

St. Andrew's News

www.standrewspres-tbay.ca March 14th, 2021
Restoring!

Responding!



WHAT'S NEW

For the Season of Lent we are sharing a link to a wonderful Garden - this is for Lent 4 Click on the link to be taken to the garden

https://bit.ly/3ablBzx



Services are available online and can be accessed on the church Facebook page, or on the website at

> https://standrewspres-tbay.ca/ worship-services-by-video/

Arrangements can also be made for a print version of the worship service to be provided. Connect with Rev. Joyce for more information

St. Andrew's has a family time video series with our Choir Director, Jamie Gerow. Jamie will be making these every other week or so, and they can be found on our Youtube channel, so please be sure to subscribe.

> Here is a link to the latest video. https://youtu.be/7Jor11BnTvg

> > PRAYERS FROM THE **HEART**

Heavenly Father, we know your hands are full at this time; we continue to ask and you provide. Please watch over us especially those who are having a hard time asking for help. Bless our

church clergy, and thank you for all you do to keep us safe.

Written by: Cheryl Kibsey & Hazel Cooper

Watch Jamie make hot cross buns in the latest St. Andrew's Family Time video Hot Cross Buns (all ingredients at room temperature)

1. Mix:

1 ounce of instant yeast 2 cups milk.

Rejoicing!

2. Mix:

2 large eggs 1/3 cup soft butter ½ cup sugar

1 ½ tsp. salt

1 tsp. cinnamon

1/4 tsp. allspice

3 cups flour

1 cup currants (or raisins)

- 3. Add yeast/milk mixture
- 4. Add an additional 4 cups flour
- 5. Knead and let rise for an hour.
- 6. Punch down, knead and break into bun sized balls and cut crosses in the tops.
- 7. Brush with egg yoke and a little water mixed to glaze.
- 8. Let rise for 45 minutes.
- 9. Bake at 375° for 20 minutes. Let cool.
- 10. Mix 1½ cups of icing sugar. Place in a piping bag and fill cross cuts.



From Joyce

Last week I wrote about the generosity toward the church and much of that centered around things that have directly helped the congregation and the church building. Those pieces allow us to do the whole work of the ministry, including supporting other community organizations and programs. As an example, in November 2020 the congregation received a request to help out with the Community Clothing Assistance Program's Undercover Project. Recently the St. Andrew's received a letter of thanks that I share, using their words, "The Board of Directors and Community Clothing Assistance (CCA) management, would like to extend a warm, heartfelt thank you for the generosity of your donation. We are appreciated to receive of your donation...which was magnificent. Without the support of community...we would not be able to pursue our mission of relieving poverty in our community by NEW and FREE socks and Bay, ON P7E 5X8. Or just drop it off in the mailbox Underwear to all in need children and of low at the church. income families."

Our church members bought new socks and underwear for children and placed the donations in a bin at the church, which we were able to deliver to Community Clothing Assistance (CCA) in time for Christmas. We are grateful that we can help support programs and organizations in Thunder Bay such as the good work that CCA is doing in our community.

PCC MISSION MOMENTS

Empowering Women and Girls

On March 8, we celebrated International Women's Day and we continue to reflect on the work the church is doing around the world to help achieve gender equality. Through Presbyterian World Service & Development, we support programs that help marginalized women and girls reach their full potential, access quality education and health care, achieve economic independence and



advocate for their rights. Empowering and supporting vulnerable women and girls not only creates self-reliance but is crucial to ending poverty and hunger. When women are empowered, they help build a more sustainable and just world.

WAYS TO FINANCIALLY SUPPORT THE MINISTRY OF ST. ANDREW'S

e-transfer: offerings.standrewspres@tbaytel.net

- If you have an offering (envelope) number with the church and you know it, be sure to include that and your full name in the Message box.
- For all others, please include your first and last names along with your full address in the message box so we can send you a donation receipt.

Website: You can donate by credit card using the "Donate Now" link on the website.

Preauthorized Remittance: This is a monthly automatic withdrawal from your bank account that can be set up with the bookkeeper. Email Barb at accounts.standrewspres@tbaytel.net to have a form sent to you.

Mail: You can mail in a donation to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church 207 S. Brodie St. Thunder

Thank you for supporting the life, ministry, and mission of St. Andrew's. You make a difference!

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT



The call to stewardship and the call to mission are part of one pilgrimage.

Anonymous

ST. ANDREW'S COVID UPDATE

St. Andrew's remains closed until further notice, due to government regulations.

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> Sunday Worship - Online at standrewspres-tbay.ca