

## St. James United Church Life and Work, September 1, 2019

**We offer our condolences to** Christopher Penney on the passing of his father, Bruce Penney, on August 26. The funeral service was held yesterday in Glovertown.

**We gratefully acknowledge a donation to the Cemetery** Fund in loving memory of Gilbert Hiscock from wife Ruby and family.

**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.

**The Church Office will be closed tomorrow,** Monday, September 2.

**Next Sunday, September 8 sees the annual start-up of** our Contemporary Service at new time of 9am.

**Sunday, September 8,** 2-3pm in the Community Room at the St. John's Farmers' Market, 245 Freshwater Road: *The Seniors Memory Mug Up*. This is a free and informal story sharing session for seniors, where people gather, have a cup of tea, and share memories with the goal of helping seniors preserve their stories. For more information call Terra Barrett with Heritage NL at 739-1892 ext. 5 or email terra@heritagenl.com

**Monday, September 9,** 3-6pm: Susan's Sewing Studio Fall Session begins. Are you looking to join a sociable group? No matter your gender, age, ability or faith, drop in anytime between 3 and 6 to start or continue a project. Relax, sew, chat, laugh and receive help and friendship from others in an informal atmosphere. Just bring yourself, your sewing machine and materials.

**Thursday, September 12: 2-4pm:** Café of Memories 2019 at Freemasons' Hall, Mount Pearl for an afternoon of entertainment and refreshments for those with dementia and their caregivers, hosted by the Alzheimer Society of NL and Lodge Westmoorland. Call 576-0608 to register - no charge.

**Sunday, September 15,** 2-6:30pm: United Communities of Faith joint church picnic at The Sunshine Camp on Thorburn Road. There will be food, crafts, stories, games and entertainment. This is a free event – just show up! Rain venue will be at St. James.

**Saturday, September 21** at 5pm: Burry Heights Dinner Theater. Entertainment is provided by young members of the Burry Heights community. Dinner tickets are \$20/adult and \$10/ children. Email burryheightsday@gmail.com or call 754-8824 for tickets or more info.

**Sunday, September 22,** noon -2pm: St. James' Third Annual Diversity Fair in our Auditorium. Come learn about groups working to make St. John's a more inclusive and just community. Refreshments will be served.

### **September Remember:**

**\*When coming to St. James** during the week, day or afternoon, please remember to park in the line nearest Elizabeth Avenue, reserved for Church Parking.

Anywhere else in the parking lot is liable for a ticket.

**\*Telephone Extensions:** When you need to call after hours or leave a message for the ministers or office, please use the following extensions:

Church Office, 200;

Rev. Brian Colbourne, 202;

Susan Sheppard, 204;

Property Office, 205;

Choir Room, 206;

Kitchen, 207.

Please note that the Property Office, the Choir Room and the Kitchen do not have mailboxes for messages.

### **Student and/or Visitor contact information:**

If you would like to be on our Email list for weekly Congregational notices regarding upcoming events, please share your contact information below and return it to an usher.

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