

## **St. David's Church Announcements for June 8 2025**

### **Church Office Hours:**

Tuesday thru Friday from 9am to 1pm. Please call 709-722-2382 OR email us: [stdavids@nfld.com](mailto: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](mailto:stdavidsnfld@gmail.com) . It is linked to our bank account and automatically accepts all donations.

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## **St. David's Upcoming Events and Notices;**

### **Dates in June:**

- \* Session will meet Tuesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm
- \* Futures will meet Wed., June 11<sup>th</sup> at 7pm
- \* Board of Managers will meet Wed., June 18<sup>th</sup> at 7pm
- \* Holy Communion will be celebrated on Sunday, June 22nd

### **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 & St. David's Sunday School:**

As part of its Food Hamper program, Bridges to Hope includes "School Kits" for families with children ages 5-17. These are meant to supplement the Breakfast

and School Lunch Programs. **These programs are not available during the summer months when School is out!**

So, to assist in filling the gap, St. David's Sunday School and AMS are preparing "Breakfast Bags". As recommended by the Dietician at Bridges To Hope, each "bag" will contain:

4 Juice Boxes	2 Instant Oatmeal packets
2 Granola Bars	2 Fruit Cups
4 Cheese Strings	2 pieces of fruit (apple & banana)

**Our goal is to fill 100 bags!** As "many hands make light work" please join us after worship on Sunday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, to complete this project.

Please note that the perishable items (cheese strings and fruit) will be added by Bridges To Hope at the time of distribution. Thank you.

**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 necessary. **Bible Study this Wed., June 11th**

**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: June 11th**

### **Good Companions:**

The **season-end luncheon for Good Companions will take place this Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 – please plan to arrive just after 12 noon. Thank you!**

### **Annual Congregational Picnic with St. Andrew's ☺**

Every year during the month of June, the St. David's and St. Andrew's congregations join together to celebrate the beginning of summer with worship, fellowship and a picnic in the great outdoors!!

This year the picnic will be held on Sunday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at The North Park Lodge in Pippy Park. The Worship Service will start at 11:00am followed by the picnic. The Sunday service and picnic will go ahead rain (inside) **OR** shine (outside)!

The Picnic: burgers will be provided and people are encouraged to bring either a side dish (salad, casserole, etc) or dessert as this is a potluck. Please bring your own lawn chairs, plates and cutlery. Tea & coffee will be provided.

**BRIDGES TO HOPE: Weekly "Flyer" Specials– June 5 – 11. 2025 - Items helpful for food hampers:**

Dominion -	Cheerios - \$2.00
	Green Giant Vegetables - \$1.25
No Frills -	Oasis Juice - \$1.00 *
	Lantic Sugar - \$2.00
	Colgate Toothpaste - \$1.00

The suggested item(s) for **June 2025**, especially useful for Bridges To Hope – **Cereal**. 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 – May 2025 Update:**

763 food hampers were distributed to 1,546 people - which included 137 seniors and 483 children. For the BTH newsletter, go to [https:// bridgestohope.ca](https://bridgestohope.ca) and choose “About Us”, and then the “Newsletter” to see their latest newsletter.

**Bridges to Hope:** *The Annual General Meeting of Bridges to Hope will be held on June 12th, 2025, at 7:30 p.m. at First United Church, 221 Park Avenue, Mt. Pearl. Everyone is welcome to attend, to learn more about this important organization and outreach mission. The meeting will be held in Trinity Hall, in the basement, accessed via the side door on Churchill Avenue.*

**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](mailto: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)

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**Envelope Secretary:** Ian Bruneau

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