

St. David's Church Announcements for August 16th 2026

Summer Hours for Administration:

Tuesday thru Thursday from 9am to 1pm.

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

Pastoral care ~ Please contact the office.

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;

- * Leading our Worship Service today is The Reverend Bob Rowlands**
- * Elder on Duty this Sunday is Penny Gillies**
- * Manager on Duty: Aldrin Gain**

Sunday School:

Sunday School is on summer holidays until September.

Please find activity sheets and crayons in the narthex entry on Sunday mornings.

Creche/Playroom:

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

Treasurer's Message:

New message coming in September...

Sunday Coffee Hour Volunteers

The August sign up schedule is now available in the kitchen.

Bridges to Hope: Can openers & cloth bags are needed !!!

Weekly “Flyer” Specials – August 13 - 19, 2026 - Items helpful for food hampers: -

Colemans -	Mr. Noodles Instant Noodles - \$0.59
	Jello Jelly Powder – 5/\$5.00
Walmart -	Palmolive Dish Soap - \$1.97
	Snack Pack Pudding - \$1.98
No Frills -	Unico Diced Tomatoes - \$1.50
	No Name Peaches & Cream Kernel Corn - \$1.25
Dominion -	PC Dish Detergent - \$2.00

The suggested item(s) for **August 2026**, especially useful for Bridges To Hope – **Kids snacks (applesauce, granola bars, juice boxes, etc.)** 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 – July 2026 Update:

Our food bank saw a total of 1946 visits in the month of June. Children (aged 0-17) made up 34% of this total with Seniors (aged 60+) accounting for 8.8% of the total.

Reduce Reuse Recycle!

Do you recycle your beverage containers? At St. David’s, we do!

Throughout the year, the church, and some congregation members, drop off recyclables and donate the proceeds to St. David’s. At the end of the year, the account is cleared and the amount divided equally between St. David’s Women’s

Auxiliary and St. David's AMS. This year, the AMS will donate their proceeds to their latest project, PWH₂O-01, "Water, Sanitation and Hygiene".

Would you like to help us? Here's how ... just drop off your recyclables at one of the recycling depots, enter the church's phone number (722-2382) on the monitor, and that's it! If you go into the depot counter, just tell them you'd like to donate the recycling to St. David's Church they'll take care of the rest!

"Without water drops, there can be no oceans; without steps, there can be no stairs; without little things, there can be no big things!"

News from the Pews - Newsletter

The News from the Pews Newsletter will be on hiatus for the summer... But please do send in your stories and news as we will be collecting them for our September issue!!! Send your stories to: stdavidsinstjohns@gmail.com Thank you!

AMS, Bible Study, Good Companions, Pickle Ball, Prayer Shawl Knitters, Sunday School and the WA:

These wonderful committees and groups, are taking a break for the summer... they will resume in September for the Fall season.

Dates to be announced. Thank you!

Music in the Hall... and Sanctuary!!!

"What a night of truly world class talent and entertainment!!!"
that's what we heard over and over as guests of this past Thursday evening's concert were leaving St. David's.

It really was a remarkable evening that would not have been possible without our Music Director, Brian Way. We are so incredibly fortunate. Thank you Brian for all you do!!

We also heard how nice it was to have our Minister come to welcome everyone to the evening performance ~ it really meant a lot to them. (One guest was overheard saying, “you know Rev. David also comes to the Bridge lunches, to say grace!!”)

This Friday morning, people were already calling and emailing to reserve their tickets for the rest of the concerts in this season’s line-up.

Here is the schedule for the remaining four concerts:

Friday, September 11th: Instrumental Classical Music Event (Sanctuary)

~ we can’t wait to experience the shared talent of these masterful artists ~

violinist Dominic Greene ~ cellist Theo Weber

and Music Director Brian Way

Friday, October 9th: “Glen Campbell Tribute” (Hall)

featuring Bob MacDonald, Steve Power, Sandy Morris, Scott Mansfield and Brian Way

~ our tribute concerts are “legendary”... you won’t want to miss! ~

Sunday, November 22nd: Gospel in the Sanctuary

Darrin Martin & Jonathan Parsons with Music Director Brian Way

~ an encore performance of our uplifting gospel concert ~

Saturday, December 13th: “On a Winter’s Night” (Sanctuary)

Shelley Neville & Bob MacDonald with Scott Mansfield and Music Director Brian Way

~ we are beyond delighted to celebrate these four performers and musicians

in our 4th annual Christmas Concert ~