

**Ushering this week is provided by:**

**Usher in Charge:** Trevor Bartlett

**Greeters:** Trevor & Janet Bartlett

**Ushers:** Joy Bartlett, Allison, Kate and Jennifer Bartlett

**Accessibility at St. James United Church:**

Hearing Devices                      Wheelchairs                      Enlarged Bulletins

If you wish to use one of the above services that we offer, please speak with one of our ushers and they will be happy to assist you.

**Summer Worship Time Change** to 10am continues until August 31<sup>st</sup>.

**Office hours July 7- August 28:**

Monday-Thursday, 8.30am – 4.30 pm

**Plans are underway to re-establish our Church Band in September.** Members of our congregation interested in participating are invited to pass on their contact and instrument information to the office 722- 1881 or [info@stjamesuc.org](mailto:info@stjamesuc.org)

**Sunday School - Get Involved!** We are developing new programs for the fall and need leadership for the various activities. If you are interested in joining our team, please contact Susan or Rebecca.

**Bridges To Hope Bag To School program:** 741 bags were donated and used in 2013. All partner Churches have been assigned a specific item to collect which can be placed in the regular food donation bin. St. James has been assigned 'binders'. (Please see the letter outside the office for all church assignments.)

While there is still a need for food donations during the summer months, any additional assistance that will aid the Bag To School program will be greatly appreciated. If you have any question in regards to this program or if a congregation member would be interested in sponsoring a bag; please feel free to contact Emily Elliott or Colin Malone at 722-9225.

**Family Outing for August:** Alice in Wonderland at Bowring Park, Cabot 500 Amphitheatre. Thursday, August 14th to Sunday, August 17th, 6:30pm.

Thursday, August 21st to Sunday, August 24th, 6:30pm.

Matinees - August 16th, 17th, 23rd, and 24th at 2:00pm.

Admission: Suggested minimum donation of \$15.

**Kirk Concert Series** presents 'Age plays men young or old', Jaakob Palasvirta, basso voice and Brian Way, piano at 8pm on Thursday, August 21st at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church (The Kirk). Donation accepted.

**September Gospel Concert:** Lynda Randle, well known Gaither Homecoming Gospel Artist, will be returning to Newfoundland for another Island Concert Tour in September.. She will be in concert at the S.A. St. John's Citadel on Thursday, September 25. Tickets (\$32.00) are available now at the following locations: Book and Bible House, Thorburn Road – 753 6464; and the S.A. Christian Book Store, Adams Avenue – 579 3291.

**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.** We are searching for descendants of our founding families. Please visit <http://www.stjamesuc.org/> for information on family names of founding members. Look for "Bicentenary Celebrations Committee" in the upper left corner of the front page. Are you related to these families? If you have any information, please contact [leslie\\_dean@hotmail.com](mailto:leslie_dean@hotmail.com)

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<input type="checkbox"/> I am interested in PAR	<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to discuss full membership	<input type="checkbox"/> I have changed my address

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