

## BEYOND THE PARISH

### **A CAPPELLA! Concert**

Hampton United Church, Robb Court Hampton, **Sun, Jun 12** 7.00pm  
Donations received at the door.

Featuring: Sea Belles A Cappella Show Chorus, Men of Fundy, Hampton United Church Choir, Introducing Vocal Intensity\*, All under the direction of Janet Kidd.

Special Guests: Before the Mast

Refreshments to follow

### **Concert at Our Lady of Perpetual Help**

*Spring Serenade*, featuring the Buckley Ensemble and special guests Felicità, Danielle Sametz and Adrienne Sayer, will take place at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church on **Wed, Jun 15 at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.** These concerts will be a wonderful mix of music and ballet. Tickets \$20 adult and \$10 students are available at KV Drugs or call 849-1848.

### **Fredericton Open House**

On **Sat, Jun 18**, 2 – 4 p.m. Diocesan council members invite you to an open house in Fredericton. Visit the synod office, tour the cathedral, view displays in the Cathedral Memorial Hall that will celebrate ministries in our diocese. Visit Bishop's Court and learn more about Discipleship House. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the life of our Diocese. The event is for all ages.

### **Breeze and Wilson in Concert**

Much-loved UK duo Breeze and Wilson will pay a return visit to St. Luke's Anglican Church, corner of Main and Lansdowne, Saint John, on **Sat, Jun 18**. Doors open at 6.15 pm and the show begins at 7 pm. Tickets are \$20 each and available at the door or in advance from the church office. Phone 693-4152 or email [stlukesportland@bellaliant.com](mailto:stlukesportland@bellaliant.com)

### **Fundy Sound - A Choral Festival by the Bay**

Please welcome choirs from around the world including Saint John, Laval, Boston, New Jersey, Hong Kong and Nairobi to "*Fundy Sound - A Choral Festival by the Bay*" from **Tue Jun 28 – Fri Jul 1**. A free will offering will be accepted for the noon and evening concerts being performed across the greater Saint John area. A Grand Finale Concert will take place at the Imperial Theatre on Canada Day, under the direction of the internationally acclaimed, Maestro Dr. Z. Randall Stroope. For scheduled performances please see the bulletin board in the lobby or go to <http://www.fundysound.com/fundy-sound-2016/schedule/> or call \ Eleanor Austin at 643-0997

## NEWS FROM THE PEWS

... we are happy to report that after the huge thunderstorm on Tuesday evening there was not a single drop of water in the downstairs hall. Of course we knew that would be the case with the fine work done on the back entrance in May... the beginning of June brings the ending of some regularly scheduled parish events. This past Wednesday the Bible Study group met for the last time until the fall and the Chiming Cherubim have hung up their wings and put away their chimes for the season. The choir had their final Thursday evening practice and a pot luck supper at the rectory, but will continue to sing on Sundays until the end of the month ...we received a Certificate of Appreciation on Tuesday from the Canada Revenue Agency recognizing St. Paul's participation in the 2016 Community Volunteer Income tax Program. Although it doesn't say so on the certificate, the credit goes to **Robert Taylor** and **Beth Sayre** who were here on Tuesdays in March & April doing taxes for families in the valley. Thank you both for your ongoing community outreach in this area... congratulations to **Jack and Juliet Hickman** who are celebrating their 65th anniversary this weekend..... Our warden, **Pam Iype**, checked in by phone on Monday. Pam is in Oregon visiting her family and reports that the temperature on the weekend was 40° C. Makes our rainy weather look pretty good doesn't it? ...*that's the news, from the pews!*

## PARISH NOTES

### **Miss Mary Louise Belyea**

We are very happy to welcome to St. Paul's, Mary Louise Belyea, as our guest soloist this morning (soprano). Mary Louise has been a part of our Church Choir School since she was a little girl. She sings in Trinity Church Choir, Rotary Choir and at Saint John High School. She will be graduating this month and plans to attend university in Halifax. When her family found out that she accepted an invitation to sing at St. Paul's, they all thought they would attend, so we welcome Spencer and Cindy (proud parents) to our Parish worship this morning.

### **Support for Hestia House**

Hestia House is an emergency safe shelter for women and their children who need to leave a violent or abusive domestic environment. Every year St. Paul's collects (new) towel sets and personal care items (toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo, deodorant etc.) to give to those who arrive at the shelter without. If you would like to donate an item or two, there is a bin in the St. Peter's lobby to receive items. We shall be collecting items until **Sun, Jun 19**. Thank you for your support.

## PARISH NOTES Continued

### Mission Beyond the Parish Meeting

The MBTP will be holding their final monthly meeting until the fall on **Wed, Jun 15** at the home of Cathy and Bruce Dykeman.

### Mission Within

The Mission Within committee will have their meeting at the home of Liz Reid on **Tue, Jun 14** and then wrap up for the season.

### Looking for a House to Rent

A young clergyman and his family who are coming to our area are looking for a house to rent in Rothesay or Quispamsis. If you know of one that is available, please call Archdeacon Rob Marsh at 650-2063.



### A Prayer for Each Day

*Into the hands of your love and mercy,  
O God our Father, we commit our lives this day:  
our work and the tasks that await us;  
our homes and members of our families;  
our loved ones, and especially those we know to be in need.*

*Give to us your guidance,  
your strength,  
and your protection,  
according to our needs,  
and throughout this day keep us abiding in your love;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

- Frank Colquhoun

## Some Notes from the June Vestry Meeting

- The parish hall will be used 3 weeks this summer by the KidSing dance group. UNBSJ summer youth camps have asked to use the lower hall during the summer, but we are not certain at this time how many weeks they will need.
- St. Paul's will host the School of Church Music for their rehearsal, supper and Evensong service on **Thu, Jul 7**. The Evensong service is open to the public and begins at 7 p.m. Robert & Jean Taylor are the registrars, Sherry MacPhee is the nurse and Canon Albert & Wandlyn are co-chaplains for the Choir School.
- There are 5 weddings through the summer months and several baptisms planned.
- The Property Committee was very pleased with the work on the new entrance to the basement. The church doors have also been re-done. They continue to work on plans to re-fresh the narthex as well as looking at the tile floor in the lobby and the roof over the area joining the hall and church.
- Jane & Ann Smith volunteered to address the lawn issue at the front of the church. Peter Clark volunteered to straighten and paint the metal railings to the parish hall.
- St. Paul's is now on *Facebook!*
- We continue to be concerned about a parish youth worker. The possibility of sharing a position with RNS did not work out. Discussions with AST regarding a student are on-going.
- Parishioners have been busy in the kitchen in the last month. There were a number of funeral receptions. The Men enjoyed a Saturday morning breakfast. The Parish BBQ was also very well received. This was hosted by members of the Vestry. MW hosted a newcomers lunch at the Rectory. Thank you to the many folk who contributed to this ministry of hospitality and fellowship.
- The ordination of the Rev. Ann Fairweather to the priesthood will take place on **Sun, Jun 26** at the Cathedral in Fredericton. Mary Stokes-Rees was asked to obtain a gift for Rev. Ann from St. Paul's.
- Jon LeHeup was asked to investigate the suggestion that the area behind the church be used as a community garden.
- Parish Financial Update:

Total Identifiable Giving to May 31, 2016	\$116,096
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Total Expenses to April 30, 2016	\$117,839
- Next Scheduled meeting of Vestry, **Sep 11**.