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# **January 21, 2021**

#### **Coffee Hour**

With the stay-at- home order extended, the sense of isolation and disconnect is growing for many. Consider joining our virtual Coffee Hour on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 11:00 a.m. It is casual and friendly, simply a way to see familiar faces, chat, and remain in touch with fellow parishioners at a time when we are feeling distant. Zoom link here.

### **Book Studies**

**Tuesday, January 26 at 7:00 p.m**. - as a follow up to last week's discussion on Love Lives Here: A Story of Thriving in a Transgender Family by Amanda Jetté Knox we are gathering to share what resources, sites, authors, or advocates we have found who are local and trans through our own research this week. You are welcome to join this discussion even if you were unable to join us last week.

February 1, 8, 15, 22 - Me and White Supremacy

March 8, 15, 22 - Defiant: The Women of Exodus

April 12, 19, & 26 - Unsettling the World: Biblical Experiments in Decolonization

Zoom link here.

# One Thousand Doves

Please consider making a donation toward the Diocesan One Thousand Doves project in support of Refugee Ministries. For more information, click **here**.

### **Collaborative Diocesan Book Study**

A collaborative book study of Richard Rohr's The Universal Christ is being held over six weeks, **Thursdays** from 7-8:30 p.m. February 4, 11, 18, 25 and March 4, 11.

If you are interested, please let Rev. Kerri know and she can connect you with the group organizing the sessions.

## 2020 Income Tax Receipts

2020 Income Tax receipts will be available February.

Please help us save on postage costs by requesting yours be sent to your e-mail.

Requests can be sent to the church office or to <a href="mailto:envsecretary@stjames-manotick.ca">envsecretary@stjames-manotick.ca</a>
Last day for changes or email addresses will be tomorrow, January 22.

**Offertory Envelopes:** The 2021 PAR and WEEKLY envelopes are available. Please contact Sam in the church office to arrange for pick-up.

During the lockdown the Church building and office are **closed**. (Phone messages & e-mails will be monitored when Sam works from home.)

If you have a pastoral emergency, please call me directly at 613-875-4210.

If you have questions or concerns,
I am always available by phone, email or ZOOM.

The Rev. Kerri Brennan