

April 6, 2014

A **donation** has been made to the Cemetery and Roof Funds in loving memory of Eugene Burt of Fredericton from Maxine Ivory and Family.

Project Grace, an after-school program offering opportunities for young people in the St. James neighbourhood to learn music, is in the process of establishing a Support Committee. This group of individuals will assist in many aspects of the program including: organizational structure, promotional work, applications for funding / grants, organizing fundraising efforts etc. The first meeting of this committee will be held at the end of March. If you are interested in being involved, please email Gillian: projectgracenl@gmail.com | www.projectgrace.ca

An account has been set up at the Recycling Depot on O'Leary Avenue for the 'GO Project.' If you have any refundable cans or bottles for recycling that you wish to donate, please bring them along to the O'Leary Avenue location and let them know they are for the 'GO Project.'

The next Escasoni Service will take place on Tuesday April 8th.

As Time Goes By: An Evening of Music with Erin Winsor: a fundraiser in support of The Singing Legionnaires on Wednesday, April 9th, at 7.30pm in our Sanctuary. Tickets (\$20) are available at the door. Celebrate the music of the past with tunes such as *Puttin' on the Ritz*, *Always*, *Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy*, *We'll Meet Again* and many more.

St. James United Church Women are hosting a Spring Sale & Afternoon Tea on Saturday, April 12th from 2-4pm. Tickets are \$6 from any UCW member or at the door. Baked goods, surprise bags and craft items – any and all donations are gratefully appreciated. Contact Barbara Butt (576-1344) or Sheilah Beckett (726-7421)

Our Good Friday Walk will be on April 18th, starting at 10am, from St. James. Homemade hot cross buns and refreshments will follow!

AOTS semi-annual fish dinner: April 25th at 6pm. Tickets (\$20) can be purchased from David Hapgood (576-4075), or Albert Styles (754-6628).

The Annual General Meeting for Bridges To is now scheduled for Monday, April 28th at St. Andrew's Church at 7:30 pm. Refreshments will be served.

Letter from Bridges To Hope: *"Our food pantry has seen an increase in usage this year, with our total clients served surpassing the number of clients served last year. This increase usage has placed an increased demand on our inventory of certain items. The items that are most needed in our food pantry at this time are **canned milk, canned beans in sauce and canned meat**. While all donations are welcome, these are the items that are most needed at this time. Your continued support and donations are greatly appreciated. With your ongoing generosity we will be able to continue to help those who are faced with food security issues in our community. Thank you for your continued support of our organization. Colin Malone, Intake Co-coordinator, Bridges To Hope"*

Topsail United Church Men's Club Breakfast with the Easter Bunny will be held on Saturday, April 12, 8-11 am. Usual great menu. Cost: \$7 Adults, \$3 Children under 12. Face Painting and Colouring for the Children. All are Welcome.

Memorial United Church Portugal Cove is pre-selling decorated Easter Bunny cakes (choc/ van). Cost: \$8. Pick up is April 17th at 7 pm. To order, call the church @ 895-2625; Linda @ 242-0338; Vera @ 895-2226 or Flora @ 895-2775.



LENTEN & EASTER SERVICES

Holy Week services (Monday – Thursday) begin at 7:30pm
Good Friday's service is from Noon – 3:00pm

Monday, April 14Pouch Cove UC
Tuesday, April 15St. James UC
Wednesday, April 16Cowan Heights UC
Maundy Thurs, April 17George Street UC
Good Friday, April 18Cochrane Street UC

Offerings for these services will go to the East District Chaplaincy Fund

Favourite Sacred Choruses! Join the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra and its Philharmonic Choir for a program of favourite oratorio and sacred choruses (*Creation*, Vivaldi's *Gloria*, *Elijah*, Bach's *Christmas Oratorio*, and more!). Also on the program is Mozart's *Jupiter* symphony - widely regarded as his greatest and most spectacular work. This concert takes place on Friday, April 11 at 8:00pm at the Basilica of St. John the Baptist. Seating is general and tickets (\$30-\$35) are available at the ACC Box Office - 729-3900 - online at artsandculturecentre.com, and at the concert.