St. James United Church Life and Work, July 29, 2018

Financial Update:

To meet our budget, we need average weekly givings of \$4,115.

Giving's for: July 8: \$2, 350 July 15: \$3, 175

July 22: \$3, 318

Members of our choirs and congregation, now that the Music Program has finished for the summer, please consider sitting in the choir pews! No musical/vocal experience or expertise required!

Tickets are now available for purchase or reservation from our Church Office for our Diamond Anniversary Celebration on Saturday, November 17at 6 for 6:30pm in the Auditorium. Cost is \$25 per ticket.

Bridges to Hope is looking for donations of school supplies for their annual Bag to School program. Each year Bridges to Hope provides curriculum based school supplies and school bags to North East Avalon students in kindergarten to high school and Adult Basic Education. This year St. James has been asked to donate Exercise Packs (regular & spiral bound). Donations can be dropped off at the office, or in the donation box at the front entrance of the church.

George Street United Church is presenting a concert that offers a spiritual uplifting event for youth, teens and families. This is Katie Power's debut album launch and features a full band with the opening group, Katapa. The man leading this band is in his 70's. He is from Africa and led another incredible band here in St. John's years back called Mopaya. The concert will take place Saturday, August 11th at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$20.00 at the door or \$15.00 in advance at the church office. For more information please contact katiepowernl@gmail.com or call the church office at 726-8775.

Cathedral Crypt Tearoom, hosted by the Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, 16 Church Hill in downtown St. John's, will be open this summer. The tearoom has operated each summer for over twenty years in the crypt of the historic Cathedral. Featuring delicious breads, cookies and scones served with tea and coffee, specialty teas and even hot chocolate and juice for the children. The tearoom is a great way to spend a summer afternoon.

Operating Days/Times: Wednesday-Saturday weekly, 2-4pm each day, until August 18th. Costs: Adults (\$10) Children (\$6). Come for the first time, or stop by for your annual visit to the tearoom. Reservations are recommended for groups of 8 or more. These can be made by calling the church office at 726-5677.

Office Administration position available at Cowan Heights United Church The candidate will perform secretarial, clerical, financial book keeping and administrative support as required by the Church Minister, Chairperson of the Board of Management, Secretary of the Board, or Chairperson of the Finance Committee. The candidate must work with a high degree of integrity, respecting the confidential nature of work assignments and must be able to carry out a variety of duties requiring independent judgment.

The position requires:

- administrative experience
- graduation from high school, supplemented by post-secondary training in business or office administration or a combination of experience and training
- a demonstrated ability to work independently with a minimum of supervision
- knowledge of Word, Quick books, Excel and various social medias i.e.
 Facebook

This is a part-time position of 15 hours weekly. The starting pay would be \$13.50 per hour with pension and health benefits. The deadline for applications is Tuesday, July 31st.

Resumes can be emailed to: rpurchase@nf.sympatico.ca or sent to

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Attention: Randy Purchase

Beginners' Yoga is taking place Tuesdays from 5:30-6:30pm at Cochrane Centre, in the sanctuary. All levels are welcome. Mats provided. For further information, please contact 754-2532.

The Youth Group would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who came out to the BBQ after church last Sunday and supported the youth ministries! It ended up being much more successful than anticipated, and you can look forward to more of these fundraisers throughout the summer!

Save the Date! The annual bonfire & worship at Middle Cove Beach will be on Wednesday, August 29th. More details to come later in the month!

Grief and Bereavement Information Session

Date: August 14, 2018

Time: 7-9

Location: In the Cafeteria Conference Room (behind the Cafeteria) at Dr. L. A.

Miller Centre