

The Messenger

January 3, 2023



The lady with the cap on is from the Garden club and she came to present a cheque to the GFB for the program.. We are very grateful.

These were the afternoon volunteers - another whole gang did the morning sorting and we forgot to take pictures then.

The final Good Food Box of 2023 was assembled and distributed on Thursday December 21, 2023 - 199 bins this December to households in Armstrong and Spallumcheen.

There is an excellent group of volunteers who bring the produce from Vernon, sort the produce (4 tons in December) into the individual bins in the morning: and then assist all of the people who come to select their bins in the afternoon.

Anyone can subscribe to this service - just go to the Good Food Box website:

www.goodfoodbox.ca. Instructions there will tell you how to pay online. or if you don't do financial things online you can pay at the Gathering Grounds thrift shop.

A large box is \$20. and a small box is \$12.

Zion United Church

Sunday worship — 11:00 am

St Andrews United Church

Sunday worship — 9:30am

If you have announcements to be included here please email them to:

ckooyman@shaw.ca

It would be helpful if announcements for The Messenger are sent to the above address before Wednesday.

Next Messenger will be

January 10, 2024



Photo's by Rod

**BOOK NOOK at
Zion**

The Book Nook will be closed during the month of January while Barb Evans takes a break, re-opening in February.

We had 18 come to **our second annual New Years Day Potluck at Zion**. Such a wonderful variety of food! Len played the piano and we ate our fill with food left over. Here are some pictures



Photo's by Terri



St Andrew's

Our **UCW meeting** is January 18th at 1:00 pm.

The next **council meeting** is January 12th at 1:00 pm.

**Askew's
Cards**



You may still get Askew's cards during the Christmas holidays by calling Isobel at 250-546-8234.

Eleanor will be at church on Dec. 31 to provide you with cards for the New Year.

Thank you, wishing you all a very Merry Christmas. Eleanor