

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEMORIALS

*In Memory of sister, Beverley,
from Judy Kay*

*In Memory of father, Harold Burt,
from David Burt*

No Scents Makes Good Sense!

A friendly reminder that members of our congregation are sensitive to scented products. Reactions can vary from not being able to breathe to severe headaches. Thank you for being respectful of their needs.

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

Sanctuary Sound System: We have a looped system for the hearing impaired. Please ask one of the ushers for a headset.

DRAW NEAR will take place on **SUNDAY, November 25, 7:00pm**, at Cochrane Street United Church. Join us for an evening of music and readings in preparation for the Christmas Season. Cochrane Street United Church Choir will be joined by special guest Shelley Neville as we sing both Advent and Christmas music. ***Please Note: our 11am service is cancelled due to a 12pm start to the Downtown Christmas Parade.***

Prayer Group: This group meets weekly to pause, give thanks, breathe deeply, and pray for others. If you have a prayer request, you can put them in our offering plate or you can email: prayers@cochranestreetuc.com.

The Allanah Briggs Project in Support of the Janeway: Allanah is holding her fourth annual Facebook auction in support of the Janeway Children's Hospital. Running until 7:00pm, November 29, the auction features over 50 entries for a total value over \$1500!! Be sure to check it out. You never know, you might get a few gifts for someone. Here's the link: <http://www.facebook.com/AllanaBriggsProject> .

United Church Observer: Anyone who is interested in renewing their Observer subscription (\$25) or who would like to receive it, please contact Paula Reynolds at 325-2106. If writing out a cheque, please make it payable to the United Church Observer. Thank you!

The United Church Bookstore is conducting inventory the week of December 17-21, 2018. We are looking for volunteers! Can you spare an afternoon or morning or a full day to help us? It's fairly simple and fun – just count and record. We will take any time that you can spare. Please contact Leona Laundry at ucbookstore@nfld.net or 709-754-0372 and we will include you in the inventory schedule. Thank you for your consideration.

United Church Bookstore & Gifts CHRISTMAS SALE December 3 – 7
from 8:30am - 4:30pm at 320 Elizabeth Avenue. 20% off select items!
REFRESHMENTS SERVED.

Southview Unit Renovation – “Change of Face” Phase 4: At the spring meeting of Conference in Carbonear, the Agnes Pratt Home Foundation made a presentation to ask for support from congregations of Newfoundland and Labrador Conference. The Agnes Pratt Home is proud to provide care to 134 long term residents from communities throughout the province and is **in need of \$400,000** in order to renovate the Southview Unit. Any assistance your congregation can provide in this effort would be greatly appreciated. The foundation is a 100% volunteer group, with all monies raised going to benefit Agnes Pratt residents.

Please note that fundraising efforts will also be matched with a donation from the Fry Family Foundation. Donations can be made by cheque, online at www.aphf.ca, by e-transfer to agnesprathomefoundation.com, or by phone (752-8957). Your consideration is sincerely appreciated.

FLURRIES OF WHITE: Featuring Lori Gemmel, harp, & Nathan Cook, cello, on **November 23, 8:00pm**, at Cochrane Street United Church! Lady Cove is also making its own contribution by commissioning a brand new Christmas suite for women's voices! **Tickets:** \$30/\$25 (student & senior) + box office surcharge. Available at the Holy Heart Theatre Box Office, 55 Bonaventure Avenue or call 579-4424.

St. James United Church, 330 Elizabeth Avenue, is celebrating 60 years of Ministry this November. Please join us for our **Anniversary Hymn Sing on November 23 at 7pm** to celebrate. Admission: pay what you can.

Please join us at our **Annual Gower St. United Church UCW Fall Afternoon Tea and Sale** on **November 24, 2:00 – 3:30pm**. Tickets \$7.00 available at the door.

Gower Seniors Club Christmas Gala at Gower Street United Church hall. All Seniors Welcome! There will be Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings. Entertainment is provided by The Walsh Brothers **November 27, 6:00pm - 8:30pm**. Tickets \$20, available at the church office. Call 753-7286.

Fall Fair Parish of the Ascension, 58 Smallwood Drive, **November 27 at 7:00pm** there will be a card party, cost is \$6 per player, bring own cards and baskets.

Gospel Concert: “The Glenbrook Lodge Ladies’ Auxiliary will hold its annual Christmas Gospel Concert on **November 30**, at the SA St. John’s Citadel, Adams Avenue. The concert begins at **7:30pm** with a Musical Prelude by the St. John’s Citadel Band Ensemble at 7:00pm and features the Wesley Male Choir, Coastal Sounds Community Choir, and other vocalists and musicians. Tickets (\$12) available at Glenbrook Lodge (752-8865), or by calling Bernice (368-1850), or Glenys (739-6391), or at the door. Thank you very much for doing this. We really appreciate it.

MADD, Avalon Chapter, will be holding their annual candlelight vigil on **Nov 29 @ 7:00pm** at Wesley United Church, Patrick Street. Special musical guests are Dr. David Chafe and Annabeth Loveys. Please feel free to contact Grace Difalco at 437-1705 or gbdifalco@nl.rogers.com.

Alzheimer Society Lunch & Learn Webinar November 29, 12:30-1:30pm: 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 registering for the webinar, email your name, email address and profession and/or position title to firstlink@alzheimernl.ca or call us at **576-0608**.

The Salvation Army presents Hope for the Holidays – Christmas gala of brass and choral music with special guest, Darrin Martin. The evening will feature pianist Brian Way, NewFound Brass and a 100 voice Festive Chorus. The audience will be invited to join in familiar carols and warm-hearted songs of the season. Begin your festive season with The Salvation Army **in the elegant, century old surroundings of GOWER STREET CHURCH** on **December 8 at 7:30pm**. Tickets are \$20 and available at The Salvation Army Office at the Village Mall or at the door.

Shelley Neville presents HOLY NIGHT **December 19 & 20, 7:30pm**, at the Arts & Culture Centre with special guests David Pomeroy, Peter Halley, Sheila Williams, Cory Tetford & John Neville (Shelley's dad) — plus a few surprises! Tickets \$57 (includes HST). If interested, please call 729-3900 or go on-line at ARTSANDCULTURECENTRE.com.

NOTES FROM THE ARCHIVES

A couple of events sponsored by the church's Young People's Union:

Nov 25, 1956, a skating party at Prince of Wales Arena, 11-12 PM, admission 50 cents, prizes!

Feb 11, 1957, a Valentine dance at MacPherson Academy, 9 PM, admission \$1.50 double.

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 NOVEMBER

Keith Bowden, Eldred Butt, Harold Grandy,
John Bowden, and David Boone

THIS WEEK AT COCHRANE STREET NOVEMBER 26 – DECEMBER 02

Tuesday: 6:30 PM Choir Practice Bannerman Street Entrance
Wednesday: 12:15 PM Prayer Group Bannerman Street Entrance
Sunday: 10:00 AM Choir Practice

OFFICE

Office Hours: Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00 am – 1:30 pm
Wednesdays 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

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CONTACT REV. MIRIAM

Have a question or need to make an appointment?

You can reach Rev. Miriam in the following ways:

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