

Catch the Spirit News

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Special points of interest:

- A GREAT Steak BBQ and Auction
- The Wardens Report highlights the service of so many.
- A Former Parishioner is now a deacon.
- Who is Wenceslas anyway?

8th Annual Auction a Great Success



On November 25, 2007 over 225 people attended our 8th Annual Steak BBQ and Auction. Held at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Emeryville, this was a great night. The dinner as usual was superb and the number of items for auction amazing. The selection of items was terrific.

Our Speaker was local Hockey Hero Tommy Williams. The evening was emceed by Tony Doucette from the CBC. It was an entertaining evening and thanks to the hard work of so many it was a very successful evening.

We offer our thanks to all who assisted including Mark and Sally Charlton, John and Jean Anderson. Stacey Adams, Scott Shields, Lynne and Dave Hornby, Stewart and Thea Dawson, Kevin Miller, Bud Piercell, Bob Cooper, Catherinanne George, and of course to Rob Agnew and the Circle of 7 and to all who donated items for auction.

Our Efforts paid off—this event grossed nearly \$20 000. Congratulations to all concerned.

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Essex Singers Perform a Christmas Concert

December 9th saw a special performance of the Essex Singers. The Concert which was held at St. Mark's in West Windsor was a great night out indeed. This group of singers offer "a cappella" music that is tremendous. Among the talent in that group is our own Christian Paulton. As we have grown accustomed to his talent, we were not surprised at the calibre of the Essex Singers, as we know that any group of which is he a member would be marvellous. Each and every member of that group was so impressive. They performed for the better part of an hour and a half and it was magic. The proceeds of the evening



events will go jointly to St. Mark's by-the-Lake and St. Mark's - Windsor and we offer our thanks to Sue Paulton and the people of St. Mark's for hosting this great event and including us in it. The wardens and the parishioners of this parish say thank you to Christian and to the Essex Singers for a great night.