

Pre-Christmas Events

# Carol Sing at Square public to participate

STOUFFVILLE — A town carol sing at the Civic Square on Saturday evening, Dec. 20, is an event residents should endeavor to attend. It's one of several "happenings" in Stouffville, organized by the Chamber of Commerce. The schedule follows: SAT., DEC. 13 - Children's movies at the Public Library, 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Free admission. Santa will call at 10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Photos will be taken with candy canes for everyone. A second merchants' draw will take place at 6 p.m. MON., DEC. 15 - The Silver Jubilee Club is holding its annual Christmas Concert at 7:30 p.m. All senior citizens in the area are invited. SAT., DEC. 20 - Children's movies at the Library, 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Free admission. Santa will call at 10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Photos will be taken with candy canes for everyone. A third merchants' draw will take place at 6 p.m. The town carol sing, led by the choir of Christ Church Anglican, will take place in the Civic Square (Clock Tower), beginning at 7 p.m. Hot chocolate will be served on location. FRI., DEC. 26 - A family skating party, organized by the Stouffville Amateur Hockey League, will be held at the Arena from 1 to 4 p.m.

## Many events

WHITCHURCH — The majority of churches in Whitchurch-Stouffville are extremely busy during this time of year and Springvale Baptist on the Stouffville-Gormley Road at the 6th Concession is no exception.

Some of the events scheduled for the weeks ahead follow: On Friday, Dec. 19 at 7:15 p.m., the choir will present a Christmas Cantata in Stouffville's Parkview Home.

On Saturday, Dec. 20 at 6:15 p.m., the Skyforce children will participate in an evening of carolling.

A theme "The Messiah Comes" will be carried through on Sunday, Dec. 21 when the Sunday School holds its Christmas program beginning at 10:30 a.m. At 7 p.m., the choir will present a cantata entitled "First Christmas". Later, a time of fellowship will be enjoyed.

On Christmas Eve, a Family Carol Service is planned, starting at seven o'clock.

A Watch-Night worship will be held New Year's Eve, beginning at 8 p.m.

Members of the Springvale congregation are planning a Family Winter Retreat from Jan. 16 to 18 at the Muskoka Baptist Conference. The guest speaker at this event is Dr. Roy Lawson. For additional information, the numbers to call are 887-5651 or 640-4871.

## Dies suddenly

UNIONVILLE — Glenn Kennedy, well-known Unionville chiropractor and sports promoter, died suddenly, Tuesday night, while watching a Jr. hockey game in Hamilton. Mouth-to-mouth resuscitation was applied on location without success.

## Church Services

**STOUFFVILLE FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST**  
Main-O'Brien  
Rev. D.C. Payne Pastor  
649-3156  
9:50 a.m. - Bible School  
11 a.m. - Worship - "God Came Down in a Body"  
7 p.m. - Hour of Praise - "The Busy Month of December"  
Wed. 8 p.m. - Prayer & Bible Study  
Fri. - Youth Night  
Phone for information.  
ALL WELCOME

**ST. MARK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH STOUFFVILLE**  
Pastor - Rev. J. Adams  
640-6665  
**SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE**  
Saturday evening 5 p.m.  
Sunday - 10:30 a.m.  
Held in St. Mark's School - Elm Road.

**ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
101 Main St. E.  
640-4195

Coming Christmas Services:  
Sat. Dec. 13 at 7 p.m. Christmas Pageant  
Sun. Dec. 14 Worship at 10 a.m. "A Prayer for Vision"  
Sun. Dec. 21 at 7 p.m. Candlelight Carol Service  
Wed. Dec. 24 at 6:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Worship followed by Communion  
A special invitation is extended to you for any of these special services.  
A Friendly Growing Church Family

**GORMLEY MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
Rev. Ed Sparks  
Pastor  
887-9325  
9:50 a.m. - Sunday School  
11 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. Worship - Music by Mr. & Mrs. Dave Deeks, Toronto.  
A CONGREGATION THAT CARES

**STOUFFVILLE MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
159 Main Street West  
640-3911  
Sunday, Dec. 14, 1980  
9:45 a.m. - Family Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - "Developing A Good Self Image"  
7:00 p.m. - Annual Sunday School Christmas Program & White Gift Service  
Wed. 7:00 p.m. - Christian Service Brigade & Pioneer Girls  
Wed. 7:30 p.m. - Prayer & Bible Study Hour  
Thurs. 7:00 p.m. - Battalion Christian Service Brigade at Summitview School

**SPRINGVALE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Gormley-Stouffville Rd. At 6th Conc. (Kennedy Rd.)  
Rev. Tom Hamilton  
Sunday, Dec. 14, 1980  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11 a.m. - Worship message "Who is this Jesus?"  
7 p.m. - Message "Bethlehem - The little town of big importance"  
Wed. 7 p.m. - Family Night & Skyforce

**MCCORMACK MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
PASTOR: REV. W. GAWA  
Vivian Rd.  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - "The Virgin"  
7:30 p.m. - "The Fool"  
No 48  
Sunday December 21  
7:00 p.m. - Christmas Concert  
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**CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN**  
254 Sunset Blvd.  
Rev. Philip Poole  
640-1461  
Sun. Dec. 14, 1980  
ADVENT III  
8 a.m. - Holy Communion  
9:30 a.m. - Matins  
Church School  
Nursery  
Youth Bible Study following Service  
6:00 p.m. - CANDLELIGHT SERVICE OF NINE LESSONS WITH CAROLS  
Sat. Dec. 13, 1:30 p.m. Children's Christmas Party  
Wed. Dec. 17, 10 a.m. Holy Communion and Laying on of Hands  
"HE COMES, THE SAVIOUR COMES!"

**MEMORIAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. J. Small  
Main-Stouffer  
Dec. 14, 1980  
10 a.m. - Sunday School  
11 a.m. - Worship  
7 p.m. Fellowship  
Weekly Youth Program  
Information 640-3257

**STOUFFVILLE UNITED CHURCH**  
34 Church St. N.  
Chaplain Joyce Lockhart  
Interim Minister  
December 14, 1980  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship - Lighting of the Third Advent Candle  
Infants Nursery Kindergarten, Primary, Junior & Intermediate Sunday School Classes.  
YOU WILL BE WELCOME

**BLOOMINGTON CHRISTIAN GOSPEL CHURCH**  
Rev. C.W. Sorley  
Pastor  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Devotional Service  
7:00 p.m. - Gospel Service  
Wed. 8 p.m. - Prayer Meeting  
Fri. 7:30 p.m. - Young People's



Mr. and Mrs. Keith Acton are pictured here following their marriage in Stouffville United Church. The bride is the former Susan Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denton Smith, Stouffville. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Acton, also of Stouffville and a first-year star with the Montreal Canadiens in the N.H.L. George Ross Studio

### Keith and Susan Acton

## Town couple married

STOUFFVILLE — Stouffville United Church was the setting for the marriage of Susan Lorrie Smith to Keith Edward Acton, both of Stouffville, August 30, 1980.

Rev. James Carter officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denton Smith, 18 Charles Street, Stouffville. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Acton, 159 Burkholder Street, Stouffville.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked lovely in a white gown of English net lace. Her matching veil was edged with baby's breath.

Joanne Smith, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. Sandra Blizard of Stouffville was the bridesmaid.

Doug Feasby of Stouffville was the groom's best man. Ushers were Kevin Acton, brother of the groom; Ken and Barry Smith, brothers of the bride.

The reception followed at Rolling Hills Golf and Country Club where Mr. Art Cooper served as master of ceremonies.

Following a honeymoon trip to Deerhurst Lodge in Haliburton, the happy couple have taken up residence in Montreal, Quebec.



YOU DON'T HAVE TO SHOUT MERRY CHRISTMAS.

1. If you decorate your house with Christmas lights, keep it simple. Too much of a good thing is a waste of electricity.
2. Turn your Christmas display on after 7 p.m., when the demand for electricity is lighter. And please, remember to switch it off at bedtime.
3. A happy Christmas is a safe Christmas. Discard old lights that show wear or damage and make sure lights are marked C.S.A. (Canadian Standards Association) for safety.

OUR BEST WISH - DON'T WASTE YOUR ENERGY. USE IT WISELY.



### Missionary Church

## Officers selected for the year ahead

STOUFFVILLE — Stouffville Missionary Church has appointed its officials for the coming year.

Officers will be filled by the following: Church Secretary - Louie Hoover; Treasurer - Reg Stouffer; Deacons - Gordon Brown, Floyd Rodin; Stewards - George Byer, Lester Eby, Robert McDowell, George Timbers, Ken Wideman; Trustees -

John Gilham, George Timbers, Willard Moyer; Ushers - Cordie Chong, Don Doner, Ron Hamilton, Owen Heise, Herb Hoover, Campbell Howie, Ken Leonard, Keith Lewis, Chic Minaker, Joe Palmer, Ron. Shantz, George Timbers, Ken Wideman; Sunday School Superintendent - Harold Knights; Asst. Sunday School Superintendent -

Bob Stover; Pianist - Louise Leonard; Asst. Pianist - Christine McDowell; Organist - Shirley Ohlman; Asst. Organist - Shirley Gilham; Song Leader - Bert Stouffer; Asst. Song Leader - Cordie Chong; Music Convener - Barbara Wideman; Asst. Music Convener - Carolyn Brown; Sunday School Directors - Sigrid Ianuzzo and Dale Rae.

### Melville Church

## Family service

MELVILLE — A unique Christmas service is planned for Melville United Church, Kennedy Road, RR 1, Unionville, Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Three sisters and their children will take part including Betty

Brown and Jason, RR 1, Unionville, Margaret Murphy, Brent, Nicole, Tyler and Megan, Pomander Road, Unionville and Patricia Moss, Karry and Lisa, Carlton Road, Unionville. The families will be

accompanied by Brian Murphy on guitar. Mr. Murphy will also serve as master of ceremonies. The Christmas story will be told by Rev. Gordon Hunter, Melville pastor.



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