



### All-Together This Sunday

At our 10 AM service today (**April 22**), our Sunday School class will be remaining upstairs, and we will be having an extended Children's Talk in place of our homily. As always, our *Nursery Room* is available downstairs for anyone who may need it, and there are lots of things to colour, play with, or read in our *St. Paul's Kids Activity Centre* (by the doors leading to the lobby).

### Potluck & Board Games Tonight (April 22) - 5 PM

Join us this afternoon for some simple food, fun, and fellowship together. This event is open to everyone, so feel free to bring your family & friends, some simple food to share, and a few of your favorite board games.

### Monthly Online Family Newsletter

Interested in what we at St. Paul's are doing for young people and families? Looking for some resources to help your family grow in faith? If so, then sign up for our monthly online St. Paul's Family Newsletter. To do so, simply contact the St. Paul's office and let us know, or email Family & Youth Minister, Rob Montgomery (rob.montgomery@anglican.nb.ca).

### Study Series: *So Why Do We Do This?*

Most of us are generally familiar with the Eucharist - the prayers and the movements of the various ministers on Sunday morning. But why do we do the things we do? We can become so entrenched in the familiar rituals that we no longer recognize the significance of what is happening before our eyes each week. During this three-week study series, we will explore the origins and Biblical roots of the Eucharist, the significance of each element of the liturgy, and how we can become more active participants in this life-changing sacrament. The series begins on **Tue, Apr 24 at 7:30 p.m.** Come join us!

### Betty Russell

The prayers and sympathy of the parish go out to the family of Betty Russell. Betty passed away on Sun, Apr 15 at Rocmaura Nursing Home. Her funeral service will be held here at St. Paul's tomorrow, Apr 23 at 1:00 p.m.

*"Give rest, O Christ, to thy servant with thy Saints, where sorrow and pain are no more."*

### Defibrillator for St. Paul's Anglican Church

As part of our safe church program, we are in the process of acquiring a defibrillator for St. Paul's Anglican Church. It's one of those things you acquire and hope you never have to use. But, the experience has been that an on-site defibrillator does save lives. In anticipation of the purchase of a unit, five of our parishioners have already received formal CPR training and instruction on how to use one. The cost of the recommended unit is approximately \$2,400. The Men's Breakfast has already pledged their proceeds towards the purchase. We will also be inviting our church groups to participate in the program. If you, a parishioner, wish to donate to the purchase, you may do so by dropping your donation into the office or indicating so on your church envelope.



### St. Paul's ACW - Dessert & Cards Fundraiser

Thursday, May 3, 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

Tickets - \$12.00 each

(all proceeds go to camps)

reserve your table at the church office 847-1812

www.stpaulsrothesay.com

Cards, Yummy Desserts, Tea, Coffee

PRIZE for each table!

## First Aid, CPR & AED Training

In order to comply more fully with Safe Church requirements, we are offering a First Aid/CPR Training event at St. Paul's on April 28th. This training is a great idea for anyone, although we are attempting to make sure that at least those in active ministry and leadership positions have this certification. If you already have up-to-date First Aid and/or CPR/AED certification, please notify Pam Iype. Having a list of those who have completed this training will help us ensure the safety of those who attend our many different services and events.

## A Regular Heartbeat

Every Sunday it's the same story. We rush to get out the door in time for church, grab our offering envelope and look in our wallet only to find that we've spent all our cash while we were shopping on Saturday - that is, if we use cash at all anymore. There is an easier way! When you sign up for electronic giving at St. Paul's, you can have a pre-determined contribution taken from your bank account every week or every month on a specified date. It saves the hassle of trying to find money on Sunday morning and helps you make and keep the kind of financial commitment you wish to make towards the mission of the church. It also helps the parish budget and plan for ministry. If you have any questions about electronic giving or would like to sign up, forms are available in the foyer and can be handed in to the office.

**The Parish Prayer Chain** welcomes people to call with specific prayer requests. This month's contact person is **Penny McConaghy at 849-2701**.

## Stuff Wanted

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### St Paul's Annual Yard Sale May 11 & 12

We need your good used stuff!  
Clean out that closet!  
Sort out that basement!  
Reduce! Reuse! Recycle!

*Tell your neighbors, your In-laws & out-laws!*

We can pick up if you need help  
Call & book at the church office - 847-1812

**We will be gratefully accepting items beginning May 7**

*Thanks for your support!*



This year's Ladies Luncheon will be held **Sat. May 5 at 10:30 am**. The Rev'ds Terence and Jasmine Chandra from Saint John Central Ministry will be joining us as guest speakers. A lunch of quiche, salads and sweets will be served. A freewill offering will be accepted with proceeds going to Saint John Central Ministry.

## BEYOND THE PARISH

### Navigating the System: The Sandwich Generation & Aging Parents

With many of us taking on the role of caregivers, where do we turn for information? What services and programs are available? What are the forms and costs involved? Join us for a panel discussion with 5 experts on **Wed, Apr 25, 7:00pm** at St. James the Less Church. The panel will consist of Jean Porter-Mowatt - Senior Watch, Sherry Gionet - St. Joseph's GEM Unit, Jim Touchbourne and Patricia Lofstrom - Social Development, and Richard Albert - Lawyer. Sponsored by Renfoth Seniors and Go Ahead Seniors. Everyone welcome!

### Foray into Faure with Rachael Grant

*Foray into Faure* is a classical soprano concert, **Apr 26, 6:30pm** at the Saint John Arts Centre. Come get lost in 1920s Paris for an hour and a half. Fall in love with the soundtrack of French romantics from the early 20th century. Gabriel Fauré was one of the most influential composers of his generation - many see his beautiful pieces as the French defense for the songs coming from German composing titans. He spun poetry into beautiful melodies that will tug on your heart strings. Tickets are \$30. Please see Rory Grant to purchase.

### Saint David's United Church Clothing Sale

A sale of "nearly new" spring and summer clothing will be held at Saint David's United Church, Rothesay on **Fri, Apr 27 from 4-8pm** and on **Sat, Apr 28 from 9am until 12 noon**. In addition to clothes there will also be used toys and baby equipment for sale. Proceeds from the sale will be used by the Outreach Committee for local and international projects such as KV Food Basket, Romero House, Stephen Lewis Foundation and Doctors Without Borders.

### Organ Recital at Church of St. Andrew and St. David

On **Sun, May 6**, Michael Molloy will present a program of organ music at the Church of St. Andrew and St. David at 164 Germain St., in Saint John. The concert begins at 2:00 PM. There is no fixed admission price, but donations will be accepted to assist and support the work of the Church. Tax receipts will be available for donations of \$20 and over. The program will consist of organ concert favourites from late 19<sup>th</sup> century France.