



Church News

Sunday, November 12, 2017

Today

All children are invited to come forward for a **Children's Time** in our service. Then, following a prayer, they will leave for their respective programs. Children under the age of 4 go to the Nursery and children up to grade 5 are invited to participate in the children and worship program.

Nursery: **November 12** Cathy Smith & Dylan Zwicker
Nov. 19 Breanna MacIntosh & Paige MacDonald

Ushers: **November** Lewis Turner, Josh Beckett,
Jeff Zwicker, Dylan Zwicker

Tellers: **November** Jeff Zwicker & Margaret Barkhouse

Decorations:
November Jennifer Lewis

Church Events:

1. **Coffee & Conversation!** Every **Thursday at 10 a.m.** anyone who feels like a cup of coffee and conversation is most welcome to join us.
2. **Sunday School** – stay tuned for news about the upcoming Children's Worship II starting up before Christmas for grades 3-6. Adult Sunday School classes will be held following the service from 11:15 to 12. Children from age 4 to grade 5 are invited downstairs for the children in worship program.
3. **Last Session of Sermons From Scratch:** Today at 3:30p.m. We will study Matthew 25: 14-30: The Parable of the Talents.
4. The last until January **Corn Chowder/Hamburger Soup Luncheon** will take place Wed., **Nov. 15th** from 11:30 to 1pm in Lockwood Hall. We have a choice of delicious desserts, fresh bread, tea and coffee. The cost is \$8. We look forward to seeing you there! (Sponsored by the Loyal Workers of PWUBC)

5. **Youth Group** - Sunday, **November 12** from 6:30-8:15 at the church. Join us for Messy Night!
 Friday, **November 17** from 5:45-8pm in Lockwood Hall. Help us to serve at the Anniversary Supper. This is a great church fundraiser! Please wear your yellow t-shirt! Sunday, **November 19** - Senior Youth Grade 9+ This event is just for senior youth! More details soon!

6. **Anniversary Dinner**
When: Friday night November 17, 2017 at 6:00
Where: Lockwood Hall
What: Salmon or chicken entrée with a three- course meal. (Special dietary concerns can be accommodated)
Price: \$20 per person \$10 for children who need a smaller portion. Please reserve tickets ahead of time so we will have the right number of entrees. Payment can be made at the door.
 Donations and help the day of are welcome. Please contact the church office or Lana Churchill at Jchurchill@ns.sympatico.ca or 542 2186

7. On **Sunday, November 26** at 6pm at the Port Williams Community Centre will be the annual Christmas tree lighting party. Our church will be hosting its annual baked goods auction! **We are looking for people to donate baked goods** (wrapped as if for a bake sale) to the auction. Please drop them off at the community centre at 5pm on Nov 26 or make arrangements through Laura Churchill Duke. Remember, this is a children's Christmas event, so anything that appeals to kids and is perhaps Christmas themed would be most appreciated!

Community Events:

1. **Sunday Nov.12**, 7:00pm at Manning Memorial Chapel. Choral Evensong, sung by Lunenburg based vocal ensemble A Cappella. In celebration of the Word of God in Scripture at the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation Period music by A Cappella vocal ensemble. All welcome. Parking in Chapel loop.

2. The Wolfville Baptist Church will hold a **Holly Tea and Sale** on **November 18 from 2-4PM** in the church hall. Wreaths will be available along with several sale tables. Come and enjoy sandwiches and fancy cakes. Everyone welcome.

3. **A Hip of Beef Dinner and Silent Auction** will be held on Saturday, **November 18** at Kings Presbyterian Church, 5563 Prospect Road, New Minas. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Dinner served at 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$20 per person and \$10 for age 12 and under. Call 902-681-1333 for more information.

4. **St. John's ACW Coffee Party - Saturday November 25th** from 10 – 12. Admission: \$5. Featuring home baking, fancy work, and ACW plum puddings.
5. **A Christmas Coffee Party** will be held at Kings Presbyterian Church, New Minas, on Saturday, **November 25** from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. Come enjoy a variety of coffee cakes and browse the craft and bake tables. Free will offering.
6. **MAGNIFICAT - Saturday, December 2, at 7pm** Convocation Hall. Admission \$10 at the door – Students free
Join the Acadia University Chorus, directed by Michael Caines, for a wonderful evening of seasonal music, holiday-themed choral works, reflections and new setting of Magnificat.
Our concert features university organist John Scott, mezzo-soprano Christianne Rushton, and School of Music faculty and student soloists. An annual tradition that is not to be missed!
7. Celebrate the season with the Annapolis Valley Honour Choir's "**On This Winter's Night With You – An East Coast Christmas**". With local guest artists, Sarah Pound and Mike Butler, this Maritime kitchen party concert embraces Nova Scotia's Celtic roots featuring music from Great Big Sea, Ron Hynes and Rita McNeil. Two performances will take place at Horton High School **on December 9th** (2:00 and 7:00pm). Enjoy a glass of hot cider and bake sale treats to stock your pantry! Tickets at any Ticketpro location (www.ticketpro.ca) for \$15 for adults and \$5 for students & children (plus Ticketpro fees) or \$20/\$10 at the door if available.

Please Note:

1. The WAICC is asking for our help with the **Christmas Hamper** programme. They are anticipating the need for **160 hampers**. We have been asked to **contribute cans of cranberries and packets of stuffing mix** by **December 14th**. They would also welcome cheques payable to Wolfville Inter Church Council and marked "Christmas Hampers" to put toward the cost of turkeys. Income tax receipts will be issued. Our support is greatly appreciated.
2. **MISSION and OUTREACH:** This week the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls is holding hearings in Cape Breton. Please pray for God's peace, healing and justice and that the subsequent report will shed light on the issues facing Indigenous Women. May God give the families, who are grieving the loss of their loved ones, courage and strength as they share their stories.

Boxes of Cheer to Help People Locally this Holiday - Valley Family Fun and the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) have paired up to create a program called Fill a Box of Cheer: The Local Option. To participate, start with any sized box and fill it with a combination of any of the following items for adults: Toiletries: toothbrush, toothpaste, floss, deodorant, shampoo, body wash, small packs of tissues, feminine hygiene products, razors, Clothing: socks, slippers, gloves, hats, mittens, stationery: pencils, pens, notebook, coloured pencils, markers, Gifts: instant coffee, mug, gift cards, candy, gum, cards, adult colouring books. Gift wrap, blank Christmas cards and scotch tape are also needed. Filled, unwrapped boxes can be dropped at any of the following locations:

- Lotto Booth, County Fair Mall, New Minas
- Louis Millet Community Complex, New Minas
- Port Williams Village Office, 1045 Main Street, Port Williams
- Wolfville Town Hall, 359 Main St, Wolfville

The boxes will be divided equally between Kings County organizations including Canadian Mental Health Association, Chrysalis House, the Youth Portal, the Evangeline Club, Kids Action Program and the St. Vincent and St Paul's Society. If you know an adult that lives in isolation you wish them to receive a box of cheer contact Candy. Deadline for submissions is November 30. For more information, please contact Candy at 902-679-7573 or email info@valleyfamilyfun.ca.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today Nov. 12	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Show up and SING! Sunday Worship Service Adult Sunday School Sermons from Scratch Youth Group
Monday	9:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.	Fall Quilting Classes
Tuesday	10:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	Playgroup Health Auxiliary meet at EKM
Wednesday	11:30 a.m.	Loyal Workers Luncheon
Thursday	10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Coffee Time Choir Practice
Friday	6:00 p.m.	Anniversary Dinner
Saturday		
Next Sunday Nov. 19	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m. TBC	Show up and SING! Sunday Worship Service Adult Sunday School Senior Youth Group