

SAMPLE NEWSLETTER ARTICLE FOR LOOSE OFFERING SUNDAY

Our congregation/parish has served with Inner City Pastoral Ministry for a number of years, providing volunteers and food for the Sunday lunch program at the Bissell Centre in the inner city. This has been a rewarding experience for our volunteers as they have the opportunity to worship with and serve the community on those Sundays. We have received a new opportunity to support the important ministry of ICPM - by designating to ICPM the loose offering given at worship on Sunday, <>, 2019, which is the Sunday when our volunteers will be at the Centre serving the lunch meal. Admittedly, our usual loose offering on any given Sunday is not a large amount. We are therefore inviting all members who would normally give their offering by envelope or by PAR to bring some change or a loonie or toonie, or a \$5.00 bill (or greater!) or whatever you feel blessed to be able to give, and to put it in the offering plate on that Sunday. This will provide all of us that stay behind on that Sunday with an opportunity to be just as much a part of the ICPM ministry on that day as those who are serving directly at the Bissell Centre. Please note that Church Council has given this initiative its full support and approval.

We look forward to making Sunday, <> a day of great celebration and support for the ministry of ICPM!

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Your ICPM Coordinator