

Newsletter March 20th 2016

New Members Classes

It is the hope of the Affirming Committee that a congregational meeting will be held at the end of May to vote on becoming an affirming congregation. It is the policy of the United Church of Canada that only members of the congregation can vote at formal congregational meetings; this includes meetings to call a paid accountable minister, annual meetings, and meetings to accept a JNAC report, to name a few. Membership occurs through a confirmation of one's faith that occurs during a worship service. In this regard I will be offering two membership classes for those wishing to become members of St. David's.

If you are unsure of whether or not you are a member please contact the office.

Please contact the office if you wish to attend a class.

Membership Classes

Saturdays April 16th and 23rd

9:00 am – 1:00 pm

(You need only to attend one class)

On April 24 new members will be confirmed during the worship service.

We will also recognize those who wish to transfer their membership from another church to St. David's.

Friendship Club Presents

Where Some Lives Begin

April 1st at 7:30 PM

You are invited to attend this inspiring evening and informative presentation about North America's largest homeless shelter, the Calgary Drop-in and Rehab Center. Jordan Hamilton, Manager of External Relations will speak to the story of the homeless in our City. He will address such issues as...What is the real reason for homelessness? Where does the funding come from for a 4 million dollar budget? How does the Drop-in Centre change lives?

Jordon has worked for the United Nations and the World Bank. He has a Master's degree in economics, and MBA and the Queen Elizabeth II Golden Jubilee Medal for making a "significant contribution to Canada."

Cost \$10.00 per person

And bring a donation for the Drop-in Centre (razors, shaving cream, full size towels (new or used), soaps, travel lotions, shampoos, work socks...

Call 403-286-1123 for information

St. David's United Church

Growing & Deepening our Spiritual Lives in Community
March 20th , 2016 Upcoming Events

St. David's United Church Presents

GMA Covenant Award Nominee, baritone

MICHAEL HOPE

What a Wonderful World

Sunday, April 3, 2016 2:30 pm Concert

Adults \$20 (Children 12 Free)

*A benefit concert of inspirational music in
support of St. David's United Church*

We are looking for volunteers to help with this event.
Please contact
Marion Whitman
or Meryl Arnott
if you can help
Thank you!

*Tickets available at the church office or at the door. You can also place
advance credit card orders by calling 403-289-7848*

Save the Date!

St. David's Annual Stewardship Dinner

April 16th at 6:30 pm

We look forward to another fun year of
great food and entertainment.

Tickets \$50.00 each

Stewardship

Great Community!



Pastoral Care Presents
Aging as a Spiritual Practice
April 3, After Worship in the Sanctuary