

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Sunday morning worship. If you, or someone you know, is in hospital, ill, or desires a pastoral visit, please speak with Rev. Scott or leave a message at the church office, 514-634-2651.

“Faith Sharing” Lenten Study Group Wednesdays at noon, beginning March 27th up to and including the 17th of April. You are invited to bring your lunch.

Lenten Loonies for Haiti Our “Lenten Loonies” are put in a fund that helps buy educational materials for the midwifery school in Haiti, and helps Haitian midwives attend international meetings and conferences. Please contribute the cost of a coffee when the “Loonie” bucket is passed around. There is an increased need of support during the recent uprisings and protests.

Scripture Reader: Michèle Bitauld for next Sunday, March 24th, 3rd in Lent

Hebrew Scripture reading Isaiah 55:1-9 p. 803 ot

Responsive reading Psalm 63, refrain 2 VU 781

Reading from the Gospels Luke 13:1-9 p. 102 nt

Clean Up Thank you to Jeannine & Robert for helping with clean up next Sunday, March 24th.

Taizé Service Please join us this *Tuesday, March 19th* at 7:00 for a Service of Song, Silence and Contemplation.

Lent/Easter Newsletter

The editors will soon be working on the next edition of “Spirited Summerlea” newsletter. Please remember to send your submissions to Lynn Closs lcloss@lbpsb.qc.ca or Jane Cowell Poitras jane.cowell.poitras@sympatico.ca **no later than Wednesday, March 27th**, so that we have it available to all on Sunday, April 7th.

Looking ahead: Artisan Fair & Book Sale, on Saturday, April 13th, from 10am - 3pm, at Summerlea United Church, 225-50th Avenue, Lachine. There will be many artisans displaying their beautiful crafts, delicious home baking, and many books at great bargain prices!

A lunchroom will also be available between 11AM & 2PM.

Please bring your used books to the church for our upcoming book sale at the Artisan Fair any morning between 8am and 12pm. Books can be left up on the stage in Acadia Hall.

A Prayer for Lent



Most High,
we call on your Holy Name,
trusting in its healing power.
May we confess your saving mercies,
and live joyfully in the shadow of your shelter.
You are our refuge, our fortress,
and our dwelling place.
May we forever trust in you and praise you,
our Sovereign One.
Amen.

— by Alydia Smith, from [Everyday Skeptics](#) (UCPH). Discover more United Church [prayers](#) and [worship resources](#)