

NL ADVENTIST eREPORT

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Greetings! In this issue: Cottrell's Cove Sing Along and Botwood Baptism; John Ramsey Helps Mission Office; Nursing Opportunity at Burman University; Work Bee at Woody Acres; St. John's Recent Events; ABC Food Orders

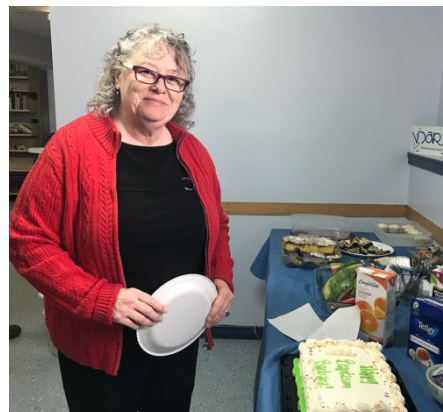
Cottrell's Cove Sing Along and Botwood Baptism

In Photo: First: Cottrell's Cove Singers | Second: Pastor Jonathan, Barb, and Sharon | Third: Barb Oake

Mothers Day is a time set aside to honour the Mothers, Grandmothers, Aunts, and all the Women who made an impact on our lives. This year in the Central District celebrated more than just mothers. On Friday, May 10, there was a special sing-along coordinated by Lucy Moores. Lucy says, "We have been having these "sing-alongs" for several years. The response has been extremely positive. It has been so good to have people from different churches together worshipping the One true God. On Friday, we had approximately 65 people – which was perfect. The Music – singing is something that I enjoy, and this night was I believe, just a little touch of heaven. It is a feeling that I cannot express - like the song says "better felt than told." Cottrell's Cove aims to have these sing-alongs once a quarter, and they are always well received.



Saturday, May 11, all gathered at the Botwood Church where we had the baptism of Barb Oake by Pastor Jonathan Gascoyne and a message from Pastor Etienne Harushimana. It was a beautiful sight as the church welcomed Barb to the family. With her in the baptismal tank was her friend Sharon Hobbs, member of the Grand Falls- Windsor Church. Sharon has had bible study with Barb for over year, and they plan to continue. It was with delight and encouragement as we watched the two friends celebrate this moment together.



St. John's Church Recent Events

Written By: Sarah Joseph | Photos Provided By: Pastor Jamie and Sarah Joseph

The world-renowned Watoto Children's Choir has been sharing a message of hope for Africa's most vulnerable women and children since 1994. On almost every day of the year, the choir is performing somewhere in the world! On May 14th, the choir performed at the St. John's church, titling the concert 'We Will Go.' The team leader Aggrey has stated that 'We Will Go' refers to their mission to be disciples for Christ by ministering through song, testimony and praise to God's people all over the world from the smallest areas to the vastest. The choir sang many upbeat songs that had the audience singing and clapping along. Amidst the radiant joy, we were able to hear the powerful story of a child in the choir by the name of Henry, who shared that he was orphaned at only a few weeks old. Yet, he finds his identity in God, his Heavenly Father! After the concert, attendees were able to meet and greet the choir. Additionally, the option was given to sponsor a child, and or purchase handmade and locally crafted merchandise; which included bags, t-shirts, CDs and bowties. Several families from the church were able to host 2-4 children and leaders in their homes for the night. Thus, allowing the fostering of friendships that will last a lifetime! The St. John's Church was richly blessed by the Watoto Children's Choir and pray for the continued success of their powerful ministry!



In the week following the concert brought to us by the Watoto Children's Choir who are from Kampala, Uganda, the St. John's church held their first Multicultural Service on Sabbath May 18th. The service was dedicated to celebrating the rich and diverse cultures that are represented in the congregation. Some countries that were represented include Canada, Jamaica, Tanzania, Brazil, Italy, Yugoslavia, Estonia, Nigeria, United States of America and the United Kingdom- among others. All were encouraged to wear a national dress or the colors that showcased their country. The scripture reading was read by Joshua Martin and Mackenzie Belga, in both English and Tagalog- native to the Philippines. The Intercessory prayer was done by Andrew Murumbi (Zimbabwe), Ezekiel Matanka (Zambia), Dragan Malesevic (Uganda), Jerry Lazarov (Bulgaria) and Jamie Joseph

(Canada). The children's story was done by Carmen Rowse, who gave each child a flower to demonstrate that the various types of flowers along with their array of color all unite to create a beautiful bouquet. Similarly, we as children of God are united through our diversity as we are made in His perfect image. The sermon titled 'Unity In Diversity' was preached by Pastor Jamie Joseph. It emphasized the importance of sharing the everlasting gospel message to the entire world by being a living example on earth. As well as making it our aim to emulate a Christlike character by forgiving and loving others, which results in perfect unity. A potluck was held after the service, featuring dishes from all over the world. All left with full hearts and stomachs!

Police Week in St. John's

Written By: Margaret Moore and Pastor Jamie

Here is a brief history of the Police Week Celebration in St. John's, NL.

In 1999 while Pastor David Jamieson was serving as NL Conference President, he made contact with the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary, and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Forces to offer a special church service during Police Week in May in order to show honor and appreciation to police officers in St. John's for the valuable and sometimes dangerous work that they do to serve and protect the citizens of our city. They were

delighted with the offer and plans were put in place for the first such service in the history of the St. John's Seventh-day Adventist Church. In addition to a large number of officers, cadets, clergy from various city churches, city, and provincial government officials gladly accepted the invitation to attend. It gave church members who were able to attend great pleasure to see almost every seat taken!

At that time, we had our church school, and the large auditorium provided an ideal location for the ladies of our church to serve a full course meal. The event went over remarkably well with not only appreciation shown by our church for the work of the officers but also by the officers for the warm gesture shown by our church.

It was much too great an opportunity to put aside after that first successful attempt. Since that first Police Appreciation Day, the police departments have continued to request that the St. John's Church provide the celebration as an annual event. During their term of pastoring our church, Pastor Jim Campbell, Pastor Gary Hodder, Pastor John Murley and Pastor Eric Ollila each took great interest and delight in working with the officers, preparing for each Police Week. Church member Ros Ennis, whose father was a retired police officer, took up the role of serving as a liaison between the church and the officers during the years of Pastor Eric's ministry. This year Pastor Jamie Joseph picked up the torch and held our 21st Annual International Peace Officers' Memorial Day Service on Wednesday, May 15 at 11:00 am.



Pastor Jamie Joseph says " It was a great delight to be a part of this service. I was very grateful for the opportunity to meet with representatives from the government of NL, the Mayor of St. John's, peace officers, cadets, clergy, and leaders of various community organizations. It was a pleasure to hear that this service was a highlight of the year for many. It is great that our church can be involved in the community, creating memories, and I look forward to being a part of this service again in the future."

John Ramsay Helps Mission Office

In Photo: John Ramsey, Ken Corkum, Jack Baier | Provided By: Sherry Griffin

John Ramsey, the former Treasurer of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada, now retired in Alberta, came to help us prepare for our Annual FSR (Financial and Statistical Review) of 2018. John not only completed the preparation for this Board meeting but completed the Government reports for 2018 called T3010's and completed the review of all the church audits, bringing them up to current. Johns help during those three week was most encouraging!



Nursing at Burman University

Information Provided By: Burman University | Graphic Provided By: JR Ferrer

We are excited to offer Nursing for this upcoming school year, ask us about this new program! Visit www.burmanu.ca/nursing. Burman is still accepting applications for the forthcoming fall 2019 school year. Canada's Seventh-day Adventist University also offers programs in Biology, Music, Business, English, International Studies, General Studies, Religious Studies, Outward Pursuits, Psychology, Behavioral Science, Wellness Management, and Education. For more information, visit www.burmanu.ca/apply or e-mail info@burmanu.ca.



Work Bee at Camp Woody Acres

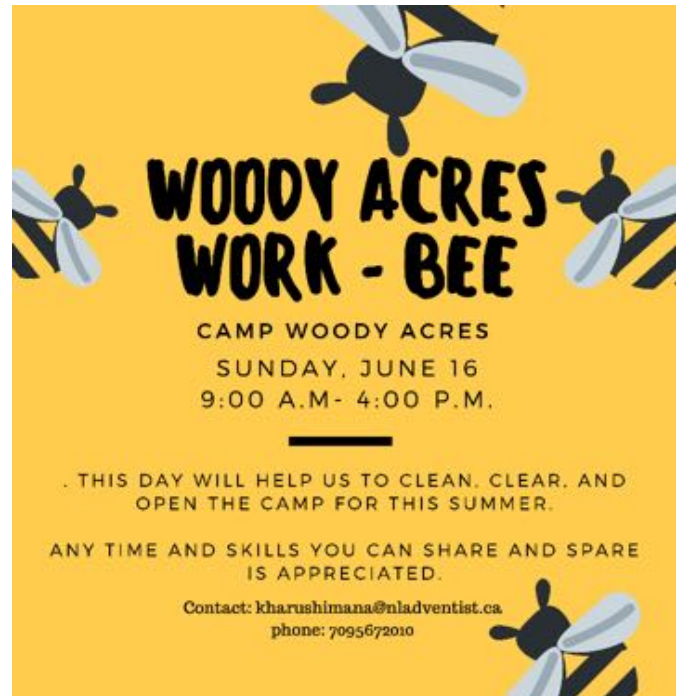
Information and Advertisement | Provided By: Kaitlynn Harushimana

Sunday, June 16, 2019, from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Camp Woody Acres will have a Work Bee in preparation for camp this year. We are currently looking for volunteers who are able to help clean, clear, and many other tasks

Camp Woody Acres is located approximately 10 minutes from the Avondale turn off. We recommend that people coming from across the island car-pool to save on transportation costs.

Any time and skills you can share and spare are appreciated.

Contact: kharushimana@nladventist.ca or call 7095672010 for more information.



Registration is Open

Information and Advertisement | Provided By: Kaitlynn Harushimana



Registration and placement in classes will take place in the order applications are received. So, act fast!

The Cost for the week: \$210

Discounts available for first-time campers, or families who have a second child attending.

Dates:

Kids Camp: August 4-9 (Ages 9-10)

Junior Camp: August 11-18 (Ages 10-13)

Teen Camp: August 18-25 (Ages 13-16)

Guest Speakers

Camp Meeting | July 19-27, 2019



Evening Speaker and Guest Soloist

Mike and Pamela Tucker, Speaker/Director of Faith for Today and Ministry Companion for Faith of Today



Divine Worship

Mark Johnson, President of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada



Bible Study Presenter

Daniel Giang, VP Graduate Medical Ed, Loma Linda University



Seminar Presenter

Theodore Levterov, Director, Ellen G. White Estate Branch Office, Loma Linda University



Seminar Presenter

Sung Kwon, NAD Community Services



Seminar Presenter

Stan Jensen, SDACC Communication Director

Children/ Youth Programs

Cradle Roll/Kindergarten - Ages 4 & under

To Be Determined.

9:30 am - 10:30 am daily, including Sabbaths

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm daily, excluding Sabbaths

Primary - Ages 5 to 9

Tina Taylor, Andrew Taylor and Christopher Au

9:30 am - 10:30 am daily, including Sabbaths

4:00 pm - 5:15 pm daily, excluding Sabbaths

Pathfinder/Juniors - Ages 10 to 12

Celest Corkum & Holly Anthony

10:45 am - 12:15 pm, daily, excluding Sabbaths

7:00 pm - 8:45 pm, daily, including Sabbaths

9:00 am - 10:30 am, Sabbaths

Youth - Ages 13 & up

Guest Speaker: Nwamiko Madden

10:45 am - 12:15 pm, daily; excluding Sabbaths

Pricing

<u>Meals</u>	<u>Ages 10 & Up</u>	<u>Children 3-9</u>
All Meals	\$130.00	\$105.00
Breakfast	\$6.75	\$5.75
Dinner	\$7.75	\$5.75
Supper	\$7.75	\$5.75
<u>Accommodations</u>	<u>Week</u>	<u>Night</u>
Trailers	\$190.00	\$25.00
Tents	\$15.00	\$5.00
Cabins	\$190.00	\$25.00
Lodge/ Hall	\$250.00	\$35.00

Food service will be available all week, including Sabbath. For those not prepared for Sabbath meals, breakfast, dinner and supper will be available as our gift to you.

With regards to accommodations, priority will be given to seniors over 70 for dining hall and lodge accommodations.

Due to the limited supply of cabins, young people whose parents are staying at the camp are asked to stay with their parents.

Please contact Leah Smallwood at (709)-745-4051 or lsmallwood@nladventist.ca

**All cheques can be made out to the Seventh-day Adventist Church in NL" or "Camp Woody Acres" and sent to the mission office.

ABC Food Orders

Information and Advertisement | Provided By: Pastor Ken Corkum

The Food list plus Camp Meeting Special is now available! Please see the attached files to download in the email, or contact your church for a printed copy.

The order deadline is Tuesday, July 2nd. Orders will be available for pick up the opening weekend of Camp Meeting. The Newfoundland Mission is covering the transportation costs from Oshawa to Newfoundland. However, the more we purchase, the better it will be on shipping costs.

If you wish to save on purchasing, you can split a case cost with another person; this will have to be arranged between yourselves.

All purchases are to be made with ABC directly. You can call ABC 1-800-765-6955 to place your order.



Camp Meeting

At Peace With God, Contentment Within

Sunday, June 16 | Work Bee Camp Woody Acres

Sunday July 14- Friday July 18 | Workers Camp

Friday, July 18- Saturday, July 27 | Camp Meeting

Youth Camps

Competing For The Crown

Sunday, August 4- Friday, August 9 | Kids Camp

Sunday, August 11- Sunday, August 18 | Junior Camp

Sunday, August 18- Sunday, August 25 | Teen Camp

“At Peace with God, Contentment Within”

Time	Friday July 19	Sabbath July 20	Sunday July 21	Monday July 22	Tuesday July 23	Wednesday July 24	Thursday July 25	Friday July 26	Sabbath July 27
07:20-08:00 a.m.		Joseph Devotional	D. Burns Devotional	P. Tucker Devotional	K. Harushimana Devotional	Warcholik Devotional	Boutcher Devotional	Eitienne Devotional	Levterov Devotional
08:00-09:00 a.m.		Breakfast							
09:00-10:30 a.m.		(9:30-10:30) SS Lesson	Giang Bible Study	Giang Bible Study	Giang Bible Study	Giang Bible Study	Giang Bible Study	Giang Bible Study	(9:30-10:30) SS Lesson
10:45-12:15 a.m.	Welcome to Camp Woody Acres 2019	Tucker	Levterov	Levterov	Levterov	Levterov	Levterov	Levterov	Johnson
12:30-01:30 a.m.		Dinner							
01:30-05:00 p.m.		(2:45-3:45) Sharing from The Churches	Family Time	Family Time	Family Time	Family Time	Family Time	Family Time	(2:45-3:45) ADRA AWR
03:30- 4:30 p.m.		Natural Remedies	Natural Remedies	Natural Remedies	Natural Remedies	Natural Remedies	Natural Remedies	Natural Remedies	
04:00-05:30 p.m.		Musical NL Musicians	Natural Remedies with Mrs. Donna Lee Lehmann						Sharing Time Baptism
04:30-05:30 p.m.		Stan Jensen Media & The Church	Kwon	Kwon	Kwon	Kwon	Kwon		
05:30-06:30 p.m.		Supper							
6:45-08:45 p.m.	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker	Tucker

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