

Hey Saint Paul's,

Get ready for the Christmas Spirit by donating some items to help fill the Gift Bags for the seafarers who are miles from home and who appreciate these surprise gift bags more than we can know. Remember - Joy is a two way street and God loves a cheerful giver.

Sharing the Christmas Spirit



Starting on December 1. Our objective is to prepare for 14 ships with 19 bags/ship or 266 bags.

Donations may be given to your **MtS Congregational representative** or brought to the Seafarer's Centre (Keefer Intermodal, 100 Main St) no later than the **second last Monday in November (November 18)**. Use the drop-off box outside the Seafarers' Centre or call the Seafarers' Centre 807-344-8241 to make an appointment.

Suggested donations include

- mittens/gloves;
- toque;
- socks;
- neck warmer
- playing cards, hand-held games/puzzles;
- small tool: flashlight, screwdriver;
- tooth brush;
- tooth paste;
- disposable razors (other toiletries are not needed);
- Chap Stick; and
- chocolate .

Sanitization practices will be followed when putting the bags together and the items will be in a sealed plastic bag.