



**Happy Canada Day!!!!**

**~ANNOUNCEMENTS & INVITATIONS as of June 29, 2018~**

- **Shared Summer Worship Services begin Sunday, July 1<sup>st</sup>** (wear red & white, eh!?!). The congregation of St. George's Anglican are welcome to worship with us @ 10:30 a.m. during the month of July. In August -- at 10:00 a.m.-- St. George's Anglican will host both congregations. \*\*\*Please remember to identify your offerings by clearly marking the cheque or envelope which church you're supporting.
- **Closed** ~ The office will be closed Monday July 02<sup>nd</sup>.
- **Thanks** to Phyllis & Bob Erickson we'll have our new table for our Board room delivered from Edmonton soon!
- **Thanks for asking. Yes, Camp Sunday** was a glorious day. A congregation of about 55ish, made up of folks from Bashaw, Erskine, Camrose, Stettler, Forestburg, and Oyen (2 yr. - 90+) - some who were at Bar Harbour for the first time -- worshiped, ate, and toured the site together. \$1,000 was given in free-will offerings to the Camp.
- **Kids' Summer Day Camp @ Stettler United Church , July 23-27, 9:00 - noon... Registrations have been coming in! Please help us get the word out!!**

Darielle Rairdan (an experienced leader from Bar Harbour Camp) will be joining us as coordinator! Please register your children (entering ECS – Grade 5/6) asap! Teen and adult helpers for one or more days are also appreciated. There is no registration fee, freewill offerings are gratefully received. (We took the lawn sign down because it's too expensive, so please, please, spread the word in all kinds of other ways... i.e. sharing this poster electronically or in print).

**Kids Day Camp @ Stettler United Church**  
*Each Day a Day in the Life of Jesus*

Monday July 23, 2018 9:00—noon	Tuesday July 24, 2018 9:00—noon	Wednesday July 25, 2018 9:00—noon	Thursday July 26, 2018 9:00—noon	Friday July 27, 2018 9:00—noon
Christmas	Wilderness	Disciples	Easter	Pentecost
				

Register your children (entering ECS – Grade 6) as soon as possible.  
 Jan Richardson, along with Darielle Rairdan, will coordinate this event.  
 Teen and adult helpers are more welcome to volunteer for one, some, or all the days.  
 There is no registration fee. No church affiliation necessary.  
 Financial donations are most welcome.  
 Contact: Stettler United Church @ 403-792-3367  
 stettuc@telusplanet.net

**\*\*\*If you can put posters up around town, please let Michele know and she will print some out for you to deliver. Thank you\*\*\***

○ **Website Updates:**

- We have a new small group that is running right now!! How exciting! Go to the website, click on the activities tab at the top, and see if you can see the new one.
- Check out the Sunday event, scroll down to watch a beautiful version of "Sung Gospel ~ Mathew 5 ~ Beatitudes. Go to the website, click on the events tab, choose Sunday July 01, scroll down and watch the video, easy!!
- LUV2READ ~ 2018/2019 books titles have been added to the list of events, and as a news item.
- Latest Bulletin & Announcements

○ **Mobile Giving – We received our first online donation!! How exciting!!** This app is perfect for holiday time, or anytime!!

The app can be found on "google play store" for Android, and the "app store" for iphone. Type **Tithe.ly** in the search bar to bring up and install the program. It is simple and fast to set an account up, and information is submitted securely using SSL with a 256-bit encryption. This is the icon you are looking for in your play store apps.



- **Devotional & Information Magazines ~** Our most recent edition of the church's mission magazine -- Mandate -- has arrived and is available in the literature rack near Michele's office. Please pick-up read and share this and any of the other devotional and informational magazines that are available through our church.

## ~ WIDER CHURCH ~

- **Canadian Badlands Passion Play ~ 25<sup>th</sup> Season ~ July 6<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
<http://canadianpassionplay.com/>
- **Alberta & Northwest Conference ~ latest news:**  
<https://albertanorthwestconference.ca/news/>
  - **In Contact ~** the Alberta & Northwest Conference insert in the United Church Observer <https://m2xl81t8731yo4ns3p5lpi2x-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/June-2018-In-contact.pdf>
- **Silver Camp (ages 50+) @ Bar Harbour needs 12 people to register asap, or it won't run!** Wednesday, August 15 @ 7 p.m. – Saturday, August 18 @ 11 a.m. (Check-in begins @ 6 p.m.)  
Price: \$165 for three days (accommodations: cabins, your own trailer, or commute each day)
  - **Other camps are filling fast.** Registration is on-line:  
<http://www.barharbourcamp.com/camps.php>
- **Keeping families together in USA and in Canada ~**  
<https://www.united-church.ca/news/keeping-families-together-us-and-canada>
- **Stories of Hope and Change in the Church ~ 2017 Year in Review ~ The United Church of Canada** <https://www.united-church.ca/news/2017-year-review>
- **Gifts with Vision ~ Aid for displaced persons**  
<https://www.giftswithvision.ca/project/aid-displaced-persons>
- **Videos of recent webinars, in preparation for the changes proposed by General Council** <https://www.united-in-learning.com/index.php/webinars/the-road-to-gc43/gc43-recordings>
- **Summer @ Naramata Centre 2018 ~** This July and August, we bring together something for everyone, with age specific (children, youth, adult) and intergenerational (all ages) programs.  
<https://www.naramatacentresociety.org/summer-2018#/events>