

work of the parish in various ways. Freda Carter is president of our local branch of the ACW known as the Woodrowe Group.

Each year we look to partner with groups inside and outside the parish where there is human need that we can help to address. During this past year, the Church school held fundraisers, and donated those funds to UNICEF. We've also worked on projects supporting St. Joseph's Hospice, the Salvation Army, Women's Interval Home, the Primate's World Relief and Development Fund (Huron Hunger Fund), Habitat for Humanity, the Lambton Anglican Refugee Committee (LARC) and many others.

Under the leadership of Tony Gartshore, we have a vibrant music ministry featuring a choir of enthusiastic voices who enhance our worship services as well as special musical presentations and concerts throughout the year. Recent concerts have included Simply Beethoven, and April in Paris.



This brochure only touches the surface of what happens here at St. Bart's, but an exhaustive list is impossible. From annual events like the Talk of the Town Bazaar and Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper to groups like the Altar Guild and Card-making Group, this is a place where there is a place for everyone.

Five Marks of Mission

- To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom
- To teach, baptize and nurture new believers
- To respond to human need by loving service
- To seek to transform unjust structures of society
- To strive to safeguard the integrity of creation and sustain and renew the life of the earth



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Since 1957 the Church of Saint Bartholomew (St. Bart's) has been witnessing to and serving the needs of the people of Sarnia and area. We're proud of that legacy, and we invite you to join with us in continuing that work.

The core of our community life is when we gather together for worship. Each Sunday we celebrate with a traditional language service at 8:00 am and a contemporary language service at 10:00 am. The contemporary language service also includes music and children's programs are offered.

While worship is at the heart of what we do, we express it in many ways beyond and outside of our Sunday morning experiences. We believe that it is an important part of our Christian life to share fellowship, continue to grow in our knowledge of God, and use our gifts and talents in the service of others.

During the week there are a variety of programs and activities either sponsored by St. Bart's or organized by us, and there are also annual and periodic events. There is something for everyone here!

Monday mornings at 9:30 sees a Bible study that meets weekly. It is a good way to be more intentional about reading the Bible. John Payne, and Judy Rintoul organize this study. All are welcome to attend.

The Book Group meets weekly on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm. This group selects their books together, and then gathers to read and discuss them. New members are always welcome. Judy Rintoul serves as facilitator for the group.



Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm, we feature another Bible study. It is another opportunity to learn and grow together. Fr Raymond organizes this program and you do not need to have attended before to jump in.

Friday evenings at 7:00 pm is Euchre Night, another outreach ministry that is part of our St. Bart's family. Marna-Rae Walters helps to organize this group.

Every other week a group of recently retired men gathers on Friday mornings for fellowship and performing the tasks necessary to keep our buildings in shape. Bob Grimshaw serves as taskmaster.



On the second Wednesday of every month a team from St. Bart's goes to the Inn of the Good Shepherd to prepare and serve lunch. Those who go to the Inn are also supported by others who help in preparing items ahead of time. Terry North coordinates this effort.



As part of the Anglican Church Women (ACW), the women of the parish get together monthly to socialize, learn about and support mission projects, and further the