

St. James United Church Life and Work, 02-02-2020

We offer our condolences to Conrad Anthony, his family and friends on the passing of his mother and step-father, Pauline Anthony-Kane & James Kane on January 16. Their funeral service took place from St. James yesterday.

We gratefully acknowledge the following donations:

***to the Memorial Fund** in loving memory of wife, Blanche Hollett, former organist and Choir Director, from William Hollett;

***to the General Fund** in loving memory of husband, Harvey Riche, from wife Beulah.

Financial Update: St. James sincerely thanks our congregation for their ongoing support. To meet our budget, we need average weekly givings of \$4,038. (This includes the weekly PAR contributions.)	Givings: January 5: \$3,546
	January 12: \$3,170
	January 19: State of Emergency
	January 26: \$3,919

Valentine's Day Friendship and Fun event, Friday, February 14th:

Our *Valentine's Day Friendship and Fun* event is only two weeks away! It features a concert, dessert party, wine pull and silent auction! Tickets are now on sale from the church office for \$20 each.

Help wanted!! Your support is appreciated!!

**If you are able to make and donate a dessert please contact Karen Brown at 689-7297.*

**If are able to donate a bottle of wine (\$15 value or greater) for the wine pull please contact Paul Walsh at 690-2767 [or paul.walsh@cim.ca](mailto:paul.walsh@cim.ca)*

**If are able to donate an item (new items only) or gift card for the silent auction please contact Bill Legge at 685-4900.*

** If you can volunteer time to help organize and run the event, please contact Paul Walsh at 690-2767 [or paul.walsh@cim.ca](mailto:paul.walsh@cim.ca).*

CPR Training for AED Machine: We will be holding a retraining session for our current registered users for CPR/AED here at St. James on Saturday, February 15: 9:00 am – 12:00 noon.

If you are interested in participating in a NEW Training session and becoming an attendant for St. James, can you please contact Susan Pike by email susanpike@warp.nfld.net or 576-0703 before February 13 to ensure we have space for all participants. Training is provided by The Heart and Stroke Foundation.

Help needed: St. James is again hosting The Kiwanis Festival this year. We are looking for a custodian, (paid position) to be on site for some of the sessions, morning, afternoon and/or evening. The festival runs from Saturday, February 15 – Thursday, February 27. Help is needed on the Saturdays, Sunday afternoons, Wednesday mornings, Thursday evenings and one Friday afternoon and evening. Preference is a person who can cover most of these sessions.

Please contact SuAn if this interests you: 722-1881, ext. 200 or info@stjamesuc.org

Monday, February 3: Loose Threads Sewing Studio Winter Session continues at the new time, 2-5pm.

Next Saturday, February 8:

***1:30pm: New time for Ukelele class** - Saturdays at 1:30. All are welcome, beginners to more advanced. Feel free to drop in and share in the fun!

*** 4:30pm: Contemporary Worship Service** on the new day at the new time! Please join us for another chance to worship.

Our UC bookstore is looking for a couple of volunteers to help pack away the Christmas display, probably only for a couple of hours. Please contact Leona Laundry if you have a couple of hours to spare. 1-800-268-3781 ext. 6141, l laundry@united-church.ca

Heads-up for the World Day of Prayer for the city of St. John's: This year it will be held at Wesley United Church on Friday, March 6 at 7pm.

Bulletin blooper: *"The pastor would appreciate it if the ladies of the Congregation would lend him their electric girdles for the pancake breakfast next Sunday."*