Celebrating Burry Heights Camp:

This Sunday we are highlighting the importance of Burry Heights Camp (and other church-based summer camps) in our shared life in The United Church of Canada. There will be offering envelopes on hand if you wish to make a donation for Burry Heights. You can also make a donation online or by e-transfer. Please specify that it is for Burry Heights Camp.

In addition, Saturday, September 16, 2023 from 12PM to 7PM is Burry Heights Day. This is a time of fun, friendship and music. A time to experience the magic as you reminisce with old friends and meet new. Drop up to Camp for an hour or spend the day!! Exit 35 Salmonier Line and turn left. Just 1/2 km in on the right. Sign has been removed but we're still east to find.

The Visitor: We are looking for submissions for the Thanksgiving edition of The Visitor. It could be what you did this summer, a review of a show you may have seen, or simply whatever is on your mind. Submissions are due no later than September 15. Please send your submissions to gpwarren98@yahoo.com

UCW Meeting: There will be a UCW meeting on September 11th at 2PM in the Fellowship Room.

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 <u>info@stjamesuc.org</u> 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!

Stories and Songs: will be a monthly service held on the 3rd Sunday at <u>Memorial</u> <u>United</u> beginning September 17 at 7pm. Come for a service of stories, music and conversation.

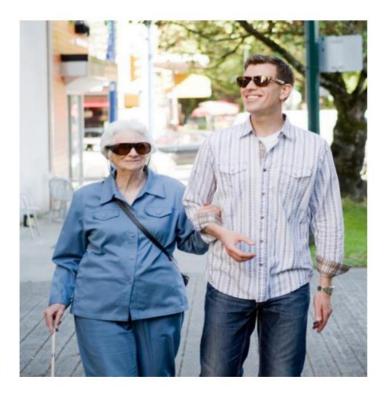
Loose Threads Sewing Studio: will reconvene on Monday, September 18 at <u>Memorial</u> <u>United, Portugal Cove</u>, afternoon 1-3 and evening 7-9. New and beginning sewers, knitters and crafters welcome

Musical Variety Show and 'Bed' lunch: September 23 at 7pm, <u>Memorial United</u> <u>Church, Portugal Cove.</u> Performers include Mackenzie Critch, Rick Bishop, Wayne Butto, Olivia and Addison King, Nancy Oates, Michael Gardner and friends. Tickets are just \$15.00 and are available by calling the church office 709-895-6525 and leaving a message or Sid Woolfrey at 709 770-1245. **CNIB Vision Mate Program:** Would you be interested in CNIB's Vision Mate program? Please see the attached poster for more information. If you have any further questions, please contact Program Lead, Kelly Picco at (709) 754-1180 ext. 5813 or email <u>kelly.picco@cnib.ca</u>



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