

## **Kirk News**



### **Welcome!**

We would like to welcome you to our service today. We are happy to have you and we hope that you will find our worship engaging and our community welcoming. We hope to see you again in the coming weeks.

### **Large Print Bulletins**

Large print bulletins are available at the main doors.

### **Nursery**



Nursery is available for children from birth to age four. Please feel free to make use of this area for whatever needs you have and if there is anything you require please ask our nursery attendants who will be happy to help you.

### **Children's Worship**

There is a children's worship class available downstairs for children ages 4 and up.

### **Fellowship Time**

Please join us following the morning service for fellowship time in the upper hall with the MacWilliams Family as our hosts.



### **Condolences**

We would like to give our deepest sympathies to Katherine Burnett, Mary Burnett and their family and friends on the passing of Jean Katherine Burnett - Farris. The funeral will be held at the Kirk on Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 3 p.m. followed by a reception. Internment will be at a later date. Our thoughts and prayers are with them and their families during this difficult time.

### **Thank you**

We would like to say a big thank you to Rev. Dr. Kay Diviney for speaking today. We appreciate her very much!

### **Pastoral Care**

If any pastoral care concerns arise please call Rev. Amanda Henderson-Bolton at 902-894-5382.

### **Washroom Renovations**

The washroom renovations have begun. The rooms under construction are marked as a construction zone and should not be entered. During the renovations we have moved the nursery to the parlour and the Sunday School room has been moved to the lower hall. The downstairs washroom will be available for use but the upstairs washrooms will be under construction.



## **Office Hours**

Amy will be away from May 20-22 and will be doing the May 24<sup>th</sup> bulletin on Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>. If anyone has any bulletin announcements then please pass them in by 9 a.m. May 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **Successful Baby Needs Drive**

Our latest baby needs drive concluded on Mother's Day. It was a great success, thanks to the congregation's generosity and support from the Kirk's D. A. MacKinnon mission fund. We delivered 243 items to the Island Pregnancy Center, including diapers, baby wipes, clothing items, toiletries, baby formula, gift cards, face cloths, bibs, spoons, board books, baby bottles and soothers. The Island Pregnancy Center was extremely grateful for these badly needed items, and congratulated us on having such a generous church! Many thanks to all who made this possible!

### **Membership classes for our Young People.**

We will be offering a membership class for young people in the congregation from Grades 7 and up. There will be a sign-up sheet at the door. Dates and times will be decided with any who sign up--we know schedules are busy so we are aiming to be flexible! If you have any questions please contact Rev. Amanda.

### **Calling All Graduates**



The Kirk wishes to acknowledge all of the graduates in the church family during the Sunday School closing event during worship on June 21<sup>st</sup>. Please let the office know of any High School, College or University graduates for this spring. If possible, provide the name of the graduate, who they are related to at the Kirk, what institution and program they are graduating from, and some information on the graduate's future plans, if known.

### **WoHeLo Spring Clothing Sale**

The WoHeLo/QEH Auxiliary will host their Spring Clothing Sale, on Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 12 noon – 8 p.m.; Friday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.; and Saturday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. at 144 Dorchester Street, Charlottetown. We offer high quality, gently used clothing and accessories for the whole family. All proceeds go to fund equipment for high-risk newborn babies in the province.

### **Volunteer Food Safety Course**

There is an upcoming Free Volunteer Food Safety Presentation on Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m. at St. Paul's Church Hall. With the completion of this course, it will enable you to help with food preparations for any food-related fundraisers that we have at the Kirk. To register: <https://www.princeedwardisland.ca/en/service/volunteer-food-safety-presentation>