

## **St. David's Church Announcements for Sunday, Dec 3rd, 2023**

**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** ~ Please contact our minister, Rev David Sturtevant at 709-699-3661.

**The sole email address we are using to accept donations is [stdavidsnfld@gmail.com](mailto:stdavidsnfld@gmail.com) . It is linked to our bank account and automatically accepts all donations.**

## **Here are some dates & events to make note of on your calendar:**

### **Sunday School**

This week we are molding clay but remember God is the potter and we are the clay.

### **AMS**

The month of November was dedicated to collecting "lovingly used" Winter Coats... we would like to thank all who so generously supported this endeavour.

### **AMS Meeting**

Our December meeting will held today after the service in the Armour Room. It will be a joint meeting with the AMS members of St. Andrew's (the Kirk). A light lunch will be served ~ please do join us!

### **Prayer Shawl Ministry/Knitters**

The Prayer Shawl Knitters will be holding their next monthly meeting on **Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am in the Armour Room**. No knitting experience is required ~ please join us for a friendly and fun group for a morning of knitting and fellowship.

**The Bible Study Group has adjourned for December ~ and will resume in January 2024. The start date will be announced. Thank you!**

## **Pickleball games for our congregation**

The fall pickleball for the members of our congregation take place every **Wednesday afternoon**

## **Good Companions**

The Good Companions is a seniors group that meets once a week in the church hall and Armour Room to share in some activities. If you would like to try your hand at carpet bowling, join a game of bridge or 120's or maybe a friendly game of Scrabble, please join us on Thursday afternoons from 2 pm to 4 pm. All are welcome! **Our next meeting is: Thurs., Dec 7<sup>th</sup> from 2 to 4pm**

## **Bridges to Hope:**

Weekly "Flyer" Specials – Useful items for Bridges To Hope – Dec. 7 - 13, 23

|             |  |
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| Sobeys -    | Catelli Pasta – 2/\$3.00                 |
|             | Kraft Peanut Butter - \$5.77             |
| No Frills - | Lantic Sugar - \$1.99                    |
|             | Dole Pineapple - \$1.29                  |
| Dominion -  | No Name Evaporated Milk - \$0.99 **      |
| Walmart -   | Herbal Essence Shampoo - \$2.96          |
| Colemans -  | Favorite Pieces & Stems Mushrooms \$0.99 |

\*\* With PC Optimum card

Bridges To Hope are asking their partner churches to contribute a specific item each month and the item for **DECEMBER** is **Canned Meat**. Other non-perishable food items are always welcome and appreciated!

**Bridges To Hope** are also in need of cat food (hard & soft). They don't need dog food as they have a steady supply from the Doghouse store downtown.

## St. David's Upcoming Events and Notices

### CHRISTMAS HAMPERS 2023

Preparations are well underway for Christmas Hampers . . but **help** is still needed!

**Here's how you can help:**

- Make a monetary donation ... just indicate that donation is for "Christmas Hampers"
- Donate a gift card ... can be used to purchase food items for hampers
- Donate non-perishable food item(s) ... see Hamper contents below for suggestions
- Volunteer to deliver a hamper or two ... **NEED 15-20 DELIVERY PEOPLE THIS YEAR!**

**Each Hamper has a value of approximately \$100 and contains . . . .**

*Turkey (10-12 lb.) \*\**

*Vegetables - Cabbage, Carrot, Turnip, Potatoes \*\**

*Flour (2.5 kg)–*

*Sugar (2 kg)*

*Onions (2-3 lb.)*

*Oranges (3-5 lb.)*

*Apples (3-5 lb.)*

*Tuna (170 g tin)*

*Green Peas (tin)*

*Corn (tin)*

*Evaporated Milk (tin)*

*Cheese Whiz*

*Peanut Butter*

*Juice (1 Litre)*

*Milk (2L 2%)*

*Cranberry sauce (tin)*

*Cereal (Box)*

*Teabags (72/144)*

*Coffee (Instant)*

*Margarine (454 g)*

*Eggs (1 dozen) \*\**

*Bread (1 loaf white)*

*Bread (1 loaf w/wheat)*

*Bread Crumbs (1 pkg.)*

*Savoury (18 g)*

*Cheese (block)*

*Crackers*

*Cookies*

*Beans (tin)*

**N.B. An item with a strikethrough indicates that we already have enough of that item for forty (40) hampers – our initial goal. We will do more if funds permit!**

**\*\* These items are usually provided by Community Food Sharing Association.**

**DELIVERY DATE: DECEMBER 20,2023**

Two persons required for each delivery - Hampers are heavy!

**Further info/questions?**

Please contact: Lillian Crawford (754-2362/691-3057)

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## How to reach us

**Minister:** Re. David Sturtevant – Cell 709-699-3661

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**Church Email:** [stdavids@nfld.com](mailto:stdavids@nfld.com)

**Women's Auxiliary:** Lillian Crawford

**Good Companions (Seniors):** Call Heather in the Office

**Bible Study:** Sheena Findlay

**Atlantic Mission Society:** Kathy McKay & Penny Gillies

**Prayer Shawl (Knitters):** Bouwina Fogwill

**Food For Thought:** Ernst Rollmann

**Session:** Lillian Crawford (Clerk)

### **Session:**

Lillian Crawford      Sue Templeton      Ken Templeton

Janet Calver      Aubrey Bonnell      Tanya Shalaby

Penny Gillies      Eleanor Bonnell      Jenny Griffioen

Kathy McKay      Steve Bruneau      Jennifer Waterman

Ian Bruneau      Ed Vanderkloet

**Treasurer:** Anne Calver

**Envelope Secretary:** Ian Bruneau

### **Board of Managers:**

Ken Templeton      Anne Calver      Jill Bruneau      Barbara Ellis

Heather Steele Morrissey      Nnenna Odide Offia      Keegan Allen