Life and Work - September 24, 2023

We accept the following donation to the Choir Fund:

* In memory of a beloved Husband, Jonathan Richards, who passed away on September 26, 2018. From his loving wife, Olga Broomfield-Richards.

Rev. James' Office Hours: If you would like to see Rev. James, he is in the church office on Tuesdays between 1:00 pm and 3:30 pm and on Thursdays between 10:00 am and 12:30 pm. If he is not in during those times, he has been called out on an emergency. Should that happen Stephanie can arrange an alternate time.

Open for a Visit: Rev. James loves coming to people's homes for a visit. If you would like him to come by, feel free to call him at 709-351-0983 to arrange a visit or you can email him at james@stjamesuc.org.

Wild Light Gathering for September: Mark your calendars for the evening of September 30 when we will have our Wild Light Spiritual Oasis gathering for September. We will meet in Rev. James' backyard for a time of prayer around the fire followed by a planning session for the coming year.

St. James Ladies Bowling League: The St. James Ladies Bowling has been in existence for over 40 years. Ladies from this church along with other bowlers have been enjoying fun, laughter, friendship and, of course, a little exercise at Holiday Lanes, 27 Elizabeth Avenue. St. James Ladies is a fun league, with all levels of bowlers, from beginner to experienced. Bowling is at 10 A.M Tuesday mornings at Holiday Lanes. Why don't you drop by and see what we are all about; you may even see a few familiar faces there! New members and spares are welcome! Contact Coleen Stirling at 709-739-0022 or email: coleen.stirling@gmail.com, or call Holiday Lanes at 709-754-0260 for more information.

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!

UCW Morning Coffee and Bake Stall:

St. James United Church 330 Elizabeth Avenue

Morning Coffee & Bake Stall
Sponsored by the UCW

St. James Auditorium

Saturday, November 4, 2023

Time: 9:45 - 12 Noon Cost: \$8.00

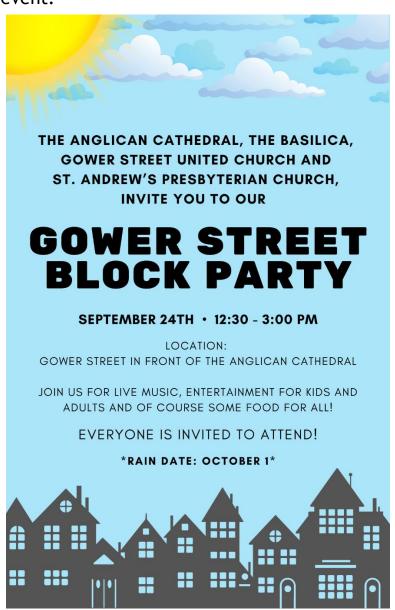
Co-Conveners: Daphne Coish: (709) 722 - 3196

Betty Pilgrim: (709) 726-6923

Coastal Sounds Choir Association: are delighted to announce that registration for the 10th Anniversary Christmas Cantata is now open! We are looking to have a 100-person choir, we will have school choir guests (who will be writing their own narrations!), and a Celtic Consort! We are going to have a TIME! If you are interested in learning more, check out the link below (which will also allow you to register!), Link to register: https://forms.gle/V4hESArjqE3oyiHv8

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.

Gower Street Block Party: The Anglican Cathedral, The Basilica, Gower Street United Church and St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church invite everyone to the annual Gower Street Block Party on September 24th from 12:30 - 3:00 pm. Join us on Gower Street, in front of the Anglican Cathedral, for live music, entertainment for kids and adults and of course, some food for all. The Gower Street Block Party will be a free community event.



Cowan Heights United Annual Fall Fair: Cowan Heights UC Annual Fall Fair is scheduled for Saturday, October 7th, from 10am-4pm. Featuring African Cuisine, paintings, artwork, cemetery saddles, freeze-dried candy, jewelry, knitted goods, pillows, quilts and other sewing items, dog/cat bandanas/bowties, soaps, mummers, baked goods, preserves, Scentsy, Mary Kay, children's books, and more. The Men's Club will be selling their homemade soup and roll at 11:30am for \$5.

Cochrane Street United Church FALL PLANT AND HARVEST SALE:

is Saturday, October 7, from 10:30am-1:00pm. Come visit us on the patio at 81 Cochrane Street to see our indoor & outdoor plants, chutneys, relishes, jams and marmalades! If you have any questions, please contact the church office by Tuesday, October 3, at info@cochranestreetuc.com or 722-3023

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 kelly.picco@cnib.ca.



Do you have what it takes to become a Vision Mate?

Join CNIB
and make a
difference in the
life of someone
who is blind or
partially sighted
by volunteering
just a couple of
hours a week.



Imagine losing some or all your vision. How would you tackle daily tasks like reading, shopping or taking a stroll down the street? Having someone to provide sighted assistance can make all the difference.

As a Vision Mate, you'll be matched with someone with sight loss in your community to help them with everyday activities such as running errands or going for coffee.

Interested?
Contact: Kelly Picco at 754-1180 (ext 5813) or kelly.picco@cnib.ca