

our own denomination and within the Presbyterian Church, USA.

Those are all the actions from a human point of view. But of course, the church is not only a human institution. It is also a holy institution, created by the Spirit of God. The understanding of call in the Scripture is not the same understanding as employment in our culture. In Scripture the sense of call is linked to the community praying to God, seeking God to come to their aid so that they might be faithful in completing the mission of God. The sense of 'call' is the 'calling out' of the people to ask God for help. In response to the people's prayers, God 'sends' one to minister among the people. This understanding of 'call' is founded in our faith that God cares for us, God knows our needs and God seeks to meet those needs thus enabling us to be faithful followers of Christ in the world. So once again, I encourage you to lift these matters to God in prayer, to 'call out' so that we will indeed have one 'sent' into our midst "to equip the saints for ministry."

If you have questions or concerns about the search process please feel free to contact me at 514-288-5256 ext 201. Matters relating to the congregation should be addressed to The Rev. Diviney.

Sincerely,
D.Woods
Interim Moderator

Fall Fair 2015

Come one, come all

As the last weeks of summer vacation speed by and cool winds signal the start of autumn, thoughts of school, fall cleaning, harvest and fairs enter our minds. This year, The Guild of The Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul celebrates its 81st Annual Fall Fair on Saturday, November 7 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Admission is free, however, a donation of a non-perishable food item would be appreciated. Entrance is via 3419 Redpath Street.

Featured items for sale include Antiques and Treasures, Asian Delights, China, Glassware, Jewellery, Linens, Baked Goods/Preserves, Books, Childrens' Items, Christmas Surprises and much more! A luncheon (\$10 per person), will be served in three seatings: 11:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m. and 13:00 p.m.; tickets for the luncheon may be purchased prior to dining.

The Fall Fair Wine and Cheese, to be held Thursday, November 5 from 5 until 7 p.m., is a fun social event, an important fundraiser and a preview of the Fall Fair. Please bring a friend and reserve a ticket (\$20 per person) by contacting Mrs. Susan Stevenson, at 514-933-2934. Entrance to the event is at 3415 Redpath Street.

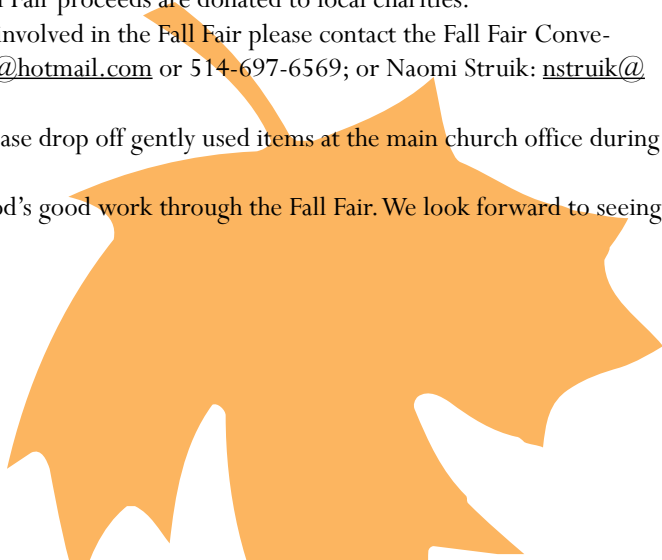
The Fall Fair is not only the church's largest yearly fundraiser, but also provides opportunities for community "inreach and outreach" with an extraordinary group of volunteers whose hard work is a blessing to all. Fall Fair proceeds are donated to local charities.

If you would like to become involved in the Fall Fair please contact the Fall Fair Convenors: Heather Luckow: e56hnw@hotmail.com or 514-697-6569; or Naomi Struik: nstruik@hotmail.com or 514-223-1632.

To donate to the Fall Fair, please drop off gently used items at the main church office during operating hours.

Thank you for supporting God's good work through the Fall Fair. We look forward to seeing you on November 5 and 7!

Sincerely,
Naomi Struik and Heather Luckow
Fall Fair Convenors



October 4 is the first Communion Service of the new season, World Communion Sunday.



Business is brisk at the Trifles and Treasures. PHOTO: MARTIN OLDENGARM