

St. James United Church Life and Works, June 1st, 2014

Joel Le Feuvre is the soloist this morning and we thank him for his ministry of music.

We extend our condolences to Christopher Cole and family on the passing of his father, Philip George Cole. The funeral service took place at St. James on Friday, May 30th

We acknowledge a donation to Project Grace from the Eastern Wind Ensemble.

"I don't know what to say" grief workshop will be in two sessions, Monday June 9 at 10am and Monday 26th at 7pm

Our next Escasoni service will take place on Tuesday June 10th

Congratulations to our students convocating from MUN this past week!

Students: Please see the letter outside the office for a summer employment opportunity at the Conference Centre.

Summer Worship Time Change: Following the overwhelmingly positive Congregational Vote to change Sunday Worship time for July and August (150, yes – 44, no) we will begin Sunday Worship at 10am, starting Sunday, July 6 and ending Sunday, August 31st.

Our Future Working Together--A Rural Consultation, October 17th-19th, Gander. The United Church of Canada NL Conference presents a weekend event of four workshops on Exploring Models for Ministry. This event will provide an opportunity to explore different models for ministry; to tap into existing models and hear the incredible success stories right here in our own conference; to imagine models that may involve sharing space, sharing human resources and sharing faith. Cost \$200 which includes accommodations (double occupancy), meals, etc. Special guest speaker: Rev. Don Stiles. Numbers are limited; register early. For more details, see SuAn in our church office for a pamphlet and registration form.

Bicentenary Celebrations Committee Celebrating our Methodist and United Church of Canada Roots and Faith in the Northeast Avalon 1815 – 2015

Update. Please visit our website www.stjamesuc.org for an update of our research on family names of founding members. Are you related to these families?

Are you musically inclined? Would you like to share your talent with the congregation in July or August? The Music and Liturgy Committee is seeking interested individuals to sing, play an instrument, or a combination of both to provide a music selection during the morning services for July and August. A one Sunday commitment is asked, but more than one can certainly be arranged. Please contact the church office (722-1881 or info@stjamesuc.org) to express your interest by June 22.

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