St. James United Church Life and Work, September 22, 2019 We offer our condolences to Dr. Brian Ramjattan and family on the passing of Brian's father, Frank Ramjattan on September 18. His funeral will take place tomorrow at 2pm at St. James.

We gratefully acknowledge a donation to Project Grace in loving memory of Frank Ramjattan from Dot and David Hapgood.

**Please join us for Coffee Hour** hosted by our AOTS Men's Group after the 11am Service today.

**This afternoon, noon -2pm:** St. James' Third Annual Diversity Fair in our Auditorium. Come learn about groups working to make St. John's a more inclusive and just community. Refreshments will be served.

**Financial Update:** St. James sincerely thanks our congregation for their ongoing support. To meet our budget, we need average weekly givings of \$3,961. (This includes the weekly PAR contributions. Givings for: September 1: \$2,721

September 8: \$3,225 September 15: \$5,274

**Tickets are now available** from Aubrey Hill, 726-8306, for our semi-annual Fish Dinner on Friday, October 25 at 6pm

**Did you usher over the summer** and take your name tag home with you? If you find you have an usher name tag at home, please drop it off at the office. Many thanks!

**Coughlan College Trust Fund Scholarship Application:** If you know of a student who is a member of the UCC and enrolled in a degree program or a 3-year diploma program at a post-secondary institution, they may be eligible for this scholarship. Please see the application form on the notice board or speak with SuAn. Deadline for applications is October 15.

**Monday, September 23, 3-6pm:** Susan's Loose Threads Sewing Studio Fall Session is cancelled for this week.

Wednesday, September 25: AOTS and UCW Choirs' first practice together at 10am. New members welcome!

## Wednesday, September 25:

\*Spiritual Fellowship: Starting September 25, join us Wednesdays, between 12 noon and 2pm for a half hour Worship Service in the Youth Chapel followed by lunch and social time. Bring along your brown bag lunch. Coffee and tea provided. Drop in and join in, for some or for all. Everyone is welcome.

\*Our Friendship Group will have their first lunch meeting, eating at 1pm. Bring lunch and a mug. New members welcome!

\*Our Youth Choir will begin practices at 7pm. New members needed!

**Mark you calendars** for Saturday, November 30: Bethlehem Market at St. James; details to follow.

**Bridges to Hope Fundraiser:** Thursday, October 3 at 6:30 pm Spirit of Newfoundland Productions presents *Over The Narrows And Into History,* dinner and a show at Bridges To Hope Food Aid Centre, Tickets are \$80 each. www.bridgestohope.ca or 722-9225.

Project Grace is offering: \*Music Lessons for Grown Ups on Tuesday evenings, September17 - November 7, 7:30-8:30 for \$120 per person at The Bethany Center. Registration is now open online: www.projectgrace.ca \*Project Grace is now accepting registration for their After School Music Program for children in grades 1 through 12. Lessons are offered in violin, cello, flute, clarinet, trumpet, trombone, piano, percussion and ukulele. Please visit www.projectgrace.ca to learn more & to sign up!

Wesley United Church Jiggs Dinner and a game of Auction, Thursday, October 3, starting at 6pm. Tickets are \$25 and will need to be bought and paid for in advance. There will be somebody in attendance at the Church office from Monday, September 23 - Friday the 27, 1-3:30pm. For information call Pheobe at 726-1689 or Marvin at 579-7900.

"An Evening with Kevin Collins", at The Salvation Army Temple, Torbay Road, Saturday, September 28 at 7:30 pm. All proceeds will be in aid of the Glenbrook Lodge. Tickets (\$20) are available by calling Bernice (368-1850), Glenys (739-6391), Frances (745-5232), or the Glenbrook Lodge (743-0094).

**Please see the Community notice board** outside the Sanctuary for information on some community events.