



## ARK! ST. ANDREW'S ANGELS SING

Noah sent the animals two by two into his gigantic ark. The flood story will be re-created under the title of "The Rainbow Express" at St. Andrew's United Church in Georgetown May 8 and 9 at 8 p.m.



Tonight's the night when the "Canada Goose" will lead students of grade four and five at Harrison Public School in dancing and singing about Canada's multicultural heritage. Paul Joyce, as the goose, peeks over the shoulder of the wizard Jason Lambert, while Deanna Russell (left) and the mayor, Danny Lane (right), look on. The short operetta begins at 7:30 p.m. at Harrison school gym.

(Herald photo)

## Letters to the Editor

### Block Parents Care! (and say thanks, too)

To the editor of The Herald:  
The Georgetown Block Parent Committee, in recognition of Volunteer Week, thanks its area captains, seniors and 650 members for their strong support. Our motto is "BLOCK PARENTS CARE" and they have clearly demonstrated, with their

vigilance and concern for the children in our community, that they do!  
Our deep appreciation also to the north Halton school principals, the Halton Regional Police and McDonald's, for their invaluable assistance and encouragement. We are very grateful to our sponsors, Elks Lodge 540, for

their generosity and support.

Our recent Spring Fun Fair and Bazaar raised \$600. These funds will be used for the purchase of signs, school materials, printing costs, stationery supplies, postage, publicity and other program-related costs during the coming year. Our thanks to all who were involved in this event: local businesses for donations and advertising space, local newspapers, school principals for newsletter publicity, University Women's Club, St. Andrew's United Church women, the Elks and our Block Parent donors and volunteers.

Pat Johnston,  
Georgetown.

### NHAMR needs your support

To the editor of The Herald:

Last year, the North Halton Association for the Mentally Retarded budget exceeded \$418,000, over 90 per cent of which was spent in north Halton. A policy of the Association is to apply for tenders on all required services and equipment locally as well as outside the locality.

Where a local business can equal or better an outside bid, we will deal locally. If all local groups had a similar policy this would more than meet the concerns raised in Park Lincoln Mercury's letter of last week concerning the ActiVan.

In closing I would like to solicit the support of Acton and Georgetown readers to our Annual Flowers of Hope fund-raising campaign which begins Sunday (May 10).

Yours sincerely,  
Mike Evans, President,  
North Halton Association  
For the Mentally Retarded.



## HALTON GOSPEL TEMPLE

1 Mile West of Georgetown on Highway 7

PASTOR ANGUS J. NICHOLSON

10:00 a.m. Christian Education Hour

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11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

7:00 p.m. "Indoor Camp Meeting"

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JESUS, HE'S THE ANSWER

## Come to Church

### GEORGETOWN ALLIANCE CHURCH

Sunday, May 10, 1981

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11 a.m.

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Your Church

Everyone Welcome

P. RALPH

877-8816

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### ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH ANGLICAN

Sunday, May 10, 1981

8 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

9 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

Jr. Church & Nursery

11 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST

(East Third & Elm, Sundays)

MATTINS

(East Second & Fox, Sundays)

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Monthly

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### IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Windsor Road at Carole St.

PASTOR: REV. DR.

J.M. DRICKAMER

Sunday, May 10, 1981

8:45 a.m. Church Service

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11 a.m. Church Service

Church of the Lutheran Hour

Halton Hills clergymen attend cancer care workshop

## There's a time to pray, time to listen

By DAVE ROWNEY  
Herald Staff Writer

Pastors have a definite role to play in caring for dying cancer patients, but they have to listen to the patients and their relatives and respond to their needs, Reverend Derrin Brennan of Toronto Western Hospital says.

Rev. Brennan, who came to talk to 26 Halton Hills clergymen last Tuesday, says the ministry must respect the patient and "not give our answers to their problems."

Speaking at St. George's Anglican church in Georgetown during a one-day workshop sponsored by the Halton Hills unit of the cancer society, Rev. Brennan stressed the value of prayer for patients and relatives. He says it is important to have prayer, but you have to have a sixth sense and know when the patient wants to pray.

Prayer should not be forced on a patient when a better time would be more appropriate. Prayer is used, "as a support system, not as a barrier," he says.

Rev. Brennan, who spotted his talk with amusing anecdotes about his experiences, said "you must come across to the

patient as a real person who can cry and laugh."

One story he told concerned an elderly Italian gentleman who had been nursed over a five-year period by the head nurse. The hospital staff were extremely fond of the man and when he died, family members came to see him, "by the dozens". The head nurse finally broke down, burst into tears at the man's bedside, clung to Rev. Brennan - and that was the instant the gentleman's

relatives came through the door. Rev. Brennan was the innocent victim of an embarrassing circumstance.

The family must be given the chance to deal with reality. Therefore it is often a positive step to see the body in the casket rather than postponing the realization that the person is dead, Rev. Brennan says. One of the pastor's basic jobs is to promote communication between the patient and his relatives, he says.

Rev. Brennan's position at Toronto Western Hospital is supervisor of Clinical Pastoral Education and Chaplain to the Palliative Care team. Palliative care is a new concept and is defined by Rev. Brennan as a consultative role or service to ease the suffering to the patient. A palliative care team consists of a doctor, nurse, social worker and clergyman who specialize and work together to fill the different needs of the dying.

"The emerging role of the pastor has grown," Rev. Brennan says.

Georgetown District Memorial Hospital has no staff chaplain. Team ministry is needed more and clergy could be more integrated on the hospital setting, Rev. Brennan feels.

As far as doctors and pastors are concerned, there could be more dialogue and communication between the two groups.

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## Legal clinic seeks directors

Would you like to serve on the board of directors for the Halton Hills Community Legal Clinic?

Legal clinics in Ontario are intended to provide legal services when such services are unavailable from the private bar or through a legal aid certificate. They can provide advice on almost any legal problem and represent those on limited incomes. The staff of the Halton

Hills clinic is composed of a lawyer, a community legal worker and a secretary. The staff is responsible for the day-to-day operation of the clinic, including offering legal advice, representing clients in negotiation or hearings, community education and community outreach and organizing.

The board of directors is composed of 10 members of the community who believe

in the value of the clinic and have volunteered their time once a month to ensure that the clinic meets the needs of the community. The board is responsible for the overall direction of the clinic; it sets general policy, administers the budget, hires the staff and handles the general business of the clinic.

The board currently has openings for four directors. Any resident in Halton Hills

is entitled to stand for a vote on the board or to vote for those who do. Are you interested in serving your community? Would you like to get involved and take this opportunity to help those in need? The Halton Hills Community Legal Clinic is counting on your support. Come to our next meeting next Tuesday (May 12) at 7:30 p.m. at the clinic office, 5 Wesleyan Street in Georgetown.

## Last plaque sold: GLT meets \$30,000 quota

Herald Special

It all went according to the script Saturday night when Coun. Harry Levy bought the final seat plaque in Georgetown Little Theatre's fund-raising campaign for the new Library-Theatre Arts Centre.

Mr. Levy made the formal presentation to Derek Joyes, one of the GLT fund-raising organizers and director of "Bedroom Farce" immediately following the final performance of the show.

Quipped Mr. Joyes: "Harry Levy asked us a long

## TOWN OF HALTON HILLS LIBRARY AND CULTURAL CENTRE

In Memory Harold T. Marshall; Bill, Joan, Ryan and Megan Vincent; Mike, Maureen, Joanne and Sally Burgoyne; Bob, Marie and Michael Simpson; Centennial Middle School - Grades 6, 7 and 8, 1980-81 Classes, Student Council - Georgetown and District High School, Alice

Jepson, Paige Family, Harry and Rosine Levy. Those who had intended to purchase pledges are nevertheless urged to contact John Itoe at 877-2824 since it is possible a similar name-donation campaign will be mounted if there is sufficient support for this method of

fund-raising. Bowling for dollars is not only fun - it pays, as Fred Long, organizer of the Rotary Club of Georgetown's Big Bowl-A-Thon discovered Saturday.

That was the day the 93 bowlers who took part in the club's challenge match to raise

funds for Halton Hills new Library-Cultural Centre were expected to bring in their pledges.

With at least five teams and several individual bowlers still to report, Mr. Long said the one-day event has thus far yielded \$2,100. After expenses are deducted Mr. Long confidently estimates that the new centre will benefit by "well over \$2,000."

Any bowlers who have not yet turned in their pledges are asked to contact Mr. Long at 877-8872.

Presentation of the challenge trophy and other awards will be made at the regular

Rotary meeting May 25.

Story material for "The Further Adventures of Rags" could be forthcoming Saturday when Georgetown Library's pet guinea pig makes her debut in Gordon Alcott Arena. No, the scraggly little bundle of fur, star of "Rags' Story", is not lying on skates! Rather, she will be on hand to autograph her book at the library staff's White Hippo and Big Bake Table at the Giant Garage Sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Proceeds from the story-coloring book, which sells for \$1, and other items will go towards furnishings in the new library.

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