

Cemetery Fund

We acknowledge a donation in memory of a loving husband, father, and grandfather Chesley Moore. From his wife Barbara, daughters Heather, Daphne, Janet, Libby and Sarah, and grandchildren Joseph, Erin, Matthew, Denise, and Mike.

We also acknowledge a donation from Florence White in memory of loved ones.

Donations to the GO Project

We acknowledge donations to the GO Project from Joanne Hapgood, Susan Sheppard, and Gail Price.

Bethany Danielle Pike Memorial Camp Fund

We acknowledge donations in memory of Bethany from Bas and Lorna Jamieson, Judy Dale, and Stephen and Susan Pike.

Birthday Wishes

We would like to extend special birthday wishes to our Minister Emeritus Rev. Dr. Wallace Baker on celebrating his 90th birthday on Monday.

Summer Soloists

As the choirs take a break over the summer, we're looking for people to bring a musical offering to our services. Any and all types of music are welcome: sing, play, or dance by yourself or with friends. Anyone interested is invited to see Phil after the service or contact the church office 722-1881.

Birthday Invitation

Mary Burry (D.O.B.: 1912/07/07) is one of the founding members of St. James United Church. Her family is planning a picnic for her 100th Birthday Party, at the North Bank Lodge, Pippy Park on July 8th. Anyone who wishes to help Mary celebrate is welcome to drop by after church on July 8. Soft beverages and casual food will be served.

Construction

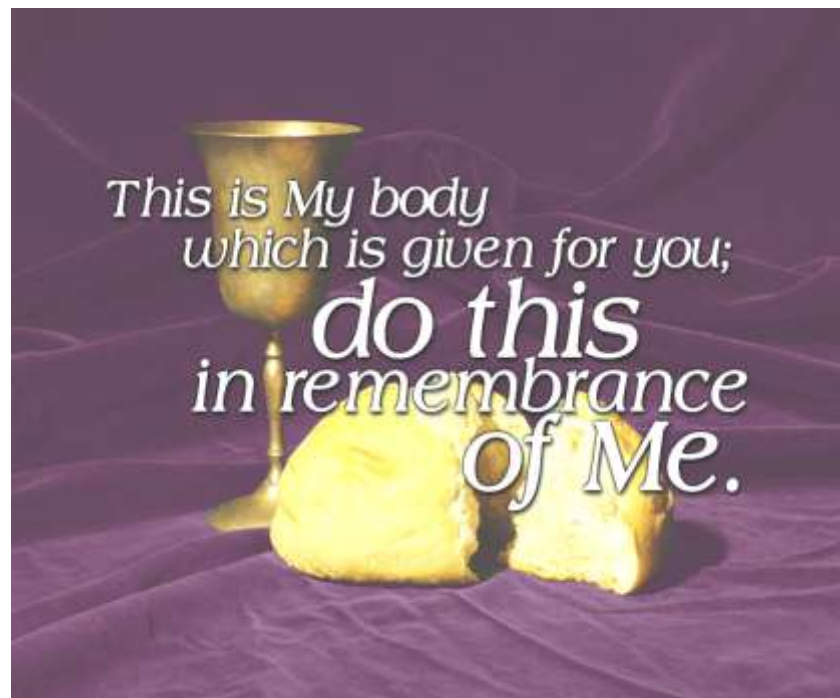
There will be work starting soon on the roof so access to the church may be limited during this time. Entrances into the church may have to rotate during construction so watch for signs indicating which one to use. Sorry for the inconveniences this will undoubtedly cause.

St. James United Church

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June 24, 2012

A Community of Friends in Faith



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WE HAVE SCENT-SENSITIVE CONCERNS

Today's bulletin is dedicated in loving memory of
Dugald Bowering
 "To live in the hearts of those we love, is not to die"
 From his wife Jean

St. James United Church June 24, 2012

11:00 a.m.

Minister:	Rev. Bill Bartlett
Minister of Visitation:	Rev. Pamela Jones-Fitzgerald
C.E. Lay Minister:	Susan Sheppard
Organist/Choir Director:	Dr. Philip Roberts
Assistant Organist:	Allan Morgan

Organ Prelude:

Welcome:

Introit:

Call To Worship: (responsive)

L: We come to build one more part of God's Kingdom.
 P: **We have come to be in community, so our will may be strengthened, and our resolve made more determined for the betterment of the greater good of all.**
 L: Come children of God and celebrate our Creator.

Opening Prayer: (unison)

Almighty and merciful God, from whom comes all that is good, we praise you for all your mercies, given us in Jesus, our Christ: your goodness that has created us, your grace that has sustained us, your wisdom that has challenged us, your patience that has borne with us, and your love that has redeemed us. Amen.

Hymn: Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah 651

Institution Narrative

Distribution of the Elements

Post Communion Prayer: (unison)

For the bread we have eaten, for the juice we have tasted, for the life we have received, we thank you, God. Grant that what we have done and have been given here may so put its mark upon us that it may remain always in our hearts. Grant that we may become mature Christians, that ours may be a faith which issues into action; through Christ our Lord. Amen

Hymn: Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face 459 Vs. 4-5

Commissioning: (unison)

We go with the Good News of Creator God anchored in our heart. God is ever-present with us and in us. May God guide our every step and surround us with God's loving presence.

Benediction:

Organ Postlude:

Resources for the worship service were taken from GATHERINGS.

Head Ushers: Michelle and Wayne Skinner
 Ushers: Brad Moss
 Julianne Moss
 Rachel Moss
 Suzette Moss



Communion Servers: Noah Sheppard
 Betty Winsor
 John Parker

Church Council

There will be a Church Council Meeting on Thursday, June 28 at 7:30.

Time with the Children:

Hymn: Come, We That Love 714

Offertory Invitation: (unison)

Where we see scarcity, you see abundance, O God. Where you see limits, you see possibility. Where we see endings, you see beginnings. Where we doubt, you bring hope. Open our hearts, Gracious God, to know gratitude for your abundance in our lives, and to share hope and abundance with others, as we offer the gift of ourselves and the work of our hands.

Offertory:

Offertory Hymn: Spirit of Life 381

Offertory Dedication: (unison)

We give you a portion of all you have so generously given us, Lord God. Even as we give, our hearts seek you and your blessing. Take us and take these gifts, and cause us and them to become blessings for many others. We ask this in love, and in Jesus' name. Amen.

Life and Work at St. James:

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 107: 1-3, 23-32 831 Parts 1 & 3

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 6: 1-13
Now is the acceptable time, the day of salvation.

Anthem:

Gospel: Mark 4: 35-41
Jesus stills a storm.

Hymn: Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me 637

Meditation:

Prayer of Confession: (unison)

God of birth, God of Love, God of life, we come to you as a people hungry for good news. We have been so dead to miracles that we have missed the world's rebirth. We have preoccupied ourselves with pleasures and have overlooked the joy you offer us. We have been so concerned with making a living that we have missed the Life you set among us. Forgive us Gracious God. Open our eyes and our hearts to receive your gift; open our lips and our hands to share with all humanity, in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen

Words of Assurance: God made us; we are creatures made in the image of the Divine. Christ has redeemed us; we are a people forgiven and blessed, the Holy Spirit sustains us; to be open to the future with confidence and hope. Be assured that whenever we confess in the name of Christ, God is there to bless and guide us.

Communion Hymn: Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face 459
Vs. 1 & 3

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

Sanctus and Benedictus (sung)

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power of life and might
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord's Prayer

Statement of Faith: A New Creed 918