

St. David's Church Announcements for May 10th 2026

Church Office Hours: Tuesday thru Friday from 9am to 1pm.

Please call 709-722-2382 ~ **You can always email us at this updated email address: stdavidsinstjohns@gmail.com** ~ Messages will be checked regularly.

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;

- * Elder on Duty this Sunday is Jenny Griffioen**
- * Manager on Duty: Lisa Dooley**

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Mother's Day Sunday are in loving memory of Millie Hammond – the gift of her son John Hammond.

Condolences to the Martin Family

The sympathy of the congregation goes out to the Martin family on the loss of their dear Mother. Claire Elizabeth Martin passed on May 1, 2026 in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, formerly of St. John's Newfoundland was predeceased by her husband of 54 years Dr. John R. Martin in 2013. The Martin family were members of St. David's for many years, we send our love and condolences to her children Richard of Ottawa, Jennifer (Kim Cooke) of Toronto and Christopher (Dana Friend) of Morgantown West Virginia and their families. For the full obituary notice, please use the link below.

<https://atlantic.remembering.ca/obituary/claire-martin-1093764517>

Sunday School: Our Sunday School will be studying the Story of the Bible as told in the Jesus Storybook Bible. We aim to teach children to relate to the stories of the Bible and reflect Jesus Christ in their actions, while taking plenty of time for joyful play and building friendships. Parents are asked to consider volunteering to assist with one Sunday each month to ensure that our volunteers get breaks, and new volunteers are enthusiastically welcome!

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**

Bible Study:

Come join us in the Armour room on **Wednesdays at 1pm** for our informal journey through the Bible. All are welcome, no experience is required.

- **The next Bible Study will take place on Wed, May 13th**

Pickle Ball:

Pickle Ball takes place 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 join us on Wednesdays!

- **Pickle Ball will meet on Wed, May 13th**

Good Companions:

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, maybe a friendly game of scrabble... please join us on Thursday afternoons **from 2:00 to 4:00pm** in the Church Hall

- **Next GC: Wednesday May 14thth**

Next Bridge Lunch:

The next Bridge Lunch will be taking place on * **Tuesday, May 12th**. If you are interested in putting a table together to participate, please contact Lillian Crawford

at: lilliancrawford4@gmail.com ~ **If you are a volunteer at the lunches – please circle this date on your calendar. We are grateful to have your assistance and look forward to seeing you!**

Please note this is the last Bridge Lunch of the Season!!!

The AMS ~ Atlantic Mission Society

The AMS will be holding their monthly meeting on Sunday, May 17th, following the worship service. A light lunch will be provided and fellowship surrounding mission work. We would love to have you join us!

Music in the Hall Concert Series ~ Season Four!!

The Music in the Hall concert series is delighted to announce the first concert in our new season - **featuring two of our province's finest artists, Fergus O'Byrne and Jim Payne!** Please join us on **Saturday, June 6th at 8pm** in the Hall, for a Celebration of Traditional Music. Accompanied by Brian Way, this promises to be a wonderful evening of Music!

To reserve tickets &/or have your name on our concert series email list, please call the office at 709-722-2382 or email us at musicinthehall250@gmail.com

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

Bridges to Hope: Can Openers are always needed !!!

Weekly "Flyer" Specials –May 7-13, 2026 - Items helpful for food hampers: -

Sobeys - Compliments Mac and Cheese - \$1.00

Walmart - Kraft BBQ Sauce - \$0.98

Great Value Tuna - \$0.98

No Frills - Campbell's Soup - \$1.00

Miracle Whip Salad Dressing - \$3.00

Kraft Dinner (KD) Original – 5/\$5.00

Colemans - Favorite Mandarin Oranges – 4/\$5.00

Dominion - Oasis Apple Juice - \$1.25

Miracle Whip Salad Dressing (650-890 ml) - \$3.00

Lawtons - Colgate Toothpaste/Toothbrush - \$0.99

The suggested item(s) for **May 2026**, especially useful for Bridges To Hope – **Kraft Dinner (Mac & Cheese)**. 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.

St. David's is pleased to announce ...

We have received a federal government grant under the Canada Summer Jobs (CSJ) program. CSJ helps youths aged 15 to 30 gain paid summer work experience and develop skills for the job market. The job will be placed on the Job Bank (www.jobbank.gc.ca/youth) shortly. The student will be with us for 8 weeks and will be performing many different tasks in and around the church. If you are interested or would like for information, check out the link above or contact any member of the Board of Managers.

The Kirk celebrates 50 years of their annual takeaway Lobster Dinner:

On Wednesday & Thursday, June 17th & 18th 2026, we hope you will help us celebrate this amazing milestone! The Lobster Dinner Box is \$75.00/each and includes: 2 fully cooked lobsters, # freshly made salads, dinner rolls, homemade dessert, condiments and a “refreshment”!! Please call soon to reserve your take-away dinner at 709-726-5385 &/or if you have any questions ~ thank you!

