



Youth Group

Dedicated Counsellors, Coffee House performers

Our Youth Group after a busy year, completed the 2015-2016 Program preparing and participating in the Easter Morning Sunrise Service and with the help of our ever faithful Iain Lamont hosted a wonderful breakfast in Kildonan Hall after the Service. Turnout for this special Youth Service has grown over the past three years and we look forward to having more Youth oriented services in the coming year.

In April they organized a wonderful Coffee House to raise funds for the children of the Refugee Family being sponsored by the Church. It was an evening of entertainment, mostly provided by our own young people, fellowship, laughter and good will. A huge thank you to all who donated gifts for the raffle and to all who attended in support of the work of our Youth Group.

Twenty-two members of the Youth Group worked tirelessly as counsellors at Vacation Bible School in July and eight of them returned for a third week of VBS in August!

They did a wonderful job as we welcomed 37 children to the first two weeks of VBS and another 14 in August – I have received many emails and letters from parents who were very impressed with the dedication and devotion our young people exhibited throughout their children's VBS experience.

Upcoming events to make in your calendar:
September: Welcome Back Lunch / Brainstorming Meeting

October: Youth Group prepared for the Pumpkin Ball

We welcome all young people in Grades 6 through 11, who might like to join this energetic, friendly and fun group - please contact us at 450-689-4379 or email grammy.shani@sympatico.ca

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Youth Group Leaders*

Leading with Care

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The Church of St Andrew and St Paul subscribes to this policy and maintains it throughout the various programs and ministries of the congregation. Leading with Care has been instituted and will continue to be monitored through a series of church committees, and the Leading with Care Committee which has duties of oversight.