

Life and Work – May 23, 2021

We would like to acknowledge the following donation to the General Fund:

*In memory of Winona Kelsey from Brenda and Clyde Flight

We would like to acknowledge the following donation to the Memorial Fund:

*In memory of May Stokes, Shirley Ford, and Barbara Myles from Jean and family

We would like to acknowledge the following donation to the Cemetery Fund:

*In memory of Guy G. Hann from Nellie Hann and family

Topsail United Church & Friends Presents "Spring has Sprung!", a virtual concert fundraiser, Fri. May 28 at 7pm. Tickets at [Facebook.com/TopsailUnitedChurch](https://www.facebook.com/TopsailUnitedChurch) and [Eventbrite.ca](https://www.eventbrite.ca) or contact office@topsailunited.ca or 834-4567.

Minimum \$10 suggested donation. An email address is required to receive a private concert link

The George St United Church and the Jimmy Pratt Memorial Outreach Centre will be hosting a Turkey Cold Plate Take Away Dinner on May 29th, 2021 AT 4:00 PM. Tickets for the dinner are \$15.00 each and can be purchased at the GSUC office Monday- Friday 8:00 AM -12:00 PM. Tickets will be on sale till May 25, 2021. There will be no tickets sold at the door.

Topsail United Church will be holding a Lobster Take Out Dinner on Wednesday June 9th from 4 P.M until 6 P.M. Meal will Consist of 3 Salads, Roll, Dessert. Cost \$35. To reserve, please call the church Office at 834-4567, between 9 and 12 Monday thru Friday. No ticket sales at the Door, all meals will need to be paid for in Advance. Cut of Date for Orders will be June 5, 2021. Due to Covid 19 Social Distancing must be maintained during pick up.

**Way to go Jake, your creativity and energy
has brought you much success!**

If you have ever wondered who it is that has the technical expertise to manage the sound system, the live streaming, and the video coverage of our worship services; that person is **Jake Thompson**.

Jake has been fascinated with puppets since he was a two-year-old watching the Muppet Show after which he began making his own puppets. At age 11 Jake set up a YouTube channel. Now at age 16 he has had the experience of working with local

actors and directors such as Pete Soucy and Ruth Lawrence. This fall the series of nine seven-minute shows called “**The Adventures of Gary and Lou**” will go national on Bell’s FibeTV1.

As the story goes Gary Wheeseltin, who has just retired, has no plans except to sit back and relax and do nothing. Gary’s next-door neighbour Lou however, has other plans. They make a deal that for the seven days after his retirement they will go on an adventure.

Pete Soucy, a 60-year-old, said that “*working together on the writing with a 16-year-old Jake was perfect. He kept the energy and the joy in it and I had the experience of knowing how to finish and polish a script.*” (The Telegram, May 15, 2021)

Congratulations