

PAR Program (Pre-Authorized Remittance)

The United Church of Canada administers this program. You decide the amount you wish to donate to the church, and your bank account will be debited on or about the 20th of the month. You can also use Visa/Master Card via the PAR Program. People wishing to do this are asked to call/email the church office for more details.

Construction

The work has started 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 ones to use. Sorry for the inconveniences this will undoubtedly cause.

Congregational Meeting

At the last meeting of St. James Church Council on Thursday, June 28, a motion was passed to give notice to the congregation that there will be a congregational meeting after the church service on September 9 to seek the direction of the congregation on the joint search committee.

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.

FREE Prelude Concert

DATE and TIME: Thursday, August 2, 2012 at 12:30 pm
LOCATION: St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church ("The Kirk")
ADMISSION: FREE

Tuckamore alumna and Bonavista native, Andrea Lodge, piano, returns to Newfoundland for the Prelude Concert to the 2012 Tuckamore Festival. Joined by Jay Sorce, guitar, the duo will perform works by composers including Albéniz, Castelnuovo-Tedesco, Mozetich, and Wuorinen. For more information visit www.tuckamorefestival.ca.

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discovering the story of
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WE HAVE SCENT-SENSITIVE CONCERNS

St. James United Church

July 29, 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

Introit:

Welcome:

Life and Work at St. James:

Solo: *Here I am to Worship*

Call To Worship: (responsive)

L: We welcome you to be thankful for all God's creations and the beauty that surrounds us.

P: **Lord we are thankful for these blessings.**

L: We are the body of Christ, making an impact on the world.

P: **Lord we are thankful for these blessings.**

L: Each and every one of us is a part of the body of Christ and each of us has gifts to bring to the body.

P: **Lord we are thankful for these blessings.**

L: Together as the body of Christ, we create this place and opportunities for all.

P: **Lord we are thankful for these blessings.**

L: This building is just one of the many places of worship. From pews to mountains, seas and valleys, we feel the connection to one another.

P: **Lord we are thankful for these blessings.**

Prayers of the People:

The Lord's Prayer:

Blessing and Commissioning:

Organ Postlude:



Head Ushers: Audrey and Cecil Templeman

Greeters: Trevor Bartlett

Allison Bartlett

Jennifer Bartlett

Keith Bartlett

Ushers: Daphne Coish

Rev. Bill Coish

Ross Pilgrim

Betty Pilgrim

Ches LeGrow

Helen LeGrow



L: Now let us pray,
 We offer our time, emotion and hard work to see life's blessings
 unfold. The world around us is filled with beauty and passion.
 This passion has taken over us and brings one another here
 today, to share the radical bless of our God. Amen.

Hymn: We Are Marching 646

Time with the Children:

Hymn: I Have Called You by Your Name MV 161

I have called you by your name, you are mine;
 I have gifted you and ask you now to shine.
 I will not abandon you; all my promises are true.
 You are gifted, called, and chosen; you are mine.

I will help you learn my name as you go;
 Read it written in my people, help them grow.
 Pour the water in my name, speak the word your soul can claim,
 Offer Jesus' body, given long ago.

I know you will need my touch as you go;
 Feel it pulsing in creation's ebb and flow.
 Like the woman reaching out, choosing faith in spite of doubt,
 Hold the hem of Jesus' robe, then let it go.

I have given you a name, it is mine;
 I have given you my Spirit as a sign.
 With my wonder in your soul, make my wounded children whole;
 Go and tell my precious people they are mine.

Offertory Invitation:

Offertory:

Offertory Hymn: We Give Thee But Thine Own 543

Offertory Prayer: (unison)

Abundant One, we offer you these gifts in gratitude for your steadfast
 guidance in our lives. We pray that these resources will provide
 ministries to the suffering, food to the hungry, hope to the poor, and a
 spiritual presence to all. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray, Amen.

Hebrew Scripture: Isaiah 61: 1-4

Solo: *We the Redeemed*

Gospel: 1st Corinthians 12: 4-14

Meditation:

Hymn: Go Make a Diff'rence MV 209

Chorus:

**Go make a diff'rence. We can make a diff'rence. Go make a diff'rence
 in the world.
 Go make a diff'rence. We can make a diff'rence. Go make a diff'rence
 in the world.**

We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see the love of
 God for you and me. We are the light of the world, not to be hidden
 but be seen.

Chorus

We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need, the face of
 God for all to see. We are the spirit of hope; we are the voice of peace.

Chorus

So let your love shine on, let it shine for all to see. Go make a diff'rence
 in the world. And the spirit of Christ will be with us as we go. Go make
 a diff'rence in the world.