

## Life and Work – May 1, 2022

**We gratefully accept the following donation to the General Fund:**

\*In loving memory of husband Albert Styles love Victoria Styles

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**Communion:** This Sunday we are sharing in the sacrament of communion. If you plan to join the service live but online from home, be sure to have some bread and juice with you to consume as part of the service.

**Weekly Fellowship:** We are hosting our weekly tea and coffee following the 11:00am Sunday worship service. After such a long time not being able to see one another regularly, it is important to create opportunities to get together. So if you can, bring a mug with you so we don't have to use too many disposable cups, and we'll have a mug up after Sunday morning services in the Fellowship Room.

**A Correction from Rev. James:** In his sermon on Sunday, Rev. James made a reference to environmental concerns, including a 90% loss in insect population. His statement was based on a 25 year study conducted in Denmark. Since Sunday, Rev. James has done a bit more research and learned that the figure is actually that 40% of insects are experiencing population decline or are threatened. It is still a very large number but not as large as he indicated.

### **Volunteer week April 24 – 30, 2022**

St. James United would like to send a huge Thank You to all the volunteers. We would not be able to do all that we do without your help, and your time and efforts are appreciated !!!

**We would like to send a thank you** for the support of the Hot Chicken Dinner Fundraiser !!!

We were able to sell 200 hot chicken dinners and the volunteers were busy helping with the assembly and distribution of those on Saturday, April 30<sup>th</sup>. We hope you enjoyed !!

**Covenanting Worship** for Rebecca Pike with Gower Street United is taking place on Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

### **Memorial Sing Hymn**

**When:** Sunday, May 15, 2022.

**Submission Deadline: Extended until Monday, May 9, 2022.**

All dedications will be acknowledged in Memorial Hymn Sing bulletin. Visit our website for more information.

For a paper copy of the Memorial Hymn Sing Form call the office at 722-1881.

**Payments** can be made via cash/cheque (cheques can be made payable to St. James United). You can place your form and payment in the secure drop-box to the right of the office entrance or drop it to the office during office hours. You can also email your dedication to [info@stjamesuc.org](mailto:info@stjamesuc.org).

**Electronic payments** can be made by e-transfer to [treasurer@stjamesuc.org](mailto:treasurer@stjamesuc.org) or click the "Donate" button on the website. **\*\*Please note "Hymn Sing" with your payment\*\***

A tax receipt will be issued.

**Pub Theology for May:** This month's Pub Theology gathering is scheduled for May 18 at 7:00pm. At this time the plan is to meet in person at The Guv'nor, assuming that numbers of infections from COVID keep going down from earlier in the month.

**Office Administrator - Tracy Bishop**

It's with a very heavy heart that I make the announcement of my departure from St. James. I will be in the office until Friday, May 6 for all your needs and to help in any way that I can.

My time at St. James has been an experience I will carry with me as I move forward with my career in the Provincial Government. The Ministers and Committees have been an absolutely pleasure to work with, and I will miss them dearly. The members have been so welcoming and made my time at St. James unforgettable. This is not good-bye, it's until we meet again. It's been my pleasure St. James !!!

**Community News**

**Topsail United - Flipper Dinner** - The Topsail United Men's Club will be holding a takeout Flipper Dinner on Monday May 16, 2022.

**Pick up:** 4:30 - 6:00.

**Tickets:** \$25. Tickets must be paid for in advance. No Sales at the Door.

To purchase tickets please call the Church Office at 834-4567.

Office hours are 9-12, Monday-Friday.

Thank you for your support.

**MEMORIAL UNITED CHURCH PORTUGAL COVE**

MORNING COFFEE & TEA

**WHEN:** Saturday, MAY 7 at 10:00AM

PLEASE COME ALONG AND ENJOY SOME MUFFINS, TEA BUNS & BREADS, CHEESE & CRACKERS, BAKE TABLE, PLANT SALE TABLE, BOOK SALE TABLE.

**ADMISSION:** \$6.00

**Wednesday, May 4 and Tuesday, June 7, 2022 please join Ref. M.J. and The Masons Sweet Forget-Me- Nots Cafe of Memories.**

Join us as Lodge Westmoorland, in partnership with Alzheimer Society of Newfoundland & Labrador, hosts an afternoon of entertainment & refreshments for those with dementia and their caregivers.

**When:** Wed, May 4 & Tue, June 7 from 2:00PM—4:00PM

**Where:** Freemason's Hall, 115 Mt. Carson Ave, Mount Pearl

**\*Registration is required, due to limited space\***

Please register by calling the Alzheimer Society at (709) 576-0608 or e-mail [events@alzheimernl.ca](mailto:events@alzheimernl.ca)

Masks are required! All events are free of charge!

Name(s) of Contributor: \_\_\_\_\_

Envelope No. OR Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Donation (\$5 - 20/ dedication): \$\_\_\_\_\_

Hymn Choice No. \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

*To contribute more "in memoriums", **please use a separate sheet for each**, clearly attributing the contributor's name to loved one's name & selected hymn number, amount & envelope no. or address.*

**Hymn Selections from which to choose:**

1. ***Blessed Assurance***
2. ***Deep in Our Hearts***
3. ***Here I am Lord***
4. ***In the Garden***
5. ***Morning Has Broken***
6. ***Shall We gather at the River***
7. ***Tell Me the Stories of Jesus***
8. ***The Church in the Wildwood***
9. ***What a Friend We Have in Jesus***
10. ***Will Your Anchor Hold***