JAT UPDATE

December 1, 2023

from Joint Amalgamation Team (JAT), South Regina United Community (Wesley and Sunset United communities working toward amalgamation)

As November ends...

JAT met in person on Nov 29th for the tenth (!) time since April. We also had a virtual meeting on Nov 2 to tend to some details that couldn't wait until the 29th.

- Our main focus at our last meeting was on options for a **new governance structure.** We need another meeting in January to take that work further. In early 2024, the Wesley Council and Sunset Board will both be engaged in shaping new governance.
- Our secondary focus was to plan for a **survey of all SRUC people** to get your opinions on the direction we're taking toward amalgamation. In early January, you can watch for that in your mailboxes (email / paper as needed).
- We repeat our thanks to all who were involved in the **Transition workshop on Nov 12**. We expect to host more conversations like this to connect us in sharing experiences and becoming a new community together.

We invite you: Please check in with any member of JAT to ask about Hospitality

Teams and how to get involved. The background on this is that we do have people in place on Worship Support Teams. They help with the tasks of worship each Sunday - newcomers are always welcome to those teams!

However, we still require a better system and volunteers willing to assist with social events where coffee/tea or food is served. There's a sign-up page in the office at 177 Sunset Drive.

Planned for December:

JAT won't meet in December. Instead, we plan to enjoy Advent and Christmas, and to take time to get to know each other and YOU better - while NOT seated around a meeting table! We wish each of you peace and joy during this special season.

PLEASE help us with communications: please remind each other there are regular online newsletters and to check your church bulletin board for posters.

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