

FALL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION PROGRAM

We have started our fall book study! We gather every Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the newly renovated hall at St James! We will be reading "Short Stories By Jesus: The Enigmatic Parables of A Controversial Rabbi" by Amy-Jill Levine This book looks at nine different parables Jesus used to teach his followers. Each week we will examine one parable/one chapter. This means attendance each week is not necessary to participate.

The book is currently available in both paperback and kindle format on Amazon or can be ordered online through Indigo. I know several people have already purchased the book on their own but if you need help ordering please contact Archdeacon Brianna: p.frenchvillage@ns.sympatico.ca Please come prepared to discuss the sixth chapter (The Pharisee and the Tax Collector) on Wednesday, October 30th.

MOTHERS' UNION ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

This popular and colourful blend of healthy ingredients, along with an easy to follow recipe, makes this hearty and delicious meal a family favourite. We are offering soup mix in both large and small sizes:

large bag \$10.00, serves 6-8
small bag \$5.00, serves 3-4

Pre-order your soup mix from October 6th – 27th in church or by contacting:

Linda Hills 902-826-2546, blhills@bellaliant.net

Debbie Boutilier 902-497-0739, debbieboutilier@eastlink.ca

Barb Cossar 902-857-1340, jagbac@eastlink.ca

Janet Champniss 902 826-2251, champnissjanet1@gmail.com

Christmas is just around the corner; this soup mix will make a thoughtful and appreciated gift.

Don't forget to ask your friends and neighbours if they would like to place an order!

By purchasing this product, you will be supporting the continued work of the Mothers' Union.

Thank you!

MISSION TO SEAFARERS' SHOEBOXES

At this time of year, we prepare shoeboxes containing a variety of items to be given to seafarers visiting our port at Christmas. Boxes are available at the back of each church with instructions for what is needed, and they can be returned there for pick up each Sunday. If you are unable to fill a box, how about donating some of the required items and/or cash and we will make up the box for you? For more information contact Janet Champniss at 902-826-2251 or champnissjanet1@gmail.com

ART CLASSES STARTING THIS NOVEMBER

Sadie's back and she has a brand-new lineup of art classes! Are you ready Amigos?

Seats are limited – preregister via email (sadiesartclasses@gmail.com).

Payment required at the time of registration.

All classes will be held in St. Margaret's Church Hall.

7 WEEK – CREATIVE AMIGOS PROGRAM

Saturday mornings starting November 2, 2024.

Ages 7-12 years. 10 -11.30 a.m. \$250 materials included.

7 WEEK – ADULTS ACRYLIC PAINTING CLASS

Tuesday mornings starting November 5

Ages 18+. 10 a.m.-12 noon. \$250 materials included.

10 WEEK – CREATIVE AMIGOS PROGRAM

Saturday mornings starting January 4, 2025.

Ages 7-12 years. 10 -11.30 a.m. \$350 materials included.

10 WEEK – ADULT STRESS RELEASE ART PLAYSHOP

Saturday mornings starting January 4, 2025.

Ages 18+. 10 -12 noon. \$350 materials included.

MISSION TO SEAFARERS

For the first time in years the **Mission to Seafarers** closet is bare! If you have men's clothing, size small, medium or large, that you are able to donate it would be very much appreciated. Items can be dropped off at 3 Island view Drive or pick up can be arranged by emailing picton902@gmail.com