

First United Church

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We're able to receive bulletin info until **Thurs at 2.**

Rev van Vliet's email is firstministercb@gmail.com
His phone is **632-7129**. He tries to take Fridays off.

Washrooms

Upstairs: through the door to the right of the stage

Downstairs: the exit between the two coat racks

First United strives to be a scent free facility.

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November 3, 2024

All Saints



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All Saints Day is on November 1,
but this is the closest Sunday

Welcome and Announcements

Silent Prayer

Introit

Call to Worship: (adapted from Romans 1:7, Rev 14:12,
Romans 8:27, Hebrews 12:1)

L: To those in Rome (or Stockholm, or Taipei, or Cape Town, or Corner Brook) who are dearly loved by God and called to be God's people: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

P: We give thanks for the endurance of the saints, who have kept – and *continue* to keep – God's commandments, and keep faith with Jesus.

L: The One who searches hearts sustains the saints, consistent with God's will.

P: So, let's run the race as it's laid out in front of us. And take courage and inspiration from the great cloud of witnesses who came before, and whose spirit still surrounds us.

Hymn: *Come In, Come In and Sit Down* VU 395

Prayer of Thanksgiving for God's Presence

Reading: adapted from Hebrews 11

Message: A river that's wide – and deep

Hymn: *Faith of Our Fathers* VU 580

Offertory Hymn: *We Give You But Your...* VU 542

Offertory Prayer

Community Prayer/LORD's Prayer

Hymn: *I'm Gonna Live So God Can...* VU 575

Blessing

Choral Postlude: *We Shall Go Out...* VU 586

Windows – with last week’s push we now have enough to finish the windows! The work will begin in a few months. Thank you to everyone who donated.

There will be a combined **Bake, Book, Craft and Indoor Yard Sale** held by the residents of Parkview and First United on Saturday, November 16th from 10 am – 2 pm in the lower hall. Donations of books can be dropped off at the church during regular office hours.

The annual **Corner Brook Ecumenical Advent Service** is scheduled for December 1 at 7 pm at St. John the Evangelist. Choir practices are set for Nov 16 at 2:30, and December 1 at 5:45. This is an important fundraiser for the Food Bank.

There is **moose meat** available to the congregation in the downstairs freezer and if you would like some please fill in the sign in sheet and help yourselves to a piece. Thank you Bruce Penney