                                |
| Wed                                         | 10-11:30 am                                                                                   | Church Hall                 | Japanese Playgroup             |
| Wed                                         | 3-4:30 pm                                                                                     | Lower Hall                  | Acupuncture Class              |
| Thu                                         | 10:30 am                                                                                      | Minister's Study            | Spirit Connectors              |
| Thu                                         | 11am -1pm                                                                                     | Lower Hall                  | Weight Watchers                |
| Thu                                         | 6 pm                                                                                          | Gym                         | Men's Floor hockey             |
| Thu                                         | 7:30 pm                                                                                       | Sanctuary                   | Choir Practice                 |
| Fri                                         | 10-11:30 pm                                                                                   | Lower Hall                  | Acupuncture Class              |
| Fri                                         | 6-7 pm                                                                                        | Lower Hall                  | Choi Kwang Do                  |
| Fri                                         | 7-8 pm                                                                                        | Gym                         | Dal Student Taekwondo Society  |
| Sun                                         | 10 am                                                                                         | Sanctuary                   | Choir Practice                 |
| <b>Remembrance Sunday</b>                   |                                                                                               | <b>Tobin St. Lobby</b>      | <b>Veterans gather @ 10:20</b> |
| Sun                                         | 10:30 am                                                                                      | Sanctuary                   | Worship                        |
| Sun                                         | 10:45 am                                                                                      | Lower Hall & Nursery        | Church School & Nursery        |
| Sun                                         | 11:30 am                                                                                      | Lower Hall                  | Coffee & Conversation          |
| Sun                                         | 2-3 pm                                                                                        | Lower Hall                  | Choi Kwang Do                  |
| Sun                                         | 3-4 pm                                                                                        | Gym                         | Dal Student Taekwondo Society  |

# FORT MASSEY CHURCH

Watching over Halifax harbour since 1871

*A Congregation of The United Church of Canada*



*Investiture into The Order of Fort Massey*

*All Saints' Sunday ~ 20<sup>th</sup> after Pentecost*

**10:30 a.m., 30<sup>th</sup> October 2011**

Trent D. Cleveland-Thompson, Minister  
Robert Bossler, Student Minister  
Richard & Carol Robinson, Sextons  
Kathy Cochrane, Office Administrator  
Sancia Knorr, SS Co-ordinator  
Alasdair Sinclair, Clerk of Session  
Alan G. Hayman, Senior Trustee  
Irene Parks, UCW President  
Colleen Estabrooks, M&S Enthusiast  
Linda Dean, Nominating Chair

Pierre Perron, Music Director  
John Walter, Assistant Organist  
Kevin Robarts, Flutist  
Leah Collins Lipsett, Accompanist  
Elaine Janson, Nursery  
Kevork Peltekian, Board Chair  
Leslie Pezzack, Treasurer  
an MacDonald & Elliott Prouty, Presbytery Reps  
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Elliott Prouty, Head Usher

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# THE GATHERING

*\* indicates standing for those who are able  
Nursery is located off the Tobin St. lobby*

**PRELUDE** Hymns for All Saints' Day played on the Fort Massey Chimes

**\*ENTRY INTO CELEBRATION**  
*The bell is sounded three times*

**\*LIGHTING OF THE COMMUNITY CANDLE**  
*The candle is lit*

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN** For All the Saints, vs. 1, 2, 5 & 6 VU 705

**\*OPENING SENTENCES**

*Time runs in circles and cycles.  
Day follows night.  
Weeks turn into months.  
Months into years.  
One generation follows another.  
Our lives are locked and linked by time.*

**\*PRAYER OF AWARENESS**

*We pray.  
We are grateful for the generations that have gone before us,  
especially people of vision, imagination and creativity. We  
know there are still discoveries to be made and problems to be  
solved. May we not betray the trust given to us, but be prepared  
to take our place in the circle of time. Amen.*

**\*THE PEACE**

*The peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.*

**WELCOME & LIFE OF THE COMMUNITY** *Financial Update – Peter Coulthard*

**MINUTE FOR MISSION** – *Jean Cudmore*

**OFFERING** Offertory

**\*DOXOLOGY** VU 541

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God all  
creatures high and low; Give thanks to God in love made  
known: Creator, Word and Spirit, One. Amen.*

*\* Please stand as the offering is brought forward during the singing of the Doxology.*

**CHILDREN'S TIME WITH THEIR MINISTER** Ezekiel 37 "Dry bones"



**PRAYER & JESUS' PRAYER**

The Lord's Prayer VU 921

**\*HYMN** Here I Am, Lord, vs. 1&2 VU 509  
*Children leave for Church School during the hymn*

**INVESTITURE INTO THE ORDER OF FORT MASSEY** – *Linda Dean, Chairperson,  
Nominating Committee*  
*Recipients: Jean Brown, William Fong, Margaret Grant, Howard Parker, Douglas Ritcey*

**PRAYER**

**ANTHEM** I Love You, O My God Most High  
Tune: Daniel; Traditional Irish Melody  
Words by St. Ignatius Loyola Arranged by David Hogan

**READINGS** *Twelve Steps to a Compassionate Life* by Karen Armstrong  
Hebrew Scriptures: Genesis 18:1-8

**CONTEMPORARY WORD** "Pay It Forward" – *Rev. Trent*

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** A New Creed VU 918

**\*CLOSING HYMN** Take My Life and Let It Be VU 506

**\*WORDS OF MISSION**

*Let us embrace the wonder of this week  
with expectation and imagination...  
The candle is extinguished*

*After the words, a quiet.  
After the songs, a silence.  
After the crowd only the memory recalls the gathering.  
Peace and justice have need of us  
after the words, the music, and the gathering.*

*God grant us the depth and dedication  
to do justice with compassion.*

*God grant us the will to be apostles of peace.*

**\*BLESSING WORDS**

**ORGAN POSTLUDE** Fantasia in C J. S. Bach

# Annual Fort Massey Christmas Tea & Sale

Saturday, November 19, 2011

10:30 am - 12:30 pm

We appreciate everyone's co-operation - men, as well as women.

Let's get out and sell those tickets to family, friends & neighbours!

We need people to:

## 1. Bake

for the Pantry Table

(inc. baked beans, jams, jellies, pickles, preserves, bread, cookies, rolls, sweet bread, squares, muffins, donuts, etc. - *no nuts* svp)

Please include some identification for your food donation.

## 2. Donate

items for the New-to-you, Jewellery, Craft, Knitted Goods, and Christmas Tables (Bags needed for purchases)

## 3. Give

to the Silent Auction: Talents & Treasures  
(a week before the sale, svp)

## 4. Serve

males and females to wait on tables  
Call Colleen Estabrooks @ 423-1552

## 5. Make

3 dozen cookies for the Tea Room - 12 people

## 6. Set-up Thu, 7 pm

## 7. Clean-up Sat, 12:30 pm

(crews consisting of 6 people)

Sign-up Sheets are in the Tobin Street lobby

Drop-off times are Friday, Nov 18, 9 am - 12 noon, and 2-4 pm

Pick-ups & Tickets (\$5), please call the church office @ 423-4294  
or Irene Parks @ 422-7996 after 6 pm

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## Christmas Outreach...

Pre-Order Samosas to Support the Chaudhry Family! Order before noon on Tuesdays Pick up Wednesdays between 11:30am - 2:00pm in the NSPIRG Office, room 314 Dalhousie University Student Union Building - University Ave. Samosas cost \$2.75 each or two for \$5. TO ORDER: Please email your name, email address, and the quantity you would like to alia@nspirg.org by Tuesday. All proceeds go towards the helping the family establishing themselves in the country. The Chaudhry family is a Pakistani family of five living in Halifax, after fighting a deportation order to Pakistan and winning . They fled Pakistan after facing death threats and violence when their marriage was not approved by family members, and have built a home for themselves in Halifax. They can now call Canada home but still need your support in establishing themselves. For more details about the family and their case, see <http://chaudhrysolidarity.wordpress.com/>

## In the Community...

**From France, the Duo Benzakoun** (Laurence & Daniel) will perform music for piano 4 hands by Poulenc, Ravel, Debussy and Brahms at the Lilian Piercey Concert Hall, 6199 Chebucto Rd, Halifax. TODAY, October 30, 2 pm. Tickets at the door \$25, 20 & 10. [www.stcecilia.ca](http://www.stcecilia.ca)

**Camerata Xara Young Women's Choir** will present *Fatty Legs*, a poignant Aboriginal children's story depicted through choral soundscapes and contemporary dance, TONIGHT, Oct 30, in the Atrium of the Weldon Law Building, Dalhousie University at 6:30 and 7:30 pm. Tickets available at [www.xara.ca](http://www.xara.ca) and at the door for \$10. For more information please contact Tenille Good-speed at [tenille@xara.ca](mailto:tenille@xara.ca). Christy Jordan-Fenton and Margaret Pokiak-Fenton, Intuit authors of the book, will narrate the text as part of this performance. Surrounded by 300 linear feet of haunting photographs from the residential school era of Canadian Aboriginal history, Camerata Xara's performance has been created as part of the Atlantic National Event of the Truth & Reconciliation Commission of Canada.

**Halifax Camerata Singers** present *A Requiem for Peace* Sat., Nov. 5 at 7:30 pm, First Baptist Church, 1300 Oxford St., Halifax. A favorite concert to celebrate the lives of loved ones and remember the victims of war and conflict. Tickets \$20 & \$10 (sts) at [www.halifaxcamerata.org](http://www.halifaxcamerata.org) and at the door.

**Walk for Peace.** You are invited to join with others from around the city in a show of unity, mutual support and concern for the safety and well being of all of us who live in our city. Sunday Nov. 6th meet at 2 PM at Cornwallis Street Baptist Church to walk together to the Halifax Common.

**Tea and Jewellery Sale** The Malaika Grandmothers, in support of African grandmothers, will hold a Tea with a display of African jewellery, cloth and clothing on November 6<sup>th</sup> from 2-5 at the Local Council of Women House 597 Young Avenue. The jewelry will be available for purchase. Cash or cheques please.

**The Paul Wattson Lecture 2011**, Holiness, Hospitality, Hope; Mon, Nov 7, at 7 p.m., Saint Mary's University, Scotiabank Conference Theatre, Sobeys Building, 903 Robie St. Guest Lecturer: Archbishop Fred Hiltz, a Nova Scotian, the 13<sup>th</sup> Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada.

**Mission Breakfast** is Nov 17, 7-9 am, \$1000/table. Speaker: Stuart McInnes, QC, "Poverty, Is It Good For Business?" We need **nine** people to buy a ticket so that our minister does not have to sit alone. Income tax receipts are available for part of the price of the ticket. **Sign-up sheet in the Tobin St. lobby.**

**Italian Themed Dinner** - United Memorial Church, 5350 Young Street will be holding an Italian Themed Dinner on Saturday, Nov. 5th from 4:30 to 6:30pm. Adults \$15, Children under 12 yrs. - \$8.00. Elevator Available. Advance tickets only — call Blanche Creighton at 454.5554.