

AGENDA
HALTON PRESBYTERY MEETING
Tuesday, November 24th 2009
St. Stephen United Church,
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HAVE YOUR REGISTERED?

FOR THIS MONTH ONLY, THE 4TH AT 4 WILL BEGIN AT 3:00 PM.

Tuesday, November 24th, 3.00 pm

"Between Being and Doing: Care of Body, Mind and Spirit for Ministry"

The Rev. John Buttars has had a very special ministry for 30 years at Harcourt Memorial, in Guelph, Ontario. Trained as a spiritual director in the Ignatian tradition, John developed a ministry that sought to combine wide community involvement and intentional personal and communal spiritual practices. Our monthly educational events have been focused around developing leadership to grow our ministries -- we are encouraging our folk to change the way they do ministry in order to reverse the decline that seems endemic to the United Church at the moment.

Effective church leadership is grounded in personal authenticity. Such leadership is exercised in a world and in a church that is filled with anxiety. Life-giving personal spiritual, physical and religious practices, both individual and corporate, are essential for the kind of leadership that God's mission requires. Such practices help maintain a healthy tension between the 'doing' of ministry and the 'being' of ministry.

Through Continuing Education at Emmanuel College, we are pleased to welcome John Buttars as a resource to our Presbytery.

JOIN US AT THREE AND STAY FOR DINNER AT 6:00 P.M. – YOU CAN REGISTER ON LINE AT THE PRESBYTERY WEB SITE OR CALL/EMAIL THE OFFICE 905-468-3172 / office@haltonpres.org

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| 6:00 PM | Dinner |
| 7:00 PM | Gathering
Call to Order, Constitution of The Court,
Personal Joys and Concerns |
| 7:05 PM | WELCOME – Host, St. Stephen United Church |
| 7:10 PM | WORSHIP: Halton Presbytery Worship Team |
| 7:30 PM | Secretary's Time: <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Minutes of October 27th to be approved as received and Executive minutes of November 3rd received for information only.❖ Enabling Motions and Consent Document❖ Correspondence/ANNOUNCEMENTS❖ For reports visit the Presbytery WebSite www.haltonpres.org |
| 7:35 PM | Chairperson's time: |
| 7:40 PM | Best Practices: Peter Hoyle
Interviewing Chris Cheung and Neville Smith re Becoming an Inter Cultural Church |
| 8:05 PM | Budget Approval: John Hurst (10 minutes) |
| 8:15 P.M. | ALL PURPOSE BREAK |
| 8:30 P.M. | COMMITTEE Reports:
Faith Formation & Outreach: Neville Smith (5 minutes)
Finance & Property: Peter Hancock (5 minutes)
Nominating: Morar Murray-Hayes (5 minutes)
Pastoral Relations: Norm Graham (5 minutes)
Candidacy & Vocations: Kim Shantz (5 minutes) |
| 9: 00 PM | NEW/OTHER BUSINESS |
| 9:05 PM | CLOSING AND ADJOURNMENT |

NEXT EXECUTIVE MEETING: December 1st, 2009 – Palermo 7:00 P.M.

NEXT FULL COURT MEETING: January 26th – Appleby United Church, Burlington