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#### Office Hours

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Sundays: 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

#### Parking

Parking is free on Sunday mornings at the Manulife building located on the north side of Bloor Street at the top of Ted Rogers Way. To gain access to Manulife's parking, press the intercom button and inform the security attendant you are attending a service at St. Paul's.

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## Have Breakfast for Dinner with Us



Once a year, we gather as a church to eat breakfast for dinner. On **Tuesday, March 5** from **6-7:30 p.m.** young and old, newcomers and long-time members are invited to gather around tables in the Great Hall for a delicious meal of eggs, bacon, pancakes, syrup and fruit. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. If you have any questions, contact Janet Earle at [children@stpaulsbloor.org](mailto:children@stpaulsbloor.org).

## Begin Lent with Us On Ash Wednesday



On **Wednesday, March 6** join us at **8 a.m., 12 p.m. or 7 p.m.** for Ash Wednesday which heralds the 40 day season of Lent. This is a time for personal examination and repentance as we prepare to observe the death and celebrate the resurrection of Jesus at Easter. Ashes are an ancient biblical sign of repentance and will be put on people's foreheads at these services.



## Tune Into the Second Episode of the 180 Podcast



The 180° podcast features the real stories of people who have experienced a 180° transformation through the power of the Gospel. In this second episode, meet Tina Murrin, a member of our community. Despite a childhood riddled with challenges, Tina became a successful financial leader yet knew something was missing.

*"I felt like I had all these external material things, wealth, a marriage I thought would last forever...but I felt something was missing. And then, in the same year that my marriage was breaking down, I was diagnosed with a brain tumour."*

Hear how Tina's encounter with her own mortality led to an unexpected turning point in her life. Listen online at [stpaulsbloor.org/180podcast](http://stpaulsbloor.org/180podcast) or visit our YouTube and Facebook page.

## Join the St. Paul's Team for Coldest Night of the Year



The registration fee for Coldest Night of the Year increases from \$25 to \$40 on February 19. The Coldest Night of the Year is a family-friendly walk that raises money for Yonge Street Mission who serve the hungry, homeless and hurting people in our community. Join us by walking a 2K , 5K or 10K route with your family on **Saturday, February 23.**

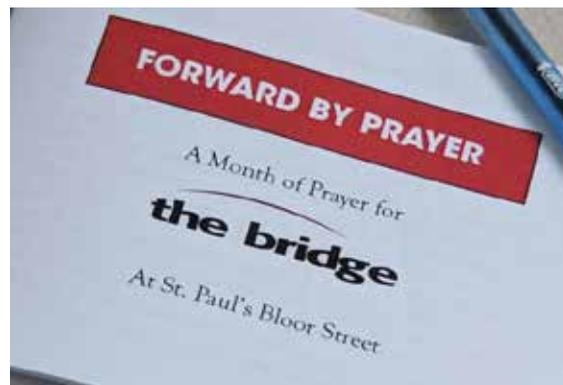
Interested in volunteering? St. Paul's serves as a warm rest stop site for walkers. We need Site Hosts to greet and welcome walkers, answer questions and help serve warm refreshments and snacks. Anyone of any age can participate. To volunteer as a site host, visit [stpaulsbloor.org/coldest-night-walk](http://stpaulsbloor.org/coldest-night-walk)

## Black Heritage Service Next Sunday

The Black Anglicans Coordinating Committee invites you to the 24th annual celebration service of the Black Heritage of our Church on **Sunday, February 24**, this year's theme is "Journey into Light: Giving Thanks for our Ordained Ministers." Music starts at 4 p.m., and **the service starts at 4:30 p.m.** Free parking will be available at the Manulife Centre.



## Concluding the Month of Prayer for the Bridge Service



Over the past month, we've been praying for God's blessing, seeking God's guidance, and listening for God's voice in where to go with the 9:30 a.m. **bridge** service. We believe God is calling us to take the service to the next steps in its continued growth. Please bring your reflections, ideas, prayer journals (even if they're not complete) back next **Sunday, February 24. Following the 9:30 a.m. service**, join us in Cody Hall for a gathering and an opportunity to share our thoughts with each other.

## World Day of Prayer Service

On **Friday, March 1 at 11 a.m.** join us for a World Day of Prayer worship service at St. Paul's. World Day of Prayer is a global Christian movement celebrated in more than 100 countries. Around the world, Christians from different denominations observe a common day of prayer to demonstrate that prayer and action are inseparable, and both have an immeasurable influence on the world. This year, we're joining in solidarity with women and children in Slovenia, and during the service we will hear about their needs, concerns and struggles. Following the 60-minute service, you're invited to join us for refreshments in the Great Hall.



The Facility will be **CLOSED** Tomorrow, February 18 for Family Day