St. David's Church Announcements for Sunday, Mar 16 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: <u>stdavidsnfld@gmail.com</u>. It is linked to our bank account and automatically accepts all donations.

St. David's Upcoming Events and Notices:

Communicants Classes:

In concert with our brothers and sisters at St. Andrew's church, St. David's is holding a **Communicants class** for people interested in claiming their own faith and becoming voting members of the church.

Classes continue this Sunday, March 16th at 1 PM - with a lunch in the Armour Room. Please note in your calendar the last two Sunday class dates are: March 23 & 30. Thank you!

Sunday School:

Sunday School is a fun and active group that meet part way through the Sunday Service following the Children's hymn and sermon. They have a Bible study lesson, enjoy craft-time, sing songs and so much more! Please join us and see for yourself!

No Sunday School this week ~ but will resume Sunday, March 23rd. If you are able to volunteer please sign the sheet on the Sunday School bulletin board in the Hall. Thank you.

Creche/Playroom:

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

Session Meeting on Tuesday, March 18th in the Armour room at 7:30pm

Bible Study:

This week at **Bible Study**, we will be studying more of how Jesus points us to the heart of the Law as we take a longer look at some of his example in the sermon on the mount. Come join us on **Wednesday at 12:30 pm.** All are welcome, no experience required! **Next Bible Study: March 19th**

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 would like to get some education on the rules and instruction on how to play, please contact the office. **Next meet: March 19th**

Futures Committee meeting on Wed, Mar 19th in the Armour room 7pm

Good Companions:

The annual Good Companions St. Paddy's Day lunch will be served on Thursday, March 20th!!! Please plan to arrive around 12noon as lunch will be served at 12:30... regular afternoon activities will follow. ^(C)

Contemporary Service

This service features contemporary gospel music – with our brilliant Music Director, Brian Way and the accomplished Jacob Slous.

Contemporary Services are usually scheduled for the last Sunday of every month and we hope you will join us for this lively Sunday Worship!

The next Contemporary Service will be next Sunday, March 23rd, 2025

News from the Pews - Newsletter

Our next once-a-month, Newsletter will be emailed to the Congregation in early April 2025. We would love to read your stories and see your pictures, hear about special events, a holiday-trip, a treasured pastime and maybe share a favourite recipe!! We are interested in any of the ways you would like to stay in touch and connect with each other. Send your stories to:stdavids@nfld.com Thank you!

BRIDGES TO HOPE :

Weekly "Flyer" Specials – March 13 – 19, 2025 - Items helpful for food hampers:	
Lawtons	Heinz Beans or Pasta - \$1.29 *
Sobeys	Sugar - \$1.99 *
Shoppers Drug Mart - Colgate Toothpaste - \$0.99	
No Frills -	Sugar - \$1.99
	Graves Apple Juice - \$0.88

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The suggested item(s) for **March 2025**, especially useful for Bridges To Hope – **Canned Beans**. 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 – February 2025 Update:

558 food hampers were distributed to 1,152 people - which included 84 seniors and 330 children. For the BTH newsletter, go to https:// bridgestohope.ca and choose "About Us", and then the "Newsletter" to see their latest newsletter.

How to reach us:

Minister: Rev. David Sturtevant – Cell. 709-699-3661 Music Director: Brian Way Administrator: Heather Steele Morrissey **Church Office**: 709-722-2382 Church Email: stdavids@nfld.com Women's Auxiliary: Lillian Crawford 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 **Aubrey Bonnell** Penny Gillies **Eleanor Bonnell** Jenny Griffioen Kathy McKay Steve Bruneau Jennifer Waterman lan Bruneau Ed Vanderkloet

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