

## WELCOME TO THE CITADEL!

We're delighted to have you here! It is our hope that you will experience the love of Christ and His presence as you worship with us today. If you are visiting, please see an usher for a visitor's card. Together let us "know Christ better and make Him better known."

### PRAYER NEEDS

David Elliott  
Jeff & Dodie Wilcox  
Bob Nightingale  
Betty Barnes  
Victoria Greeley  
Barbara Tizzard  
Ruby Moore (Brother ill)



*"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests...keep on praying for all the Lord's People."*

### TITHING



**Giving. Investing. Kingdom-Building.**

Cartridges & Offering Year to Date as of November 30th:

Budget - \$280,000    Actuals - \$281,632

**Did you know? You can have your cartridge contributions taken directly out of your bank account? To sign up, pick up a PAD form from the foyer and pass it into the office.**

**Special Thanks:** Pat Osmond would like to thank you for the calls, messages and prayers for Roma. She is recuperating very well and is continuing to improve each day. She appreciates your loving support.

**Major Blanche Pike is turning 90!** To help celebrate this special occasion you are invited to the Salvation Army Glenbrook Lodge (Joseph Atkin Center) for an Open House/Afternoon Tea on Saturday December 16th anytime between 2-4 p.m. Best Wishes only. If you can drop by on the 16th, we would love to see you!

### CITADEL YOUTH

**SNAC** tonight is at the home of Lloyd & Pat Andrews, 7 Wembley Cres, Mount Pearl.

**All youth programs (including Sunday School) are now finished until the week of January 8th. Have a very Merry Christmas!**

**Cartridges:** 2018 Cartridge envelopes are now available in the foyer. Please remember to take yours.

**The Songsters are growing!** We are very excited to announce that the Songsters are opening their membership beyond the traditional framework, and will be accepting new members in the new year.

Are you: - an adherent of the Corps family with a profession of faith?

- seeking new ministry opportunities?

- looking for ways to share in a Christian community?

- interested in developing musical skills to enhance worship?

We would love to have you as a member of our new and changing Songster brigade! Please email Leah Antle at [leahrenceantle@gmail.com](mailto:leahrenceantle@gmail.com) or one of our Corps Officers for more information.

**Volunteers Needed:** The SA Community & Family Services needs help at the warehouse during distribution week. Volunteers are needed to aid clients in toy shopping for their children and some are needed to lift food hampers/turkeys and restock toy tables. If you have any time to give from Monday, Dec. 18 to Friday, Dec. 22 (9-12pm or 1-4pm), your help would be greatly appreciated! Please contact Janessa Hynes at 765-1435 or [sanlvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:sanlvolunteer@gmail.com) for more information.

**Corps Carolling & Family Night:** Next Sunday, December 17th, we are having a family night. Everyone is asked to meet at the church @ 4:00pm for carolling. After carolling, there will be supper and a short devotional back here at the church. This is for everyone, so come along and bring a friend!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Corps Carolling & Family Night, Sunday, December 17th @ 4:00pm

Christmas Eve Services: Sunday December 24th @ 11:00am & 6:00pm.

New Years Eve Service: Sunday, December 31st @ 11:00am.

## ADULT MINISTRIES

**New Creations:** Wednesday, December 13th @ 9:30am.

**Our final night of Sunshine Bag distribution will be Wednesday, December 13th @ 6:30pm at St. Clares Hospital. If you can spare some time to help with distribution, we would love to see you there. Special thanks to those who have helped in any way with this ministry.**



**Our Mitten Tree is now set up in the foyer for you to donate mittens, gloves, hats, scarfs and socks. These items will be donated to Family Services to be given to those who need them this winter.**

**Sympathies** to Effie Andrews and her family, following the passing of her sister Emily Button. The funeral took place at Wesley United Church on Thursday. Please keep the family in your prayers.



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**"To know Christ better and to make Him better known"**

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**Pearl From the Word:** "But the angel reassured them. "Don't be afraid!" he said. "I bring you good news that will bring great joy to all people. The Saviour, - yes the Messiah, the Lord - has been born today in Bethlehem, the city of David!"

Luke 2:10-11 (NLT)

**Quote of the Week:** "What can I give him, poor as I am? If I were a shepherd I would bring a lamb; If I were a wise man, I would do my part. Yet what can I give him? Give my heart."

Christina Rossetti

**This afternoon at 4:00pm, our youth will present their Christmas Pageant "One Special Night". There will also be performances by our beginner band, junior band and youth band. You won't want to miss it!**