St. James United Church Life and Works, December 14th, 2014

Ushering this week is provided by:

Ushers in Charge: Oliver Wellon Greeters: Tom & Maxine Rose
Ushers: Linda Babstock, Jan Winsor, Rev. Bill Coish, Aubrey Hill



The following donations have been received:

- **to the General Fund in loving memory of Violet Hodder from Myrtle Williams;
- ** to the Memorial Fund in loving memory of Randell Pardy from Kevin & Marilyn Pardy, and in loving memory of Eric Paul from Gilbert & Lillian Thomas, Dorothy Jenkins & Graham Hopkins, Brian & Jean Crowthers, David Bishop;
- **to the Memorial Fund in loving memory of Eric & Roma Paul from Nina Abbott;
- **to the Roof Fund in loving memory of Ray Sulley from Christine Sulley and family, and in loving memory of Eric Paul from Clyde & Brenda Flight, Linda & Charlie Babstock, Albert & Vickie Styles, Phyllis M. Smith, Gordon & Yvonne Paul, Mildred & Leonel Vairinhos, Diane McGrath, Janice & David Dawe, Jean & George White, Gordon & Francine White, Paul & Sally Johnson;
- **to the Building/Maintenance Fund in loving memory of Eric Paul from David & Ruby Burt;
- **to the Cemetery Fund in loving memory of Eric Paul from Claire Higdon, Vera Marshall;
- **to the Sound System in loving memory of Eric Paul from Doug & Joan Bursey;
- **to Bridges to Hope in loving memory of husband Fillmore N. Daya from Mary Daya.

Making last minute contributions over the Christmas period:

The office will be open at the following times:

December 22, 23, 24: 9.30am – 1pm and 1.30 – 5pm

December 29, 30, 31: 10am-3pm

If you wish to make a contribution outside of these hours, there is a secure mail box (lock box) for your use to the right of the exterior office door.

The financial year end is December 31st, so if you do make a contribution outside of regular hours, please use the lock box and ensure that your contribution is clearly marked for 2014.

CGIT special Christmas Vesper Service this evening at 7 to start the 80th Anniversary celebrations of CGIT in Canada. We will be serving Christmas cake and syrup after the service.

Escasoni Christmas Carolling: Thursday, December 18th at 6.30pm; we shall meet in the East Wing Lobby at 6.15. The new Long Term Care Facility is located at 65 Newfoundland Drive. Any questions, please contact Rev. Pamela. (www.easternhealth.ca/AboutEH.aspx?d=3&id=2065&p=724)

Winter Solstice Service December 21st at **7pm:** Dress for the weather; bring a flashlight and mug. Location is Susan Sheppard's front yard.

Stuff Our Stocking: Project Grace is collecting small items needed for the programs at St. James. The elves at Long & McQuade Musical Instruments would be happy to help you select items to stuff the Project Grace stocking!

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Christmas Diaper Drive: "WaterWerks Communications is collecting diapers which will be donated to the Community Food Sharing Network, where they will be distributed across the province. For information on how you can help (or to make a donation) contact Steve at 709-738-5090 ext. 25.

or steve@waterwerkscommunications.com or visit their Facebook page, "Waterwerks Christmas Diaper Drive"

A Festival of Lessons and Carols: The Mount Pearl Show Choir, under the direction of Carl Goulding, will be presenting the 32ndAnnual Christmas Festival of Lessons and Carols at Cochrane Street UC on Friday evening, December 19th, beginning at 7. Tickets (\$15) may only be purchased at the door on the evening of the performance. Doors open at 6pm.

Memory Tree Form

At this time of the year, thoughts of our loved ones are never far from our minds. One of the ways we acknowledge this is through the Memory Tree. For a donation of \$5, a colored bulb will be changed to a white one in memory of your loved one.

The changing of the lights is a beautiful seasonal visible symbol. Even when the tree comes down, the gift continues in the ongoing projects at St. James.

Name of person donating:	
In Memory of:	
Address:	Env #: