

St. James United Church Life and Work, July 7, 2019

St. James United extends a heartfelt thank you to the Rev. Jim Von Riesen for leading us in worship last Sunday morning. Many thanks for sharing your time and talents with the congregation!

We offer our condolences to Ann Marie Gilbert, her family and friends, on the passing of her beloved husband, David Gilbert on Monday, July 1. His funeral took place at St. James United Church last Thursday.

We also offer our condolences to Barbara Butt on the passing of her brother, Brendan Noseworthy on Sunday, June 30. His funeral took place last Thursday in Manuels, CBS.

We keep the Rev. Ralph Taylor in our prayers as he gathers with family and friends to remember his father, William M Taylor (Bill). The family will intern his ashes at the General Protestant Cemetery (Mount Pleasant) on Monday, July 15 at 11:30 am followed by a reception at Barrett's Funeral Home (328 Hamilton Avenue) at 2:00 pm. Members of St James are welcome to join the family as they give thanks for his life and the gifts he gave to others.

We gratefully acknowledge the following donations to the General Fund in loving memory of Dr. John Cronhelm from:
Phil Saunders;
The AOTS

<p>Financial Update: St. James sincerely thanks our congregation for their ongoing support. To meet our budget, we need average weekly givings of \$3,961. (This includes the weekly PAR contributions.)</p> <table><tr><td>Givings for: June 16:</td><td>\$3,563</td></tr><tr><td>June 23:</td><td>\$2,432</td></tr><tr><td>June 30:</td><td>\$3,874</td></tr></table>	Givings for: June 16:	\$3,563	June 23:	\$2,432	June 30:	\$3,874
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St. James would like to extend a warm welcome to our first time visitors with a little welcome gift. The ushers will bring it to you if you raise your hand during the welcome but if you prefer, you can identify yourself to the ushers as you leave. Thanks for attending our service and please sign our guest book. We feel privileged to have you join us.

This morning's service will be broadcast on VOWR tonight at 7pm.

Broadview (née Observer): We have an extension on the Broadview subscriptions until July 12. If you wish to renew your subscription for another year, please contact Barry Cutler (364-3450 or newfie_1_ca@yahoo.ca). Cost for the coming year is \$25. For those folks wishing to begin a subscription, please return the following form to our office. **Broadview:** *I would like to receive a subscription to The United Broadview through the St. James United Church-NL Group Plan at the price of \$25 per year. Payment enclosed.*

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____

2019 Cemetery Memorial Services are as follows:

*Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Hamilton Avenue Extension: Monday, July 8, 7pm;

*General Protestant Cemetery, Topsail Road: Monday, July 22 at 7pm

Cochrane Street Church Council is holding a yard sale on July 20 – 10am to 1pm (Stewart Street Entrance). If anyone has any household items which they wish to donate to the yard sale, please bring them to the community space on Friday July 19, 2019, from 6-8 pm. For more information, please contact Cochrane's church office at 722-3023.

The First Dawn Eastern Edge Regional Council Office (320 Elizabeth Avenue) will be closed for renovations from 4 pm on Thursday, July 11 to 8:30 am on Tuesday July 16.

Minute for Mission: 1JustCity at St. Matthews Maryland Community Ministry builds community well-being, works for justice, and nurtures hope in individuals and families in west central Winnipeg, Manitoba. The program attempts to balance meeting basic needs, enabling personal transformation, and working for social change through a variety of initiatives. These include everything from offering an emergency food program for families, to small collaborative economic initiatives that help people learn employment skills. The Artist's Circle provides a venue and supplies for soulful creative time. No experience is necessary, and people mentor and teach each other. St. Matthews Maryland receives 9,000 visits a year to its drop-in space where people come to be filled—filled with snacks, filled with the joy of someone who cares, filled with the worth of someone listening, and filled with a sense of belonging. Your gifts for Mission & Service support ministries like St. Matthews-Maryland.