

Life and Work – June 27, 2021

We offer our condolences to the family of Elizabeth (Betty) Henderson on her passing on June 21, 2021. Funeral was held at Barrett's Funeral Home on Friday, June 25th at 2:00 pm.

Rev. Rebecca Pike has commenced her duties here at St. James United. This is a part time position until August 1st. Her primary responsibility will be leading Sunday Worship; however, she will also be providing some Pastoral Care as well as responding to emergency calls. Should you need to connect with Rev. Rebecca, please call the church office to arrange a follow up call.

We also acknowledge the commitment of Susan Sheppard DLM, to St. James for her valuable assistance this past year by taking on extra responsibilities such as responding to emergency calls and Pastoral care to the congregation as needed. Susan has always met the challenge when requested of her; all the while attending to her own duties and responsibilities.

THANK YOU, Susan

The renewal deadline for Broadview (The Observer) is July 12, 2021, and the fees are \$25. Please call Barry Cutler (cell) 685-9030, or (home) 364-3450. He can also be reached by email at Newfie_1_ca@yahoo.ca



Update on Clergy supply

To begin, we have confirmed that Rev. James Ravenscroft will join us on August 2, 2021. His first Worship Service will be on August 8.

Rev. Rebecca Pike has joined our ministry team as of June 21, 2021, and she will be providing, among many other duties, Pastoral care, Worship services, and emergency calls until August 1, 2021. Susan Sheppard will continue in her current position.

Rev Jim Von Reisen and Rev. Marion Davis responded willingly to our call in September 2020 when we needed them to provide for Sunday Worship. First online, and then in person, they have adapted as Public Health has directed since then. They have been a blessing to us all, delivering insightful and meaningful Sunday Worship Services. Both have received considerable accolades following their services.

As you may have noted, the current Worship Schedule cycle ends at the end of June. It is at that time we said farewell to Rev Marion on June 20 and Rev. Jim will have his last worship service on June 27. We thank them most sincerely for their willingness to help us out in our time of need and for their commitment to St. James. As a congregation, we are most fortunate to have their support.

We wish them both all the best as they once again resume their retirement lives. They will be missed in the pulpit, but we hope they will join us in the pews for worship, in the knowledge that they will always have a place at St. James.

Again, THANK YOU and God bless you !

