Life and Work - June 18, 2023

We offer condolences to: the family of Basil Worthman who died on June 8th. Basil and Beryl were the very first couple married in the sanctuary of St. James. Their wedding took place the day before the first Sunday morning worship in October of 1961.

We accept the following donation to the Memorial Fund:

- * In loving memory of Husband and Father Clayton Humphries from Ethel, Paul, Dwight and Jennifer.
- * In loving memory of W. A Coish from Dora Lee Pope.
- * In loving memory of Ronald Abbott from Wife, Nina and Family.

We accept the following donation to the Cemetery Fund:

- * In loving memory of Chesley Howse, Hubert Stokes and Carl Babstock from Jean Howse-Babstock.
- * In loving memory of Husband; Bas Jamieson and Father; Capt. Walter Blackwood from Lorna Jamieson.
- * In loving memory of Father, Gilbert Hiscock Sr. from Patsy.
- * In loving memory of Cecil G. Cole from Muriel and Family.
- * In loving memory of Dad, Fred Higdon from Cheryl, Karen, David and Kelly.

We accept the following donation to the General Fund:

- * In loving memory of our Fathers, Lewis Babstock and Edward Murphy from Linda and Ed Murphy.
- * In loving memory of Father, Daniel B. Hann from Nellie and Family.
- * In loving memory of Don Marshall from his Daughters, Janet, Joanne and Families and his Wife, Vera.

We acknowledge a donation to The Bethany Danielle Pike Memorial Camp Fund: from Sorensen School of Dance Christmas Show.

Congregational Meeting: There will be a Congregational meeting following the service on Sunday, June 25th. We encourage all to attend, if possible.

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Sharing in the Celebration Church: Each Sunday morning during worship at St. James we take time for people to share something that they are celebrating, like a Birthday, Anniversary, Graduation, or anything at all! If you are joining worship from home, we would love to include you in this time. So email us at info@stjamesuc.org with information on what you would like to celebrate, and we will include it as part of our "Celebration Church" time during the Sunday Service! Let's all celebrate together!

St. James Mini Lunches will continue throughout the summer months. If you are able and would like to help Linda on a Sunday of your choosing, could you please sign up on the sheet in the Fellowship room. She could use our support.

Forest Church Summer Solstice Service will be held at The Autism Society of NL Farm, 70 Clinch Cres (behind the Health Science Centre) 7 pm, Wednesday, June 21. Everyone is welcome. If the weather is as terrible as it has been all month we will meet in the Greenhouse. Contact Susan for more details.

Stewardship Committee's first on-line auction fundraiser on www.bartlettauctions.com continues and has been extended until 7 pm, Monday, June 19 with the technical, in-kind support of Bartlett Auctions! Thanks to generous donations of local businesses and our congregants, we have 71 various auction lots valued from \$5 to \$2500, including: home décor; giftware; designer sunglasses; wine; preserves; different groceries; a home-knit sweater; rocking horses (from St. James); gift certificates of all sorts; and a catered, five-course dinner for 10 people, generously donated by chefs Scott and Emma Hillyer (valued at \$2500!)

On-line auctions are easy to participate in and a lot of fun! Think of it as competitive shopping. Register to bid by setting up a secured, web site, shopping account as usual on: https://bartlettauctions.com/register-to-bid. Scroll down the pages to view and bid! You will receive e-mailed notifications on the lots on which you bid. Payments are electronically made to the registered bidders' credit cards and the invoices/receipts are automatically sent to the bidders' e-mail. (For those who are less computer literate, simplified, printed directions for registering and bidding are at the church.) For help, please contact Paul at (709) 690-2767.

There has been much action already -- more than 1000 views and bidding raising more than \$2000! Most bidding happens in the final hours, minutes and seconds as one by one, each lot closes. (The countdown is visible.) Don't miss out on the auction fun! Once paid, you may drop by the church office before 1 pm, from June

20 -23 to pick up your items. We greatly appreciate everyone's donations and support! Thank you!

Topsail United Church will be hosting an Afternoon Tea including a Bake Sale on Wednesday June 21 from 2 until 4 P.M. Entertainment provided by Avalonia. Tickets are \$10 and must be purchased in advance by calling the Church office at 834-4567.

Songwriters Circle Concert: Please join us on Thursday, June 29th for a Songwriters Night Fundraiser at Topsail United Church at 7 until 9 P.M., featuring Multi Award Winning Artists, Justin Fancy, Mallory Johnson, Gordon Cormier and Special Guests The Cormiers. Tickets \$25 and are available at the Church Office at 834-4567 or via email at office@topsailunited.ca

2023 Memorial Services

Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Hamilton Avenue Extension Monday, July 3,2023 at 7 P.M

General Protestant Cemetery, Topsail Road Monday, July 17,, 2023 @ 7 P.M

Memorial Gardens Cemetery, 25 Beaumont Hamel Way Monday, July 31, 2023 at 7 P.M

Please Note:

In the event of inclement weather, the services will move ahead to 7 P.M the next evening.