

St. David's Church Announcements for May 25 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.

The office will be closed Tuesday, May 27 & Wednesday, May 28th

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:

This morning is our last Contemporary Music Service until the Fall. We would like to extend our thanks and appreciation to all of the musicians that have accompanied our music director, Brian Way, to support this very important part of our Music Ministry.

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!

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

The AMS NL Presbyterial AGM:

The AMS Presbyterial takes place **at St Andrew's on Tuesday May 27th at 2pm.** Doug Pawson, Executive Director from End to Homelessness in St John's is the

guest speaker followed by a short presentation from Lynn Allen, who is visiting from St Matthew's in Grand Falls. Annual reports and a business meeting will follow. Supper will be served and everyone is very welcome to attend.

Bible Study:

This week at **Bible Study**, we will be studying more of how Jesus calls us to accept a sacrificial role in the world as we take a longer look at some of his examples in the sermon on the mount. All are welcome, no experience required!

Next Bible Study: no Bible Study until Wed., June 4th

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: May 28th**

Good Companions: The **Good Companions** is a seniors group that meet 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 GC: May 29th**

Music in the Hall:

Music in the Hall Concert Series ~ featuring two of our province's finest artists, Fergus O'Byrne and Jim Payne.

Please join us on **Saturday, June 7th at 8pm** in the Hall, for a Celebration of Traditional Music. Accompanied by Brian Way, this promises to be a wonderful evening of Music!

CONCERT TICKETS \$25pp – AND ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT THE OFFICE – PLEASE CALL **OR EMAIL TO RESERVE – 709-722-2382 **OR****

musicinthehall250@gmail.com (This is also the new email for e-transfers.) THANK YOU!

***Very soon we will be announcing ALL of the Musicians and dates in our Third Season Line-up... Stay Tuned!!**

BRIDGES TO HOPE:

Weekly "Flyer" Specials May 22 - 28, 2025 - Items helpful for food hampers:

Walmart - Hereford Corned Beef - \$2.97

No Frills - Clark's Beans - \$1.00

The suggested item(s) for **May 2025**, especially useful for Bridges To Hope – **Kraft Dinner**. Other non-perishable food items are always welcome and appreciated! 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 – April 2025 Update:

683 food hampers were distributed to 1,417 people - which included 125 seniors and 442 children. For the BTH newsletter, go to <https://bridgestohope.ca> and choose "About Us", and then the "Newsletter" to see their latest newsletter.

News from the Pews - Newsletter

Our next once-a-month, Newsletter will be emailed to the Congregation in early June 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!** 😊

How to reach us:

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Music Director: Brian Way

Administrator: Heather Steele Morrissey

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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	Ian Bruneau	Ed Vanderkloet

Envelope Secretary: Ian Bruneau

Treasurer: Anne Calver

Board of Managers: Jill Bruneau, Anne Calver, Nnenna Odide Offia,
Heather Steele Morrissey, Lisa Dooley, Debbie Wells, Aldrin Gain