

THE KIRK CHIMES
October 03, 2018

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY.... Oct - 03 Sabrina Moores;
Oct - 04 Tracy Saunders; Oct - 08 Rev. Derek
Krunys, Alex Barrett; Oct - 09 Connor Snook,
David Butt; Oct - 10 Joshua Crane; Oct - 11 Lisa
Burse; Oct - 12 Jennifer Taylor; Oct - 13 Mike
Hopkins; Oct - 14 Tom Munn.

ANNIVERSARIES... Oct - 12 Scott and
Elizabeth Wheeler.

60 Years of Ministry: On September 30 Rev.
Dr. Ian Wishart has faithfully served the
church in ministry for 60 years (46 of them in
Newfoundland). At the Presbytery meeting on
September 13, Ian was thanked for his many,
and continuing years of service to the gospel.
St. Andrew's will include a celebratory cake
this Sunday (October 7th – Thanksgiving), in
thanks for Ian's ongoing answer to the gospel
call.

***The date for the Garage Sale is Saturday, Oct
13th, from 10 am-12:30 pm. Please take
some time to clear out items you no longer
want or need; one man's junk is another
man's treasure! Our regular tables include
books, linens, kitchenware, kids' toys,
electrical, white elephant, sports, clothes,
etc. We do not accept old computers, or TVs,
nor cribs, car seats, etc, that may no longer
be safe. We can't manage large items of
furniture, but small ones are acceptable.***

***Please mark the date on your
calendars, and plan to come and help. A
young, fresh crew of workers are needed, as
well as the old stand bys! This event is a lot
of fun!***

Future Vision for St. Andrew's. This fall St.
Andrew's will begin a process of discerning
where we believe God is taking us as a
congregation – in our structures, properties,
and mission. At times you will be asked to
provide your opinion to a core group who will
be working closely with our minister and Rev.
Dr. Stanley Ott, who will be helping to
facilitate this process. Stan will be leading
workshops with us beginning Thursday
evening October 25, and throughout the day
Friday October 26 (morning and afternoon) to
which you are invited to attend and
participate. Please pray for, and participate in
this process, as we seek God's will for us
together.

Recycling through the Church. Did you know
we have a church account with Evergreen? If
you would like your redeemable recycling to
benefit St. Andrew's, just use our account
number "7265385" and your donation will be
credited to our account. We have received a
few deposits lately and the account is starting
to add up! Thank you to all who have taken the
time to help.

BENEVOLENT FUND: Your contributions to
the St. Andrew's Benevolent Fund help
support special need situations. Contributions
can be made individually or through your
regular offering envelope by marking
"Benevolent" in "Other".

The AMS is still participating in **Knitting of
Toe Covers** for the children of the Janeway.
Please continue to knit them as the Janeway
would still appreciate even more Toe Covers.
Patterns are provided in the vestibule in the
wooden box. If you need further information
please call Nettie Ryan at 753-1369. Your
participation is greatly appreciated.

**October 7: International Day of the Girl Child
(Oct. 11)**

Poonam was only 13 years old when she learned
that her parents had arranged for her to be
married in a few months. In India, early
marriage is a very common practice, deeply
rooted in tradition. Unfortunately, it also takes
away a girl's right to a childhood, disrupts her
schooling and puts her at risk of early
pregnancy. Meera Devi works with PWS&D
partners in Poonam's village to empower
women and girls and prevent early marriages by
running sessions that address issues of gender
and sexual and reproductive rights. Because of
Meera's work, Poonam's family understands the
negative impacts of early marriage. The
wedding has been postponed, and a joyful
Poonam is completing her schooling.
PWSD helps girls decide their own future

Doors Open Thank You. A big thank you to
those who helped with Doors Open this year. We
didn't have an exact count this year, but around
100 people toured the church, rang the bell, and
were invited to come check us out on a Sunday.
Thank you to those who helped put our best foot
forward.

**BOARD OF MANAGERS will hold their next
meeting Tuesday, October 9th at 7:30pm.**

**The next meeting of St. Andrew's Session will
be held October 18th at 7:30pm.**

"Long's Hill: I live(d) Here." is a neighbourhood
walking tour by Louise Moyes Docudance, told
through those who live and have lived in the
historic Long's Hill area. Come experience face-
to-face how art can celebrate community and
our deep need for it. TICKETS: \$25 (places
limited to 25 per walk) Call Louise at 722-3203
or Email louisemoyes@docudance.com
WALK: Sunday, Oct 7 at 2pm
*Walk to be made into a short Docudance Film;

audience should be comfortable with this. Louise Moyes Docudance and Neighbourhood Dance Works

1st St. Andrew's Beavers – Unfortunately due to low enrollment there will be no scouting program taking place at St. Andrew's this year.

Rainbow Communion is a special committee of the General Assembly that has been empowered to invite LGBTQI persons to tell stories of harm done to them within and by the church, and to share their stories of God's grace experienced by them in Christian ministry. Those who wish to share their stories will be encouraged to do so by whatever means is best for them. Rainbow Communion Listening Spaces currently run until June 15, 2019 (but may be extended). Stories shared will be kept confidential, and received in a safe, affirming, respectful manner. The committee will take these stories as the basis for a report outlining concrete actions to address homophobia within the church. You may know of family or friends that have been part of St. Andrew's in the past who may be interested in this work, and are invited to share this information with them. More information can be found at: <https://presbyterian.ca/listening/> Direct contact can be made at rainbowcommunion@presbyterian.ca or by calling 1-800-619-7301 ext. 300

Preauthorized Remittances - PAR

Many of us have automatic debits from our bank accounts to pay for mortgages, cable, electricity, etc. If you do then you understand PAR. It means regular donations throughout the year to St. Andrew's through direct debit from your account. For those who cannot make it to church on a regular basis, due to travel, illness or for some other reason, this is

a way to help meet your financial commitment. If you wish to avail of this option, then you can contact the church office for an enrollment form at 709-726-5385.

The Canadian Federation of University Women (CFUW) St. John's Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on **Tuesday, October 9th at 7:30** at room 4065, Earth Sciences Building, MUN. The guest speaker for the evening will be Jenn Brown, Executive Director of the Women's International Film Festival, 2018. We invite you to come out and hear Jenn inform us about the quality work of the upcoming festival, scheduled for October 17 – 21st. A business meeting will follow the presentation. Members are welcome to invite guests to attend a monthly meeting. Free underground parking is available on the Artic Avenue entrance, west of the main entrance.

*****Oct 07 - Oct 13*****

Sun	11:00am	Thanksgiving Sunday
	11:10	Sunday School Baptism - Fancy
	12:10pm	Coffee Hour Rev. Ian Wishart, 60th Anniversary of Ordination
Tues	7:30pm	Board of Managers Meeting

****Upcoming****

Oct 13 **Garage Sale**
Oct 25/26 Rev. Stanley Ott Workshop

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THE KIRK IN ST. JOHN'S



Founded in 1842 as part of the Church of Scotland, St. Andrew's has been a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in Canada since the denomination formed in 1875. Its early membership was Scottish, but now its families come from many parts of the world and most provinces of Canada. Our Church Offices and Hall are located in the brick building next to the Church.

YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME
AT THE KIRK