

Update from All Saints' **Email to the Parish from The Venerable Christopher Dunn**

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Today marks the 75th Anniversary of the end of World War Two in Europe; commonly called **VE day**. I wonder, what they will call the day that we conquer Covid-19? The problem I suppose is that there may not be a clear day of "victory". We hold out hope that there is light at the end of this challenge that we face. For now, we continue to do our part, by isolating, by staying well our selves, and by praying.

So for tonight I give you the latest in the **Puppet Story** segments. Yes, a little silliness to brighten your day, but hopefully a message of God's care. Check it out on our Parish Website along with all the other ones, or on the Parish Facebook page at this

link: <https://www.facebook.com/allsaintswestboro/videos/713172892783061/>

Notice that I have not said anything about the snow today; they tell us that every three years Ottawa gets snow in May. So this morning Blanche calls me to the window at the back of the house. She is looking at the activity below our bird feeders. Blanche says, "Is that a skunk under the feeder?" I took a look, "No dear, that is a squirrel that has been feeding there so long that the snow has piled up on its tail -- that is a **stinky squirrel!**"

Tonight's prayer:

"Maker and Sustainer of all things, Source of all life and goodness, help us always to love and serve one another, and to worship you with joy and gladness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen"

Have a quiet, and skunk free, weekend

Chris