Life and Work - March 12, 2023

Sunday Evening In-Person EvenTide Worship Service: Each Sunday evening at 7pm we have our EvenTide services. This week it is "The Sunday Table with Rev. James." This is an informal worship service where we reflect on the Bible readings, have discussions, and pray together while sharing food. All are welcome!

UCW: The UCW will be meeting on March 13th at 2PM.

Celebrate the Spring Equinox: On Saturday, March 18 at 2 pm, Wild Light Spiritual Oasis (St. James Forest Church) is hosting a time of prayer and meditation in honour of the Spring Equinox. We will gather outside for at least part of the celebration so be sure to dress for the weather. It is also recommended that you bring something to sit on. We will meet at Susan's. Email info@stjamesuc.org for directions.

Book Fair: Calling all book lovers! St. James United Church is having a book fair on Sunday, March 19 from 2-6 and Monday, March 20 from 10-5. We will be accepting donations of new and gently used books from now until March 14. They can be dropped off at the church office during business hours. Admission will be \$2 and only cash will be accepted. Volunteers are needed for setup on Saturday, March 18 and for the 2 days of the book fair. Please contact Jennifer @ 237-7011 or jadams@nl.rogers.com if you are able to help. We thank you in advance for your support and hope to see you at the fair!

Reflective Wednesdays at Noon: Each Wednesday throughout Lent, (Rev.) James will lead an informal communion service and bible study focused on the readings for the upcoming Sunday in the Fellowship Room. Communion is at noon, followed by the discussion. Bring a bag lunch if you wish.

Sewing Studio: on Mondays in Fellowship Room 7-9 pm. or at Memorial United, Portugal Cove 1-3pm. All sewers, knitters, needleworkers and crafters welcome.

UCW Spring Tea:

St. James United Church 330 Elizabeth Avenue





Saturday, April 1, 2023

Time: 2 – 4 pm Cost: \$8.00

Co-Conveners: Barbara Butt: (709) 687-1041 Sheilah Beckett: (709) 726-7421

Tickets: May be purchased at the door or from UCW members. **Donations:** Donations of baked goods would be most appreciated. *We also ask if everyone can please bring their own shopping bag*

Reducing Paper Use for Lent: Traditionally during Lent people will give something up. This year at St. James, we are doing this collectively by reducing our paper use during worship on Sunday mornings. We are using the overhead slides more thoroughly. We encourage people who like to use bulletins to share and for those who wish, the bulletin can be accessed through your smartphone.