ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements: If you wish to have an announcement included in the bulletin, please have it into the office by Wednesday at 5:00 pm.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING: The Church Council will be meeting on Tuesday, July 24, at 7:00pm, focussing on the MOU.

Our Annual BBQ in the Park will take place on July 22 at Bannerman Park from 2 - 4pm. If you are able to volunteer your time, please come by between 1:00pm & 1:30pm in the park beside the Colonial Bldg. We also appreciate your donations for the bbq in cheques or gift cards! Please mark "Donation for BBQ in the Park" on your envelope. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Bill Evans billevans3237@gmail.com.

UCW is looking for coffee time volunteers after worship service to bring and serve refreshments on JULY 29, as well as AUGUST 5 & 19. A team of at least two is needed for those Sundays. If you are able to help out please contact Laura Baker, 747-8315. Your help is much appreciated!

All Request Summer Sundays: We want to know your favourite hymns so we can sing them all summer long! Take a minute after church to write it on the flip chart paper or email the office at info@cochranestreetuc.com.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

JUL 22: Worship at Wesley UC

JUL 29: Worship at CSUC – Rebecca Pike

AUG 19: Worship at CSUC – Betty Barnes

AUG 26: Worship at CSUC – Katie Vardy

SEP 01: Worship at CSUC – Betty Barnes

AUG 12: Worship at CSUC - Rebecca Pike

Please note the wrong name was placed in the newsletter for August 26. Katie Vardy is, indeed, leading worship on the 26th of August.

SUMMER SINGERS

JUL 29 - Anna James (Maggie) AUG 19 - Abi Schwartz

AUG 05 - Mary/Ella Antle (Maggie) AUG 26 - Anna James (Maggie)

AUG 12 - Abi Schwartz

Rev. Miriam will be attending General Council from July 19 - 28 and then on vacation until September 3. If there is a pastoral emergency during that time, please contact:

July 19 - August 6 Rev. Bill Mercer (Wesley United Church)

579-3682 or 683-1980

August 7 - 23 Rev. Marion Davis (Gower Street United Church)

753-7286 or 685-0541

August 24 - September 3 Rev. Brian Colbourne (St. James United Church)

722-1881 or 579-8770

More Voices: The Church Council is looking for your support to purchase 100 copies of *More Voices* – a supplement to our hymn book, often used for Sunday morning worship. Each copy (including protective cover) is \$25.00. Please put your donation in the collection plate marked "More Voices". If you wish to donate a hymn book in celebration of a special event or in memory of a loved one, please email the office at info@cochrane streetuc.com or write the dedication on your envelope.

Many positions in the newly formed **Conference governance structure** are not filled. Our help is requested in finding persons interested in filling the empty spaces. For those interested, mandates are available. Please contact Joan Brinston at joan.br@bellaliant.net, 709-586-2285 (pastoral charge office), or 709-549-2439 (home). Thanking you in advance for your Congregations' help to fill in the spaces.

BAG TO SCHOOL: Each year Bridges to Hope provides curriculum based school supplies and school bags to North East Avalon students in kindergarten to high school and Adult Basic Education. The filled back packs are distributed to community members through service organizations, Community Centres, and Bridges to Hope. We are hoping you can help us to help students get a good start in 2018. This year, Bridges to Hope is once again reaching out to our faith-based community with a request for donations of **Erasers**. Thank you for your continued support.

Out In Faith NL invites you to the third annual Multifaith Service during Pride Week on July 19, 7pm, at the Gathering Place. The LGBTQ2S+ community and allies gather to celebrate the spirit within. We also acknowledge the many manifestations of pain and joy often experienced within organized religions. There will be reflections by several community members and singing with Spectrum Queer Choir. Refreshments will be served.

BEGINNERS' YOGA is taking place Tuesdays from 5:30-6:30pm at Cochrane Centre in the sanctuary. All levels are welcome. Mats provided. For further information, please contact 754-2532.

LOST & FOUND: Two 5.6L containers with red lids, men's black winter cap, black baseball cap, winter scarf, purple silk scarf, women's black gloves, and one earring. Please contact the church office 722-3023 to arrange for pick up of these items.

The Alzheimer Society of Newfoundland and Labrador is hosting a Lunch & Learn webinar on July 24 from 12:30-1:30 PM! This presentation is free and open to the public. The aim of this webinar is to provide information about our First Link Program and inform you of the process to connect individuals with us. In order to connect with our clients, we require people such as yourself to help bridge those connections by becoming referring partners! If you are interested in being registered for the webinar, email your name, email address and profession and/or position title to firstlink@alzheimernl.ca or, give us a call at f09056-0608.

The Anglican Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, 16 Church Hill, in downtown St. John's will once again host the ever-popular <u>Cathedral Crypt Tearoom</u> this summer. Featuring delicious breads, cookies and scones served with tea and coffee, specialty teas and even hot chocolate and juice for the children. Adults \$10, Children \$6. Reservations are recommended for groups of 8 or more by calling the church office at 726-5677.

Tearoom Opening Date: Wednesday, July 11, 2018 Tearoom Closing Date: Saturday, August 18, 2018

Operating Days/Times: Wednesday-Saturday weekly, 2-4pm each day

The position of Office administrator is available at Cowan Heights United Church. This is a part-time position of 15 hours weekly. The starting pay would be \$13.50 per hour with pension and health benefits. The position requires admin experience, graduation from high school supplemented by post-secondary training in business or office administration or a combination thereof, demonstrated ability to work independently with a minimum of supervision, and knowledge of social media, Quick books, Word, & Excel. The deadline for applications is August 9. Resumes can be emailed to rpurchase@nf.sympatico.ca or sent to Cowan Heights United Church, 141 Frecker Drive, St. John's NL, A1E 4W1, Attention: Randy Purchase.

NOTES FROM THE ARCHIVES

The Annual Report of the congregation for 1950 reported the following income:

Worship offering \$5,342
Thank offering \$5,290
Easter offering \$ 847
Pew rents \$1,123

Total \$12,602 (equivalent to \$136,675 in 2018

using Bank of Canada inflation calculator)

Welcome to Cochrane Street United Church

Whether you are here for the first time or this is your church home – welcome to our community of faith. Following worship there is a time of fellowship.

USHERING TEAM FOR JULY 22

Ian McMaster, Bill Squires, Blair Bradbury, and Gerry Penney

THIS WEEK AT COCHRANE STREET JULY 23 – JULY 29

Tuesday: 7:00 PM Council Meeting Bannerman Entrance

Sunday: 11:00 AM Worship at Cochrane Street United Church

OFFICE

Office Hours: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays

10:30 am - 1:30 pm

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CONTACT REV. MIRIAM

Have a question or need to make an appointment?
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