

St. David's Church Announcements for Sunday, Feb 9th 2025

Church Office Hours:

Tuesday thru Friday from 9am to 1pm. Please call 709-722-2382 OR email us: stdavids@nfld.com ~ Messages will be checked regularly.

For pastoral care ~ Please contact Rev. David Sturtevant at 709-699-3661

The sole email address we are using to accept donations is:

stdavidsnfld@gmail.com . It is linked to our bank account and automatically accepts all donations.

St. David's Upcoming Events and Notices:

AMS:

The AMS will meet today, **Sunday, February 9th, after Worship** in the Armour Room. Refreshments are provided and everyone is most welcome. We have lots of discussion around mission and much laughter. Hope to see you there!

Sunday School:

As we think of Joseph choosing to forgive his brothers, this week in Bible Study we will study the radical new way of understanding life that Jesus proclaims in the Beatitudes of Matthew 5. Come join us for Bible study, no biblical experience is required, questions are welcomed, and newcomers are warmly appreciated!

Creche/Playroom:

We have an unsupervised Creche/playroom for Families to use. This space is available to use anytime and during the worship service.

Though please be reminded that it is unsupervised.

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Next Bible Study: **Wed, Feb 12th, 2025 at 12:30pm**

Pickle Ball games for our congregation:

This lively group meets every **Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4 pm**. If you'd like more information, or if you would like to get some education on the rules and instruction on how to play, please contact the office. **Next meet: February 12th**

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 or join a game of bridge... Please join us on **Thursday afternoons from 2 to 4 pm**. All are welcome! **Next date for GC: February 13th**

Board of Managers:

The BOM are looking for new members. If you think that you might be interested in being part of the Board, we would love to hear from you. Maybe consider attending one of the monthly meetings to see what we are all about. You would be most welcome!

BRIDGES TO HOPE : Weekly "Flyer" Specials – Feb. 6 - 12, 2025 - Items helpful for food hampers:

Walmart -	Campbell's Soups - \$0.77
	Cheez Whiz - \$3.97
No Frills -	Heinz Beans or Pasta - \$0.99
	Meat Balls and Gravy - \$2.00

Shoppers Drug Mart – Colgate Toothpaste/Toothbrush - \$0.99

The suggested item(s) for **February 2025**, especially useful for Bridges To Hope – **Juice – 1 Litre**. Other non-perishable food items are always welcome and appreciated. While Bridges to Hope always has an ample supply of dog food, **they have a shortage of cat food**. Your help in this area would be appreciated too.

Bridges to Hope – January 2025 Update:

667 food hampers were distributed to 1,426 people - which included 84 seniors and 449 children. For the BTH newsletter, go to <https://bridgestohope.ca> and choose “About Us”, and then the “Newsletter” to see their latest newsletter.

Condolences – Mary Holloway, January 26, 2025

Condolences to the Holloway and Hudson families on the unexpected passing of Mary Holloway on January 26, 2025. The sympathy of the congregation goes to Michele (Holloway) and Geoff Hudson and Sylvia and Dave Hudson and their families. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. For the full obituary, please check Barrett’s website, www.barretts.ca

Condolences – Miles McKeegin, January 31, 2025

Condolences to Sarah (McKeegin) King and her family, on the passing of her father, Miles McKeegin on January 31, 2025. Miles, was 71, and passed away peacefully at the Residential Hospice of Grey Bruce (Owen Sound, Ontario). A memorial service was held for Miles at St. Andrew’s Presbyterian Church, Owen Sound on February 7, 2025. Memorial donations to OSHaRE (<https://oshare.ca/>) or Safe ‘N’ Sound (<https://www.safesoundgreybruce.ca>) would be appreciated. For more information please visit the online memorial at www.woodfuneralhome.ca

The sympathy of our congregation is extended to Sarah and her family and our thoughts and prayers are with them at this time.

How to reach us:

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Good Companions (Seniors): Call Heather in the Office

Bible Study: Rev. David Sturtevant

Atlantic Mission Society: Kathy McKay & Penny Gillies

Prayer Shawl (Knitters): Lillian Crawford

Session: Lillian Crawford (Clerk)

Sue Templeton Ken Templeton Janet Calver

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Jenny Griffioen Kathy McKay Steve Bruneau

Jennifer Waterman Ian Bruneau Ed Vanderkloet

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