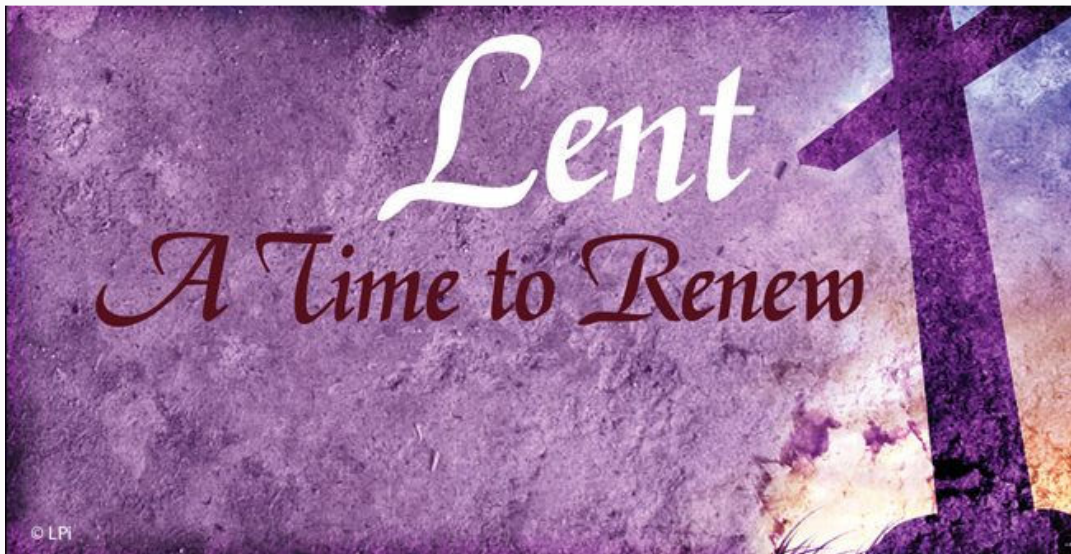


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MARCH 8, 2020  
SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT  
WORSHIP-SCHOOL-LOVE OFFERING  
10:30AM

*We believe that God calls us to love unconditionally, following the example of Jesus Christ. Recognizing that all people are equal in the sight of God, **we seek to be an inclusive and respectful community for persons of every color, age, sexual orientation, gender, ability and economic means.** In our calling to express the love and welcome of Christ, we affirm the dignity and worth of every person, and*

*declare ourselves to be an Open and Affirming congregation. We strive to respond to the needs of our town and world with practical deeds of love. We welcome individuals and families of every configuration into the full life and ministry of this church. Join us on our faith journey!*

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## **WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS**

### **March 8**

Lay Leader: Michael Lewis  
Head Usher: Conrad Fong  
Ushers: Conrad-Paul Raymond-Dave Leonard-Jan Costa  
Greeters: Elaine and Skip Glancy  
Nursery: Kristen Watanabe-Bev Maher  
School: Deb Raymond-Donna Ferro  
Flower Deliverer: Janice Grace  
Collector: Deb Raymond  
Coffee Hour: Cindy Phillips  
Bakers: Susan Eby-Shirley Fong

### **March 15**

Lay Leader: Deb Glancy  
Head Usher: Volunteer needed  
Ushers: Volunteer-Samantha Ellis-Bev Maher-Chris Stahlinski  
Greeters: Wynelle Scenna  
Nursery: Kristen Watanabe-Mark Flecchia  
School: Deb Raymond-TBA  
Flower Deliverer: Karen Calandrelli  
Collector: Everett Langley  
Coffee Hour: Karen Welch  
Bakers: Deb Glancy-Barbara Leonard

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### **During Lent Spread Kindness**

Have you given away your kindness card?

If you have you will see how one act of kindness can change the world.

If you need more cards they are available outside the office at Church.

Have you this week remembered to be kind to our Earth?  
Picked up a piece of trash, said no to using a straw or asked at a coffee shop  
to have them fill your own reusable cup instead of taking one that is not reusable?

### **Lenten Devotional Booklets Available**

Beloved Ones,

Many of us are busy, we don't have time to attend one more church event, we're lucky to get to church on Sunday morning. But we still want to incorporate our faith into our daily lives. Our church has a resource for you! We have beautiful devotional booklets available for the season of Lent. They involve prayer, scriptures and reflections. They'll be available in the church office, and on the counter in Sewall Hall. Please help yourself. We hope this will help you stay rooted in your faith as we journey together towards Easter.

Sincerely,

Pastor Angela

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Tuesday, March 3**

Deacons Meeting 7:00pm

### **Wednesday, March 4**

NO True North Pastor Hours

C4C 1:00pm

Choir Rehearsal 7:15pm

### **Saturday, March 7**

***Turn your clocks AHEAD before you go to bed!***

### **Sunday, March 8**

Second Sunday of Lent

Worship-School-Love Offering 10:30am

Youth Choir Noon

Mission Meeting Noon

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## **TRUE NORTH PASTOR HOURS**

at True North Coffee Shop  
204 Cambridge Street, Burlington

March 5 No True North Pastor Hours

### **Pastoral Coverage**

**Pastor Angela will be out of town from  
March 4th-March 7th. Rev. Heather Hinton will  
provide pastoral coverage. She can be reached at:  
508-685-1994.**

March 12 8:30-10:30am

March 19 8:30-10:30am

March 26 8:30-10:30am

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The logo for 'The Friendly Toast' features the word 'the' in a small, red, lowercase font above the word 'Friendly'. 'Friendly' is written in a large, multi-colored font where each letter has a different color (green, orange, blue, red, green, blue, red). 'Toast' is written in a large, red, outlined font.

**The Friendly Toast at the Burlington Mall  
is proud to support**

**"The United Church of Christ, Congregational"**

**Come and eat from 4-9pm on Wednesday, March 11th**

20% of ALL dinner sales, including drink sales, will come back to our church!

No voucher needed, just go and eat! Bring your family, friends, and neighbors and enjoy some delicious food while supporting the church!

Spread the word by FB, Instagram, flyers and word of mouth!

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### **PHOTOS FOR OUR WEBSITE!**

We are working on updating our website. In order to do this, we need current(ish) photos. If you have any photos of church events or church members that you think might look good on the website,

please send them to [photosforucc@sallywillard.com](mailto:photosforucc@sallywillard.com).

Thank you!

**Save the date:**  
**MEATLESS LUNCH ON**  
**MARCH 22ND!**

**SPONSORED BY THE GREEN TEAM**

We invite you to join us for a potluck meatless lunch during coffee hour on March 22. Bring your favorite meatless dish to share with the congregation and the recipe which will be shared online. We hope that you will have 1 or 2 meatless dinners each week during Lent and continue to have meatless meals after Easter. Eating a meatless meal is kinder for the earth.



See the signup sheet at coffee hour if you can bring something for the luncheon!



**SUNDAY MARCH 22 2-3PM**  
**POOL PARTY AT THE BILLERICA**  
**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
**ALL AGES WELCOME!**

This is a fun interactive event! Kids get the shallow end, room for adults to do short laps in the deep end. Please sign-up at coffee hour or call/text Deb at 857-373-9156.

**We must have a final count by**  
**3/19/20.**

**WINE TASTING CLASS @ TOTAL  
WINE  
OF BURLINGTON**

**"Tip to Toe-A Tour of Italy"  
Saturday, May 2nd 7-9pm  
Sunday, May 3rd 2-4pm**

Hors d'oeuvres & Silent Auction

Tickets \$35 per person and are limited!  
Call the office to get your tickets today!



**MARCH BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:**

**3 Cindy Brown  
7 Paul Raymond  
12 Laura Nowell  
14 Josie Ursino  
15 Stephen Jacobs  
17 Erika Downing  
26 Laura Breau  
26 Libby Samarjian  
28 Alyssa Johnson**

**Enjoy your Day!**

**ONGOING REMINDERS ARE LISTED BELOW:**

**CHURCH NAME TAGS** Leave a note for Bobbie in the church office!

**CHOIR REHEARSALS** Youth Rehearsal noon on Sundays  
Adult Rehearsal 7:15-9pm on Wednesdays

**COFFEE HOUR** To host or bake, see the signup sheet in the church hallway

**CRAFTING FOR A CAUSE (C4C)** Join us every Wednesday at 1pm  
in the church conference room for crafts and chats!

**NURSERY/WORSHIP VOLUNTEERING** Please contact Donna Flecchia  
at [dmflec@gmail.com](mailto:dmflec@gmail.com)

**LTLC NEEDS** Sweatshirts, Coats, Warm Socks, Gloves, Hats, Warm Clothing  
(See bin outside the church office)

**BURLINGTON PANTRY NEEDS** Diapers (sizes 4,5,6,7 & pullups) Also wipes  
(See bin outside the church office)

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**JUST A REMINDER.....  
WE HAVE RENTERS USING SEWALL HALL WEEKLY**

**MONTESSORI SCHOOL Monday-Friday from 8-6pm**  
*Please remember there is a large school pickup at 3pm.*  
*So the parking lot will be very busy!*

**MONDAYS 7:30-9PM AA MEETING**

**WEDNESDAYS 7-9pm SCOUTS**

Please **DO NOT** interrupt while they are in session!

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The logo for "Prayer Concerns" features the words in a blue, cursive script font. The text is set against a green rectangular background that has a subtle gradient and a glowing effect behind the letters. The entire graphic is framed by a thin black border.

***If any of the people listed below are doing better,  
please let us know.***

***The list is long and we are praying some are on the mend  
and our prayers have helped!***

Betty Knowles (hospitalized and home) Woody, and friend Janet Hurley

Roberta Low's friend Doug

Anna Karwan and her family with Health Issues

Joyce Carpenter's Nephew

Bill Beyer's sister Jane Moberg and friend Frank

Claire Simas and grandson

Mark Flecchia's mom Vivian

Kendra Griep's grandfather

Luella Brown

Carol & Ron Downing

Conrad Fong and his Dad

Alan Wright's friend Seth's Dad

Anne Stafford, her son Bill and grandson Zach

Jean Bastos

J. Beyers (Relative of Kate)

Dave Williamson

Rev. Elizabeth King

Jan Blandino

Bobbie Martino

Barbara Garland

Jessy McNeil's brother Mel and sister Grace

Henry Knopp

Dot Drinkwater

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Ruth Reddig  
Everett Langley's brother George  
John Heald's sister Susan & Mom  
Jim Mungillo  
Tom's co-worker's 22 year old son diagnosed with cancer

All our caregivers, military here and abroad and our First Responders!

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