



# Holy Trinity Clearview

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## Holy Trinity is Online

Earlier this year, we launched a new website, [www.holytrinityclearview.com](http://www.holytrinityclearview.com)

The goal of an online presence is twofold: to give existing parishioners a digital place for fellowship, and to give potential parishioners information about our church.

You will find on our website a current calendar of events, photographs of parish events, and a downloads section, where you can retrieve meeting minutes and other documents.

We've also re-launched our Facebook site, [www.facebook.com/holytrinityclearview](http://www.facebook.com/holytrinityclearview), which we hope to be a hub for discussion, and to

promote our parish events to the community. We've also created a logo, which incorporates an artistic rendition of the front of our church building. Standing behind our church is the blue dove from the Diocese of Toronto's logo, surrounded by the heraldic shield of the Anglican Church of Canada.

You may have noticed that our promotional parish event posters have our logo, as well as a strange pixelated square on the bottom. This square is called a QR code, which allows smartphones to connect to our website for more information about the



event. You can try scanning the code above, with your smartphone, to connect to our website.

To date, our online presence seems to be successful- some attendees of our recent pancake supper found out about the event exclusively through Facebook. Our website is also generating inquires about our church.

If you haven't already, please visit us online, and tell us what you think.

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## Closing Celebration Services

On Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, a closing celebration service was held at Christ Church, Batteaux, presided by Bishop Peter Fenty. The liturgy was well attended, and Bishop Fenty conveyed in his message that the closure of the church building is not the

end of the Parish and its work; rather, the Church is not a building, but its people. The annual Bishop's visit followed at Holy Trinity Clearview, with a lunch after the liturgy. The closing celebration service at St. Paul's,

Singhamton has been postponed. The St. Paul's building is currently not safe to enter due to mould; the future of the building is in the hands of Bishop Fenty and David Badian, the director of property resources.

## Join a small group

Weekly Bible studies

Tuesdays, 10:30am  
Batteaux

Wednesdays, 10am  
Singhamton

Thursdays, 7pm  
Creemore

See Ray for details

## Upcoming Events

Saturday, May 26  
5:00pm and 6:30pm  
Roast Beef Dinner  
Advance tickets required \$16

Sunday, May 27  
Advisory Board meeting,  
following liturgy

Saturday, June 2 9:30am  
Parish Spring Cleaning  
See story in this issue

Thursday, June 28  
Strawberry Supper  
More details to follow

Saturday, August 18  
Parish Yard Sale  
See story in this issue

A full calendar of events can  
be found on our website.  
[www.holytrinityclearview.com](http://www.holytrinityclearview.com)

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## Advisory Board Highlights

- All parishioner contact information is being updated, including phone number, address, and email
- An inventory committee has been formed to catalog the items and furnishings of all buildings, to determine what is being kept and what will be surplus for sale or donation.
- Grants are available from the Diocese to

help parishes grow, adapt existing facilities, and use enhancing technology. Therefore, a grant committee has been established to explore grants available for renovations of the kitchen, the church steps and wheelchair ramp, audio visual equipment, and an outdoor sign.

- The surplus organ at Christ church will be

sold; proceeds will go to general operation

- Monthly financial updates will be available at the back of the church
- Outreach disbursements this year have included: Collingwood Library Youth Food program, PWRDF, Hospice Georgian Triangle, Local food banks, and My Friend's House.

## Upcoming Event: Spring Cleaning

On Saturday, June 2, please consider helping with Spring Cleaning of the Holy Trinity Clearview- the church building, and the Old School House.

By volunteering, you will be helping us avoid the expense of a professional cleaning crew. We hope that all volunteers will see this

as a fellowship event, as we join together in a collective effort.

**Spring  
Cleaning**

"Many hands make light work."

We will convene at 9:30am to assign cleaning duties. A lunch will be provided.

Please RSVP to Sarah Ng or Dana Brown so that teams may be assembled in advance. More details will be forthcoming.

This will be a biannual event, with a Fall Cleaning in September.

## Upcoming Event: Parish Yard Sale

On Saturday, August 18, we are planning a Parish Yard Sale at the Old School House.

In addition to selling surplus inventory, we will be selling hot dogs, baked goods, and crafts.

At a later date, we will make available a list of

acceptable items that can be donated for sale. Watch for it in the Sunday leaflet, or on our online calendar.

Drop off of these items will be the day before the sale, or by special arrangement, because storage space is limited.

All unsold items will be donated to charity.

As always, contact a warden if you have ideas, concerns, or any feedback.

