

## St. James United Church Life and Works, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**Ushering this week is provided by:**

**Usher in Charge:** Dave Hapgood

**Ushers:** Dorothy Hapgood, Bill & Daphne Coish, Ross & Betty Pilgrim

**We offer our condolences** to Bill Parrott on the passing of his brother, whose funeral service took place in Winterton, NL, last week.

**We acknowledge a donation to Project Grace** from the Project Grace Summer Camp in August.

**Confirmation 2015:** Youth, grade 7+, are invited to join our Confirmation Class for 2014/15. If you are interested in this, please contact Susan at the office, or by email to [susan@stjamesuc.org](mailto:susan@stjamesuc.org). There will be a meeting of participants and their families following the 11am Service next Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.

**The next UCW meeting** will take place tomorrow, Monday, September 8<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm. New members are welcome!

**The next Escasoni Service** will take place at 2pm on Tuesday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at the old building for the last time there.

**Youth Choir for ages 8-18** will resume practice on Wednesday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. New members are most welcome.

**Sunday School and Youth Program Registration** will take place on Saturday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 2-2.30pm in the Fellowship Room. Sunday School Classes will begin on Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.

**The 9.30am Contemporary Worship Service** will resume next Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome!

**Project Grace:** There will be an Open House for Project Grace on Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 2:30-4:30pm in the Auditorium. Classes will resume the week of September 22<sup>nd</sup>

**The AOTs (Men's Service Club)** will be commencing its regular fall program on Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm with a dinner meeting. New members most welcome.

**Burry Heights Food, Fun and Friendship Day:** Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup> – a day of fun, food, and song where you meet old friends and make new. Enjoy lunch

(sandwiches, coffee/tea) and/or a hot roast beef supper. Invite family and friends to experience the "SPIRIT" – *our youth call it MAGIC* – of Burry Heights. At the same time, our Summer Camping Group will provide fun and food – BBQ and beverages for youth and youth at heart. For more information e-mail us at [burryheights@hotmail.com](mailto:burryheights@hotmail.com) or call 229-7883. We are located at Exit 35 off the Trans-Canada Highway – Route 90 South – 1 km on Salmonier Line.

**Thanksgiving Visitor:** The deadline for receipt of articles for the Thanksgiving Visitor is Sunday, September 21<sup>st</sup>. Please forward your article to SuAn at [info@stjamesuc.org](mailto:info@stjamesuc.org)

**St. James Church Band** will begin rehearsals on Monday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> in the Auditorium from 6:30-8:30pm. There will be a combination of full band and small group rehearsals.

**St. John's Area UCW Rally** 12.30 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> at George Street United Church. For further info. please contact Area President Joan Strickland at 368-0434 or your Local President. (Date changed because Burry Hgts Day is on Sept. 20th)

**Bridges to Hope** at this time is needing the following items for their food pantry: canned beans in sauce, canned milk, dry pasta and canned soup. Our continued support and donations are greatly appreciated.

**The Seniors Resource Centre's** Sharon Brown is the coordinator for the "Friendly Visiting Program" which offers seniors a new and supportive friendship, a link to community programs and services, and regular visits from a volunteer. She also coordinates the Mall Walkers Program which offers seniors an opportunity to increase their level of physical activity through walking, education on positive and healthy aging and a chance to meet other seniors as well as providing a link to other programs and services of the Seniors Resource Centre of NL. Sharon is currently seeking volunteers for her programs. She is available to do a presentation for a group. You may contact her at the Seniors Resource Centre NL, 370 Torbay Road, Suite W 100., [737-2333](tel:737-2333) [www.seniorsresource.ca](http://www.seniorsresource.ca)

**Heads up on our Telephone System:** When you need to leave a message after hours, please use the following extensions:

Church Office, #200

Rev. Terrie Burry, #202

Susan Sheppard, #204

**Rev. Pamela will be on sabbatical leave** until October 31<sup>st</sup>. If there are any visits of an emergency nature during September and October, please contact Rev. Terrie.