

## **Life and Work - November 26, 2023**

### **We accept the following donation to the St. James AOTS:**

- \* In memory of David Hapgood from Ernest and Stella Bishop

### **We accept the following donations to the General Fund:**

- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Charlie and Linda Babstock
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Linda and Ed Murphy
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Paul and Jean Thompson and Maude Lake
- \* In memory of William David Hapgood from Hazel Milley

### **We accept the following donations to the Memorial Fund:**

- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Ruth Baker
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from the AOTS
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Aubrey and Ruby Hill
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Jack Head
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Michelle and Perry Winter
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Vera Marshall
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from The Grenning Family
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Karen Pike & Jeremy Squires
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Una Keenan
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Jamie Stroh
- \* In memory of David and Dorothy Hapgood from Heather May
- \* In memory of David and Dorothy Hapgood from Lisa Pike-Young
- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Susan L. Pike and Michael Kavanagh

### **We accept the following donation to the Bethany Danielle Pike Memorial Camp Fund:**

- \* In memory of Dave Hapgood from Marion Davis

### **We accept the following donation to the Music Program Fund:**

- \* In memory of William David Hapgood from Joyce Emberley

## **We accept the following donation to the Cemetery Fund:**

\* In loving memory of Cecil G. Cole from Muriel and Family

**Christmas Decorating - Please join us** in decorating our church sanctuary on Saturday, December 2, 10:00 am. Light refreshments provided. All help will be greatly appreciated.

**Eventide Worship:** This week's Eventide Worship service is Tapestry. This service celebrates the strands that make us who we are in terms of faith, experience, and identity. Based on a theme, the service makes use of popular music as its "hymnbook". Participants are invited to bring a text or other media that represents the theme. Time is given for individual and shared reflection.

**St. James Christmas Bake Sale and Luncheon:** Don't have time to bake your Christmas cookies or cakes? Let us help you out! On ***Sunday, December 17th from 12:30PM to 2:30PM*** we will be hosting a Christmas Bake sale, including breads, cookies, homemade fudge, and more. Baked beans, hot dogs, and soup will also be available for lunch. No admission charge. We hope to see you there!

**Memory Christmas Tree:** At this time of the year, thoughts of our loved ones are never far from our minds. One of the ways we acknowledge this is through the Memory Tree. For a donation, a colored bulb will be changed to a white one in memory or in celebration of loved ones. We often think of this in terms remembering those who have passed but we also may have happy memories that we want to acknowledge, like the birth of a child, a graduation or perhaps an important anniversary. The money raised through your gift helps to fund the many projects and activities that make St. James the vibrant faith community we love. Please have your request into the office before ***noon on Friday, December 15*** for inclusion in the Christmas Eve bulletin insert. Best wishes for a Christmas of peace, love and joy!

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In Memory or Celebration of: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Donation

**White Gift Sunday:** This year's White Gift Sunday is scheduled for Sunday, December 10. Please see the list of requested items on the insert about Stella's Circle.

**Social Action & Outreach Team:** A young Ukrainian family with two daughters, one a teenager and the other 15 months old, and their small dog, recently escaped Ukraine during the bombings last year. They finally arrived here on Monday, November 13, and are staying at Holiday Inn until they find the needed furnishings for their apartment in Mount Pearl.

To help the family to settle, our committee asks you for donations of beds, furniture, all kinds of home furnishings and small appliances (in new or very good condition and working order only please). **For details of their needs and to donate, please contact Robin at (709) 682-3927 or [robinbartlett1224@gmail.com](mailto:robinbartlett1224@gmail.com).**

Pick-up and deliveries of smaller items in the St. John's/Mt. Pearl areas may be arranged. *(Please do not drop off items at the church. There is little space to store them.)* Thank you!

**Topsail United Church Breakfast with Santa:** Topsail United Church will be hosting a Breakfast with Santa on Saturday Dec. 2, from 8 Until 11 A.M. Usual great Menu of Baked Beans, Ham, Plain or Blueberry Pancakes, Eggs; fried or Boiled, Cereal, Juice, toast,

Tea and Coffee. Admission \$10 Adults, \$5 Children. Pictures with Santa, Face Painting and Coloring. All are Welcome.

**Coastal Sounds Choir Association** are thrilled to announce, A CELTIC CHRISTMAS, Choral Concert and 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cantata, on Sunday, Dec. 3 at 7 P.M. at All Saints Anglican Church, Foxtrap, with Special Guests: Matthew Byrne and local Members of NLESD. Tickets are \$ 25 and are available by our website: [www.coastalsoundschoir.com](http://www.coastalsoundschoir.com) Donations for the Community Food Sharing Association Greatly Appreciated.



Gower Street United Church  
invites you to our  
**Seniors' Christmas  
Gala**  
Tuesday, November 28, 2023  
Tickets are \$25.00  
Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings  
Entertainment by the Walsh Family  
Accepting Food Bank Donations (or a Loonie)  
Draws for Door Pizes  
Doors Open at 5:30 PM - Dinner starting 6 PM  
Ticket Sales Start on November 7, 2023  
Purchase tickers via Gower Office  
99 Queens Rd. 709-753-7286.  
Office Hours Wednesday - Thursday  
11:00 A.m. - 4:00 P.M.  
Payment (cash, cheque or e-transfer)  
due on ticket distrubtion



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