

**UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST,
CONGREGATIONAL
6 LEXINGTON STREET
BURLINGTON, MA 01803**



COME AND WORSHIP WITH US!

All are Welcome! All are Loved!

Join us in person or join us on Zoom

Sunday mornings at 10:00am (New time through August)

Joining us on Zoom!

You can find the link easily on our website:

uccburlington.org

UPCOMING WORSHIP*

August 14, 2022 10:00am Worship*

Interim Pastor:	Rev. Ed Koonz
Organist:	Aline Beck
Duet:	Debbie Claar & Precious
Lay Leader:	Chris Stahlinski-???
Head Usher:	Volunteer Needed
Usher:	Jan McScheffrey
Greeter:	Tonia Egan
Flowers:	
Collector:	Deb Raymond
Nursery:	Mark and Donna Flecchia
Coffee Hour:	Anna Karwan

August 21, 2022 10:00am Worship

Guest Pastor:	Rev. Dave VanArsdale
Guest Organist:	Rob Humpreville
Music:	
Lay Leader:	
Head Usher:	
Usher:	

Greeter:

Flowers:

Collector: Everett Langley

Nursery:

Coffee Hour:

***Here is the link for Zoom worship:** <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/756975189>

TO JOIN US VIA ZOOM LIVESTREAM!

You need to download the ZOOM app on your ipad or computer.

If you cannot access it, you can always dial in on your phone and listen by audio.

The phone number is: 929-205-6099

Enter meeting ID: 756 975 189 when prompted.

You will receive a bulletin for the upcoming Sunday, via email with the hymns attached.

This way you can have the bulletin with you at home while joining us for worship. During our Zoom worship, ***our Lay Leader***, will share prayer requests received throughout the week, so *if you have any prayers that you'd like shared on Sunday morning, please email the church by Friday, uccburlington@gmail.com or call the office 781-272-4547.*

Thank you.

PLEASE READ THROUGH ALL THE
UPDATED ARTICLES IN THIS WEEKLY



Dear Congregants,

The Deacons discussed masks and coffee hour at their June meeting.

As it is important for the church to be a safe place for people to come and worship, ***masks will continue to be required in the sanctuary.***

COFFEE HOUR UPDATE!

Limited (beverage only) coffee hour will resume in Sewall Hall, windows open! Tasks to be done include making coffee, heating water for tea, setting up tables and chairs and opening windows. There are always people to lend a hand!

People willing to host coffee hour can sign up online through the signup.com link or contact Donna Flecchia.

- **If you would like to volunteer please go to our SignUp.com page. Here is the link:**
<https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/567269842043/false?popup=true#/invitation>.

- **If you have difficulty using this site, please contact Donna Flecchia for help.**

For those of you who cannot or are not ready to join us in-person, we sincerely hope that you continue to join us over Zoom. We are doing our best to make the overall experience consistently better. If you have any recommendations, please contact Deb Glancy or Michael Lewis.

We look forward to welcoming everyone, near or far on Sunday.

PASTORAL CARE

IF YOU HAVE NEED FOR URGENT PASTORAL CARE, contact Pastor Ed anytime via phone or text at 603-620-4498.

IF YOU'D LIKE TO HAVE PASTORAL CONVERSATION, with Pastor Ed at your home or in the office, please contact him via text, phone, or e-mail (RevEd85@aol.com) to make an appointment.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS NEEDED!

We have very little signups for worship during the **end of July and all of August**. If you can volunteer to be Lay Leader, Head Usher, Usher, Greeter, Coffee Host or Nursery, please be sure to signup on the Signup.com site.

SUNDAY FLOWERS

If you would like to donate flowers for our Sunday Worship Services, there is a form located in the hallway on the bulletin board right outside the church office.

The cost is \$30. Let us know what date and who they may be in memory, celebration or honor of. Payment should be made out to UCC and put Altar Flowers on the memo line. You can drop the form and payment into the collectors plate or just leave on Bobbie's desk.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

During the summer months the need in the office is less. Bobbie will work most Tuesdays and every Thursday during July and August. If you need to reach the office, you can email uccburlington@gmail.com or leave a message on the church voicemail at 781-272-4547.

Enjoy your summer and be safe!



Upcoming Community Meal

Presbyterian Church

335 Cambridge Street, Burlington

Next date is August 31 5:30 to 7 PM.

We welcome new volunteers who may wish to help with the meal as well. Folks can sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10cod4fabab2caafcc70-community2>



CRAFTING FOR A CAUSE

We hope to meet outside during cool days this summer.

If you would like to join us you are welcome.

Contact Susan Eby for information of where we will be meeting.



DONATIONS NEEDED!

The Lowell Transitional Life Center is NOT taking any more clothing at this time. We will let you know if this changes.

**If you have summer clothing for Men, Women and Children,
the WISH PROJECT in North Chelmsford is in need.**

Unfortunately, they have no way to pickup items. PLEASE do not leave items when not open. Clothing and soft goods donations may be made Tuesday – Saturday from 9:00 a.m.- 2:45pm (*from 9:00 – 12:45 on Saturday from July through Labor Day*). Contact them to book a time for other items.

Contact Info

Hours

Tue-Fri 9:00-3:00

Sat 9:00-3:00

Phone: 866-947-4360

E: info@thewishproject.org

Physical Drop Off Address

166 Middlesex St

North Chelmsford, MA 01863

Missions thank you for your donations this past year!



BURLINGTON PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE PANTRY

At the new Burlington Food Pantry location at **21 Murray Ave**, a room with an outside entrance has been set up to receive donations. The door will be unlocked from 6am to 7pm, 7 days a week.

Needed this month are the following items

canned tomatoes
oatmeal
toilet paper
boxes of tissues
dish detergent
granulated sugar
vegetable oil
Jasmine rice
condiments
flour
jelly
pancake syrup
coffee / tea / hot cocoa mix
Baby wipes (are really needed)

For more information about the Pantry
click on the link below:

<https://peoplehelpingpeopleinc.org/#>

NEWS

From Our Church

Financial Assistance

If you or your family experienced financial struggles as a result of COVID-19, the church is here to help you. We have a Deacons Fund which can be used for emergency financial assistance. Please reach out to Deacons Chair, Deb Glancy debglancy03@gmail.com if you could use financial support. All requests are kept confidential.

People Helping People

If you or your family could benefit from receiving food through the food pantry, please contact the food pantry at 781-270-6625 or burlingtonpantry@gmail.com. In addition to non-perishable items, they have a wonderful array of fruits and vegetables. They're also offering lunch foods for families with children who normally receive their lunch at school.

Church Member Support

If you are elderly or immunocompromised or don't feel comfortable leaving your home, we have a team of church members who can run errands for you, including doing your food shopping. If this would be helpful for you, please reach out to Bobbie in the church office.



AUGUST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

- 1 Skip Glancy
- 1 Marina Ciardi
- 2 Debbie Claar
- 7 Will Silva
- 8 Sarah Clark
- 9 Florence Forbush
- 10 Jennifer Turgiss
- 11 Melissa Breau
- 15 Sally Willard
- 17 Jacob Goodich-Byers
- 17 Nicole Flecchia
- 20 Jane Forbush
- 22 Ruth Goodrich-Byers
- 25 Kathy Olney
- 26 Michael Lewis
- 26 Laura Harder
- 26 Brian Hooper
- 29 David Breau

MONTESSORI SCHOOL-DOWNSTAIRS

Monday-Friday from 8-6pm!

SEWALL HALL RENTERS

AA MEETING MONDAYS 6:30-9PM

SCOUTS THURSDAYS 6:30-9pm (no meetings July/August)

Dinner Rentals Various Days and Times

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



Ginger Mungillo's daughter Cindy Surette and Ginger's son Jim

Passing of Bill Livezey's brother Jim

Dave McNeil

Anne Stafford

Sheila Vitale

Nancy Todd's friend who is suffering with pneumonia

Barbara Leonard

Roberta Low

Kay Shute

Baby Wren

Jessy McNeil's brother Mel out of the hospital! and sister Grace

Sue Wisniewski's Dad Bob in need of extra prayers!

Joyce Carpenter and her niece Cindy Tomlin

Jean Williamson

Joe Stoddard's Mom Lillian and sister-in-law Joy Stoddard

Marilyn Langley

Shirley Garside's daughter Lynn Larsen

Dave McNeil-UPCOMING SURGERY

Sally Mansfield's son, Mark

Tom Killilea and brother Jim

Alan Wright's cousin Tim

Barbara Moran

Luella Brown

Kelly Sievert

Mark Flecchia's mother Vivian

Jean Bastos

Rev. Elizabeth King

Jan Blandino

Barbara Garland

Henry Knopp

Everett Langley's brother George

John Heald's sister Susan & Mom

Jim Mungillo

The people of Ukraine

So many deaths by gun violence!

Our Nation

Mother Earth

Our First Responders! Our caregivers!

Urgent Care workers!

Military here and abroad!

BE SAFE!

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