



Church News

Sunday, September 23, 2018

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 6 are invited to participate in the children and worship program.

Nursery: **Sep. 23** Alexia Stroud-Caules & Salena MacDonald
Sep. 30 Kenzie Melanson & Mason Veinotte

Ushers: **September** The Veinottes

Tellers: **September** Leslie Vaughn and Elaine Morse

Decorations: **September** Pat Davis

Church Events:

This year, **from 11:15 to 12:00, there will be a few adult Sunday schools** to choose from. Carol Buckley will be leading the mixed class, and Ron Baxter and Ron Buckley will be leading the men's class. A leader is still needed for the ladies' class. If you are willing to lead this group, please speak to Laura or Nicole. All classes begin today.

The "**Mixed Adult Sunday School Class** will be continuing with the study "Saving Jesus", which is an in depth, fresh consideration of Jesus and his teaching from the viewpoint of progressive Christianity; we hope to welcome new members to join the discussion. The class meets downstairs from 11:15 to 12pm each Sunday under the direction of Carol Buckley.

Coffee & Conversation! Every **Thursday at 10 a.m.** anyone who feels like a cup of coffee and conversation is welcome to join us!

The Amazing Car Rally

Looking for a fun way to see the sights or spend time with family and friends? Want to test your navigational and “I spy” skills? Then, come join the Amazing Car Rally on **Sunday, October 14th**.

Follow a set of instructions that will take you around the Valley answering questions and completing challenges. Carloads get points for completing the route with the most correct answers and for completing all of the challenges. This fun event is geared towards all ages and abilities so grab your friends, kids, grandchildren and neighbours and head out for a fun and challenging Sunday afternoon!

Each car should have a pen, cellphone, driver and reader/writer. Registration and instructions begin at 2 pm with a potluck supper and awards ceremony at 5 pm. Entrance fee is by free will donation.

Direct any questions to John or Laura Churchill!

On the morning of **Saturday October 20**, the Mission and Outreach Committee will be holding **The Blanket Exercise** in Lockwood Hall. The KAIROS Blanket Exercise™ is a unique, participatory history lesson, developed in collaboration with Indigenous Elders, knowledge keepers and educators, that fosters truth, understanding, respect and reconciliation among Indigenous and non-indigenous peoples. Attendance is limited to 40 people so please sign up to ensure your spot.

Please Note:

There will be a memorial service for Jane Fuller on Sep. 28th at 11 a.m. in the sanctuary. A reception will follow in Lockwood Hall.

MISSION and OUTREACH: The cupboard is bare! If anyone can spare a bottle (or two) of jelly or jam, it would be appreciated for our welcome packages for newcomers.

From the Nominating Committee: It's that time of year when the nominating committee is looking to fill positions on various church committees. In particular, we are looking to fill spots on the property committee, missions committee and the position of assistant clerk and moderator. If you are interested or would like to learn more, please speak to Laura Churchill Duke.

Community Events:

Attention Men! Band of Brothers men's bootcamp invites you - **Friday, September 28th - September 30th**. Where: Bayside Camp, Sambro Head, NS. Based on John Eldredge's book, Wild at Heart, the event is hosted in a setting of beauty and adventure, and includes teaching sessions, movies, time to reflect, time to get alone, and time to hang with the guys. We have designed something far more than an event – it's an expedition of the heart. The men attending will never be the same. For info contact Chris MacIntosh at (902) 300-4376 or visit: maritime.bootcampdetails.com

CABF Fall Assembly and AGM -September 28-29- First Baptist Church, Amherst - Dr. Dorothy Hunse, Assistant Professor for Pastoral Care at Acadia Divinity College will be our guest presenter. She will present two lectures:

“This isn't the way it's supposed to be!: Part 1”: *Exploring the needs and challenges faced when one's partner or parents begin to require care*

“This isn't the way it's supposed to be!: Part 2”: *We don't have to go it alone. Exploring the possibilities for offering care to caregivers within our congregations*

For a schedule check the CABF website: www.c-abf.ca

Please pre-register for meals by contacting the Amherst Baptist Church. On line at ambapt@ns.aliantzinc.ca or call (902) 667-2001
Registration: \$25 payable at the door.

Indoor Yard Sale, Bake Sale and BBQ, Saturday, September 29th at Kentville Baptist Church, 8:00 am – 12:00 pm. BBQ begins at 10. Bake sale table homemade good for Thanksgiving!

Induction for Rev. Dr. Scott Kindred-Barnes at Wolfville Baptist Church on Sep. 30th at 3pm. Speaker: Rev. Fred Demaray, Ottawa. Reception to follow.

Sep. 30th Annual Turkey Dinner & walk-a-thon - Location: At the camp, 3232 West Dalhousie Rd. Time: 1-5PM, serving on the hour. Menu: Turkey, dressing, veggies, dessert, tea, coffee. Adults: \$15 Children under 12 \$5. Advanced tickets contact: Henry Spurr@532-2723 Limited tickets available at the door.

OVUC October Soup & Dessert Luncheon, Tuesday, October 2 - Please join us at Orchard Valley United Church for our monthly Soup & Dessert Luncheon on Tuesday, October 2. We'll be serving a choice of Tuscan Soup or Roasted Cauliflower Soup, homemade biscuits and rolls, tea/coffee, and Cake with Caramel Sauce for dessert, for \$8.00 per person. Lunch is served from 11:45 am to 1:00 pm. Take-out or delivery is also available – please order by noon, Monday, October 1 by calling 902-681-0366, ext. 1, or emailing AdminOVU@bellaliant.com.

Roast Beef Dinner, Oct. 12th from 5-7PM. Location is Wolfville Lions Hall on 36 Elms Ave. Dinner is a fundraiser by St. John's Anglican Church, for L'Arche, "Building Our Dream Campaign". Price is adults \$15 and children under 12 is \$8. There will not be tickets at the door all tickets must be pre ordered by contacting Dale Hennigar at 902-681-7402.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today, September 23 – Sunday	9:15 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Show up and SING! Sunday Worship Service Adult Sunday School Crossings Youth Group
24 –Monday	8:30 – 12:30	Church Office OPEN
25 -Tuesday	10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Playgroup Advisory Board Meeting
26 -Wednesday		
27 -Thursday	10:00 a.m. 12:30 – 4:00 2:00p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Coffee Time Church Office OPEN Loyal Workers Meeting Choir Practice
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