

St. David's Church Announcements for Sunday, January 29th

Church Office Hours: The church office is generally open from **9 am to 1 pm** weekdays with the exception of statutory holidays.

For pastoral care or to contact the Minister, please phone 699-3661. You can always leave a message on the church's phone number (722-2382) or email us at stdavids@nfld.com

The sole email address we are using to accept donations is through stdavidsnfld@gmail.com . It is linked to our bank account and automatically accepts all donations.

Please visit the Presbyterian Church in Canada website for the Mission Moment, Prayer Partnership and many other interesting and useful topics

WA Meeting

The first meeting of the WA in 2023 will be held this coming Tuesday, January 31st at 12:00 noon, in the Armour Room. A light lunch will be served.

PWS&D Sunday, February 5

Please make a note on your calendar that next Sunday is PWS&D Sunday and following the service the Minister will be hosting a chili lunch ~ complete with corn bread.. with ice cream for dessert!!!!

Sunday School

If you would like to find out what is involved to assist with Sunday School, please contact Heather at the church office or Sue Templeton anytime ... Or, please join us one Sunday as our guest to observe the children's program in action! Our sign up sheet for the New Year has been posted! Please sign up for any Sunday that will work for you. It is appreciated. Thank you!

Food For Thought

The Food for Thought fellowship, prayer, and discussion group for young adults holds weekly meetings by Zoom. For information contact Ernst Rollmann at ernstrollmann12@gmail.com.

Bible Study

Our long standing Bible Study, under the guidance of Sheena Findlay, has resumed for 2023 and we are trying something new, "Sandwich and Scriptures"! Bible Study meets in the Armour Room on Wednesdays at 12:30 pm ~ so bring your lunch and we will make the tea (or coffee!). This session's topic; "Daily relationships: Navigating the day to day. Where do we look in the Bible?"

Women's Bible Study

Generally this Study Group meets Friday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30pm in the Armour Room. For information please contact Christina Shalaby at 709-770-0217 or email: christinashalaby@outlook.com

Good Companions

If you would like to try your hand at carpet-bowling, join a game of Bridge or 120's, maybe a friendly game of scrabble ... please join us on Thursday afternoons **from 2:00 to 4:00pm** in the Church Hall and Armour Room. Call Heather in the office at 722-2382 and she will put you on the list of attendees ~ we look forward to welcoming you back!

Re-cycling

Reduce Reuse Recycle! Yes, St. David's still has an account with Evergreen Recycling! If you would like to donate the proceeds of your recyclables, just enter the Church phone number 722-2382 when you are making a drop-off. Our account will automatically be credited.

Bridges to Hope

"Flyer specials" this week on items useful to Bridges To Hope:

Clover Leaf Tuna at Walmart - \$0.97

Heinz Tomato Soup at Colemans - \$0.99

Cheez Whiz at Lawtons – \$3.47

Jacob's Cream Crackers at Pipers – 3/\$5.00

As demand on our services continues to rise, we are looking for volunteers to join our team. The available shifts are:

- Tuesday, 10am-1pm

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Duties include packing food hampers, stocking shelves, and other prep tasks. If you are interested in joining the team, please fill out the application form at <https://www.bridgestohope.ca/volunteer>

If your business, school, or group would like to host a food drive in support of our pantry, please reach out to us at info@bridgestohope.ca

How to reach us:

Minister: Rev. David Sturtevant – Cell phone: 699-3661

Music Director: Brian Way

Church Administrator: Heather Steele Morrissey

Church Office: (709) 722-2382 Monday – Friday 9:00 to 1:00

Church email: stdavids@nfld.com

Facebook page: <http://www.facebook.com/stdavidsstjohns>

Groups:

Women's Auxiliary – Lillian Crawford

Good Companions (Seniors) – call Heather in the office

Bible Study Group – Sheena Findlay

Atlantic Mission Society – Kathy McKay

Session – Lillian Crawford

Prayer Shawl (Knitters) – Bouwina Fogwill

Food For Thought – Ernst Rollmann

Women's Bible Study – Christina Shalaby

Session: the elders are:

Lillian Crawford Sue Templeton

Janet Calver Kathy McKay Tanya Shalaby

Penny Gillies Steve Bruneau Ian Bruneau

Aubrey Bonnell Eleanor Bonnell Jenny Griffioen

Jennifer Waterman Ed Vanderkloet

Treasurer: Anne Calver

Envelope Secretary: Ian Bruneau