

# Thornhill and District News

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## Confirmation Service Held At Holy Trinity Anglican Church



Thirty-six candidates received the laying-on of hands in a beautiful service of Confirmation held at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Thornhill on April 10, 1960, when the Right Reverend F. H. Wilkinson, Bishop of Toronto, officiated at the solemn ceremony. Among the new Communicants, shown above, from left to right, are: Front row — Susan Rivers, Patricia Elliott, Carolyn Roots, Rev. Wm. E. Askew (Rector of Holy Trinity), Bishop Wilkinson, Janet Jay, Dianne Evans, Sandra Evans, Judith Allen.

Second row — Paul Chapman, Susan Byford, Nancy Tucker, Carolyn Shannon, Wendy Brain, Rev. D. L. Varey, Edith Patte Marilyn Lamb, Helen Banks, Elisabeth Neil, Isobel Graves, Madeline Jarvis. Back row — Kenneth Davis, Warren Davis, David Fisher, George Ackehurst, Brian Mitchell, Paul Panabaker, Richard Darling, Paul Russell, Leslie Brown, Frank Jennings, Lloyd Davis, Terry Aimone, Roderick Dickson.

— photo by Barbour

BRADFORD — This years late runoff from the melting snow may mean a two to three week delay in this years crop in this important market gardening area. Unless farmers get two or three weeks of dry warm weather cultivating and planting will be delayed. This could mean increased costs for the consumer if greater emphasis has to be put on the U. S. market.

## LANGSTAFF NEWS

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### Home & School

Langstaff Home & School Association met April 12 with Mr. Brown of Canadian General Electric as guest speaker. He said that different people in various occupations have conflicting ideas towards education. The doctor is interested in medicine, the saving our lives; the clergy in improving our relationship with each other; the artist in beauty and the philosopher is interested in ideas and concepts. Industry is interested in jobs and money. Companies spend thousands of dollars in scholarships because they realize the value of higher education. The greater your education and the greater your contribution to your work the higher your pay. Industry and parents are both interested in the child. Canada is growing at the rate of one million people every 2 1/2 years with safer lives, easier jobs, more luxuries and more leisure than dreamed of by our forefathers. What role will our children play in the future? Will they spend an eight hour day doing a job they hate or will they do something they can be proud and happy doing? It is up to the parents to coach the child, help him to seek counsel outside his family such as teacher, guidance counsellor, minister or businessman, and to help plan his future, but the child himself must supply the power and driving force to reach his goal. He must be willing to work! Mr. Brown stated democracy will be better than communism only when people are willing to work hard, choose freely and aim high. Mr. Gray then showed an informative movie on the St. Lawrence Seaway, and made interesting booklets available to all present. Donna Lycett, a grade 8 student, thanked the speaker in a poised and pleasing manner. Langstaff Community Association The Langstaff Community Association held an executive meeting at the home of Mr. Thirgood on Wednesday, April 13. Draw tickets for the \$50 bond and tickets for the family fireworks night are now available from any member of the executive. Socials Mr. and Mrs. S. Lunau and family, Roosevelt Drive, left on Thursday for an Easter holiday in Florida. Visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melt Holt over the Easter holidays included Mrs. Albert Edney, Mrs. Ross Smith and

boys of Agincourt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pulford of Weston. Major and Mrs. Thirgood, Ottawa have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. Thirgood, Fairview Avenue, since Thursday, April 14. Mrs. Grace Hunt, Florida, and Dr. and Mrs. Graham Davison, Smiths Falls, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Brodie, Yonge Street, last week. Birthday Greetings Birthday greetings to Bill Roy who celebrated his 15th birthday on April 16. Langstaff Art Club Langstaff Art Club is holding its fourth annual showing of pictures at the Masonic Hall, Thornhill, April 25th, afternoon 2-5 p.m. evenings 7-10.30 p.m. Everybody is cordially invited to visit this showing of local talent. Admission free.

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## Thornhill Notes

**Thornhill Presbyterian Church**  
Recent baptisms at Thornhill Presbyterian Church were those of Ronald Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elgin McKibbin and George Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilgour.  
On April 10th, Palm Sunday, 28 persons joined the church, the largest number to ever join at any one time. Those joining by transfer of membership were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Howse, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. T. Stothers, Mr. and Mrs. T. Blair, Dr. and Mrs. Don Twiss and their children, Jane and Bud, Mrs. R. Kitson, Misses Mina and Isobel Kitson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Wren, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ingils and son Ian, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Collins and Mrs. F. Moffat. Those joining by profession of faith were Mr. John Davidson, Mr. L. Blanchard, Mr. Ron Dewsbury, Miss Louise Clow and Mrs. Dorothy Hunt.  
On Monday night, April 11th, the Fortnighters held an Easter programme which was attended by 35 people. Mrs. Patterson, the president, led the meeting. A choral group, under the direction of Mrs. Mary Boyd sang several beautiful Easter selections. After enjoying some rousing games, led by Mrs. Marg Henderson, the group enjoyed delightful refreshments.  
The Young Adults held a special Easter vesper service on April 17th to which they had invited the Young Life Club. A Bible quiz on the Book of Acts was won by the Young Adults — but by a very close margin. Gerry Easton and Nick Vandermeij sang a duet and a very challenging film was shown entitled "The Glory of the Resurrection."  
Rev. Calvin Chambers spent Holy Week at Massey, Ontario,

where he conducted a Holy Week Mission, sponsored by the Ministerial Association. Massey is near Sudbury, in case you are wondering.  
**Langstaff Art Club To Hold Exhibition**  
An exhibition of approximately 100 paintings, the work of members of the Langstaff Art Club, will be held at the Masonic Hall, 7754 Yonge st. (above the library) on Monday, April 25th from two to five in the afternoon and from seven to ten thirty in the evening. Everyone is welcome and there will be no admission charge. Several Thornhill residents are members of the group and will have pictures on display. Members come from as far afield as Concord, Woodbridge, Richmond Hill, Scarborough and Toronto. The group is under the direction of Mrs. Nell Aston and this is their 4th annual show. Well, if they've kept it up for four years this must be quite a serious group of painters and their work should be well worth seeing.  
**Thornhill United Church**  
Rev. H. R. MacDonald of Thornhill United Church is presently in Bredenburg, Saskatchewan, conducting an Evangelical Mission. Rev. MacDonald worked in the Saskatchewan mission fields as a student and is in Bredenburg at the invitation of his friend there, Rev. George Slater. And in case you are wondering again, Bredenburg is near Yorkton, Sask.  
On Tuesday, April 12th the ladies of Group 4 of the W.A. met at the home of Mrs. B. A. Heslop on Yonge st. while Group 1 met at the home of Mrs. E. C. Radford at 83 Highland Park Blvd. On Friday, April 29th, the ladies of Group 7 will hold their Annual Rummage Sale at Richvale Community Hall.  
On Easter Sunday, Thornhill United Church was very beautifully decorated with flowers, placed by Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bone in loving memory of Mr. Bone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bone.  
At the service on Easter Sunday morning, Rev. MacDonald spoke on the topic "Jesus Christ is Risen." The choir sang many beautiful Easter selections, including the Hallelujah Chorus and the soloist was Mrs. L. E. Clark.  
Next Sunday, April 24th, there will be a reception of new members by transfer and profession of faith and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. At the evening service, a colour science film will be shown entitled "Dust or Destiny."

**Thornhill United Church**  
The attendance at the joint Holy Week Mission held at Holy Trinity was very good and the numbers increased each evening. Rev. Askew conducted the meeting on Wednesday evening and the Holy Trinity choir sang. On Thursday, the Presbyterian Church provided the music and Dr. Minton Johnston of Thornhill Baptist Church presided. On Friday evening the choir of Thornhill United Church sang and Rev. MacDonald presided. The speaker each evening was Rev. Gordon Hunter of Asbury West United Church in Toronto. Rev. Hunter is the son of the late well-known Dr. Crosley Hunter and is a very forceful speaker.

The Easter Sunday services at Holy Trinity were well attended with over 500 persons taking Holy Communion. Next Sunday, April 24th, at the 8 a.m. service a Corporate Communion and breakfast will be held for all those who have been confirmed since Rev. Askew came to Thornhill — over 200 people. At 11 a.m. there will be a Family Service when the children will bring their Lenten Thank Offering boxes.  
**St. Paschal's C.W.L.**  
At the April meeting of St. Paschal's C.W.L. new officers were installed by Rev. V. LoSavio, Director. The executive is: President, Mrs. C. Dalrymple; 1st Vice-president, Mrs. J. T. Briggs; 2nd Vice-president, Mrs. G. Baxter; 3rd Vice-president, Mrs. B. Hall; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. Turcotte; Recording Secretary, Mrs. F. T. Conron; Treasurer, Mrs. M. Jackson.  
A mother and daughter communion breakfast is to be held May 1 at the Four Winds Restaurant with Rev. F. Stone of the Paulist Fathers as guest speaker.  
A display of altar linens were shown, made by the Altar Society, under the sponsorship of Mrs. J. MacMillan and Mrs. H. Slade.  
Mrs. T. Durrant reported the bake sale a huge success and thanked the ladies present. Mrs. J. Cassidy gave out prizes to winners of the marathon bridge and euchre.  
Bridge winners were Mrs. E. Moriarity, Mrs. D. Ramsey, Mrs. E. Martell; euchre winners were Mrs. R. Hall, Mrs. E. Kelly, Mrs. R. Goodeve.  
Mrs. G. W. Marlatt is convening a rummage sale to be held April 23 in the parish hall.  
Rev. V. LoSavio blessed a new C.W.L. banner donated by Mrs. G. W. Marlatt.  
Mrs. J. J. Bulger, outgoing president accepted a gift and cake from the members and Father LoSavio complimented her on a job well done.

## NOTICE TO MARKHAM TOWNSHIP RATEPAYERS

Please take notice that the property located on the north townline, which has been open to you for the dumping of refuse, will be closed until April 30, due to inaccessibility.

H. C. T. Crisp,  
Clerk-Treasurer,  
Township of Markham

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## Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kay



Now residing in Willowdale, the former Jo Anne Jay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jay of Richvale, is seen with her husband, John W. Kay of Markham, as they are about to sign the register in the vestry of Thornhill United Church. The Rev. Hugh MacDonald officiated at the lovely wedding, which was followed by a honeymoon trip to the southern states and Florida. Mr. Kay is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Kay of Huntsville.