

Stairs Memorial United Church

Faith that Matters

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Weekly Announcements for June 2nd, 2019

Stairs' Contact Information

Church Office Office Hours: Mondays & Tuesdays 9am to 3pm
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Emergency Contact

In the event of a pastoral emergency, please call 902-469-4472 or 902-466-4053.

Upcoming Services and Events

UCW Food Bingo

Saturday, June 1st from 2 to 4 pm; \$10 for 3 cards (no separate admission fee)

Spirit Café Discussion Night: "Pentecost?"

Tuesday, June 4th from 5:30-6:45pm at the Wooden Monkey Restaurant, Alderney Place
Please come for food and discussion; for more information: 902-476-1280

Communion Service: Sunday, June 9th

Hayes Symposium: SCANS – Cancer and God

Keynote Evening

June 9th at 7pm at Saint Andrew's United Church, free admission

Musician & poet Christine MacIsaac, singer songwriter David McGinley, theologian & author Margaret Drescher

Hayes Symposium

June 10th at 9am at Atlantic School of Theology, registration: \$125

Visit: <http://www.astheology.ns.ca/home/events-calendar/hayes-2019.html> for more details and registration

Service in Celebration of the Ordination of Rev. Kim Curlett

Sunday, June 9th at 7:30pm at Woodlawn United Church

An Indigenous Earthy Spirituality with Adrian Jacobs

Workshop on Indigenous Spirituality hosted at Atlantic School of Theology

June 14th from 9am to 4pm and June 15th from 9am to 12pm

***Sarah is going to this event and would welcome you to join her. More information or to register at

<http://www.astheology.ns.ca/con-ed/winter-2019/an-indigenous-earthy-spirituality>

UCW Spring Breakfast

Saturday, June 15th from 8 to 9:30am; price is \$8

ABBA Tribute Concert

Saturday, June 15th at 7pm – rescheduled date; tickets are \$15

Shared Ministry Gathering: Sunday, June 16th

Executive Meeting: Monday, June 17th at 7pm

Navigating and Surviving Eldercare with Patrick Cassidy

Tuesday, June 25th from 2 to 3:30pm at Atlantic School of Theology, President's Lodge; \$75 per person
To register, visit: <http://www.astheology.ns.ca/con-ed/navigating-surviving-eldercare>

Upcoming Worship Hosts

June 2 Annette G. June 9 Trudy V.R. June 16th L.J. & Larry

Upcoming Coffeetime Hosts

June 2 Mission & Outreach June 9 UCW June 16th Worship & Faith

Looking Ahead to the Fall

Readers' Circle will meet September 26th at noon to discuss the book "Small Great Things" by Jodi Picoult.

Camp Kidston Donations

A member of the Kidston Alumni has agreed to match any donations made to the sponsorship fund between April 28th and **June 1st**, up to a maximum of \$5000. This means that a gift of \$340 will allow two young people to experience a week at camp. Donations to Kidston's Sponsorship Fund can be made by cheque to:

PO Box 48011, Mill Cove PO
Bedford, NS, B4A 3Z2

or by credit card at <http://campkidston.campbrainregistration.com>

All donations are tax deductible – thank you!

Community Events

Celebration Hymn Sing

Sunday, June 2nd at 7pm at St. James United Church, Dartmouth

Enjoy an evening singing some of your favourite hymns, accompanied by Dean Brandshaw & Guest Musicians
Reception hosted by UCW; free will offering

Taizé Prayer

Sunday, June 2nd at 7pm at the Maritime Conservatory, 6199 Chebucto Road, St. Matthias Lane entrance

Perennial Plant Sale at St. Paul's Church, 197 Windmill Road

Saturday, June 8th from 10am to 1pm: houseplants, garden items, books, etc. also available; free coffee/tea

Christ Church Choral Camp 2019

During this one-week (Monday-Sunday) day camp, young singers will get the opportunity to learn and perform a wide range of styles of choral music from ancient to contemporary – all while having fun rehearsing, playing games and other activities! Camp dates are July 22nd to 28th from 9am to 4pm (early drop-off and late pick-up are available), early bird price of \$100/child if registration is received by May 31st or \$125.00/child starting June 1st. For more details or to register, visit our website at <https://www.christchurchdartmouth.com/choral-camp-2019.html> or for enquiries, contact Candace Vieira at cvieira@sutherlandwatt.ca or call/text 902-430-6118.