

COMING EVENTS

- Feb. 20 - Thursday, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. Leather classes at Old Central School.
- Feb. 20 - Thursday, 8 p.m. Grand River Euchre.
- Feb. 21 & 22 - 8 p.m. at New Central School Gym. The Six Nations Drama Club presents 2 plays. Admission \$1. Students 75¢
- Feb. 23 - Sunday 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. Art classes begin at Ohsweken Old Central School.
- Feb. 24 - Monday, 8 p.m. Bingo! Ohsweken Community Hall. Free admission, \$100 Jack pot. Auspices Merchants.
- Feb. 28 - Friday at 5:30 p.m. Corn soup supper at the Ohsweken Baptist Church. Auspices of the Choir.
- Feb. 28 - 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. Dance at Ohsweken Community Hall, featuring "The New Show of the Station Revue" Admission \$1. Auspices New Credit School.
- Mar. 1 - Saturday 10 a.m. Annual Indian Hockey Tournament at Strathroy, Ontario.
- Mar. 5 - Sour Springs Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. Leah Powless.
- Mar. 7 - Friday, 8 p.m. Women's World Day of Prayer, Ohsweken Baptist Church.

MAGAZINE SECTION

Devotional by Rev. Ken Welch

The Christian is a traveller, looking beyond the events of this world. Today, Ash Wednesday begins the journey of forty days (not counting Sundays) which will bring us to the Empty Tomb on Easter.

With adults and children alike, there is the thought of giving up something for lent. Maybe it's candy, cigarettes, certain foods or perhaps a crash diet. Lent to many means giving up something.

The prophet Joel calls us to "rend your hearts and not your garments" (2:33) Jesus said that a fast should be joyful so that it wouldn't be seen by men, but only by God our Father.

I believe that Lent provides us with a wonderful opportunity not to give up something, but to TAKE UP something extra. Lent does not call us to abandon for a duration, but it calls us to appropriate, that is, to make one's own; for a period of time. What better way can we discover afresh the God of which we proclaim, than by DOING something extra for forty days - spending a few minutes each day in meditation and prayer; attending the fellowship of Christian people at worship on Sunday; spending some time each week with one who is alone, or forgotten, or feels a stranger in our midst? A Jewish Rabbi once said, "Unless you have an hour each day to call your own, you can not expect to be human." How human am I: that is the question each must ask.

O Lord, give me a pure heart - that I may see thee,  
 a humble heart - that I may hear thee,  
 a heart of love - that I may serve thee,  
 a heart of faith - that I may abide in thee. by Dag Hammarskjold

Obituary

GREEN - In the Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital, Burlington, on Tuesday, February 11, 1969, Helen Jamieson of 820 Maple Ave. Burlington, formerly of the Six Nations Reserve, in her 49th year; beloved wife of Winton Green; dear mother of Maurice and Gordon, both of Ohsweken, Mrs. Allan (Joyce) Diabo, Toronto and Lavina of Burlington; sister of John of Alaska, Kenneth of Burlington, Sidney and Mrs. Joseph (Hazel) Hill, both of R2 Ohsweken; also survived by 4 grandchildren. Rested at Styres Funeral Home, Ohsweken, funeral service at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, in the Sour Springs Cayuga Longhouse. Interment in adjoining cemetery.

Births

DAVEY - Acklin and Joyce, Ohsweken, are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Melanie Sue (7 lbs. 4 ozs.) on Tuesday, February 11, 1969, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

HILL - To Mr. & Mrs. Glen Hill (nee Heather Johnson) the gift of a son, Michael (9 lbs. 5 ozs.) on Thursday, Feb. 13, 1969 at the Brantford General Hospital.

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Congratulations to all.