



**March 25, 2018
Palm Sunday Service
Meet at 10:20am in the Big Hall
to process into the sanctuary waving our
PALMS and using our percussion instruments!**

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

March 25th-Palm Sunday - worship begins at 10:20am in the Big Hall!!!!

Lay Leader: Craig Baker
Head Usher: Mark Flecchia
School: Deb Raymond-Cindy Phillips
Nursery: Kristen Watanabe-Damalie Dakoye
Collector: Barbara Moran
Coffee Host: John Heald -Everett Langley
Bakers: Everett-Cindy Phillips-Sally Willard

March 29 Maundy Thursday Service at 7:00pm

Lay Leader: Deb Glancy

Head Usher: Dave Ierardi
Ushers: Marie Perrot-Cindy Phillips-John Getsinger
Marcia Rich-Chris Stahlinski-Lucy Damiani
Readers: Mark Flecchia-Deb Claar-John Getsinger-Marcia Rich-Sally Willard

March 30 Good Friday - Quiet Meditation 2-5pm

April 1st EASTER SUNDAY

Sunrise at 6:30am

Simonds Park across the street at lower level, weather permitting

Easter Egg Hunt and Refreshments 9:30am

Easter Festival Worship Service begins at 10:15am

Communion: Jessy McNeil-Jan McSheffrey
Lay Leader: Lucy Damiani
Head Usher: Marcia Rich
Ushers: Marcia-Donna Flecchia-Carol Downing-Nick Karwan
Another volunteer needed!
Greeters: Barbara Moran-Anne Stafford-***Two volunteers needed!***
School: Deb Raymond-Jessy McNeil
Nursery: Kristen Watanabe-Mark Flecchia
Collector: Everett Langley
Coffee Host: Susan & Nelson Eby
Bakers: Susan-Shirley Fong-Karen Welch

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday March 20

Happy First Day of Spring!
True North Pastor Hours 4-6pm
Parish Council Meeting 7:15pm

Wednesday March 21

Crafting for a Cause 1pm
Youth Choir 5:15pm
Adult Choir 7:15pm

Thursday March 22

True North Pastor Hours 9-11am
Lenten Book Study 7:30pm

Friday March 23

April Hilltop Articles are DUE!

Sunday March 25

Palm Sunday meet in Big Hall at 10:20am to process into the sanctuary

Red Wagon pantry needs:

Diapers Size 3,4 5 - baby wipes

Boxed Cereal - coffee and tea



COFFEE HOUR HOSTS NEEDED!

We are in need of **2 to 3 more coffee hour hosts** to help spread out the time between hosting duties for our volunteers. If you would like to help out our church with this need please contact Janine Towle at msjaninetowle@gmail.com and let her know.

Now Forming: Community Engagement Group!

At our Annual Meeting, we voted to partner in ministry with the wider community, so that begs the question, *who is the wider community?* This group is going to find out! Through studying demographic data, doing prayer walks and interviewing key town leaders, we'll learn more about what makes up our community, and what its needs are. After we've done data collection, we'll reflect upon which needs we feel called to address. In total, this will be about a year-long process, but with a low time commitment. We need 10-12 people to work on this, so please contact Angela at RevWells@UCCBurlington.org if you're interested. Thank you!

ON THE RISE-MISSIONS PROGRAM

The Board of Missions through On the Rise is conducting a "Moving Home Drive" for a previously homeless 53 year old woman named Mary who is moving into an apartment of her own.



Thank you to all who have given so generously! If you have offered to donate an item, please be sure to bring it to worship on Sunday.

Please call or email Nancy Todd if you have any questions. [781-258-9489, nancygtodd@gmail.com]

***Our drive will run for 2 weeks
beginning March 18th!***



BURLINGTON PANTRY IS IN NEED!

The Burlington Food Pantry currently helps 13 families with children under the age of 2.

They are in need of diapers (sizes 3, 4, 5) and wipes.

If you are able to donate please bring to church anytime and place into the BLUE bin outside the church office.

Thanks so much!



WORSHIP AND SUNDAY SCHOOL HELP!

CE will be providing signup sheets for nursery and Sunday school substitute teachers and assistants.

Please sign up if you're able. It has proven to be a rewarding experience for volunteers and the CE program could not continue without it!



Church Members performing in BHS's "Pippin"

A few of our young church members will be performing in Burlington High School's upcoming musical "Pippin". **Kellsee Lynch** is a Select Dancer and co-Dance Captain, and **Laura Harder and Diana Sears** are Select Singers. The show opens on Friday, March 16 and runs until Sunday, March 25 for a total of five performances. Friday and Saturday shows start at 7:30 p.m. A matinee is scheduled on March 25 at 2 p.m. To purchase tickets, visit burlingtontickets.tix.com or call 781-A-FUN-TIC (781-238-6842).



Money Madness, a fun competitive fundraiser.

The jars are being counted and totals with the winning team will be announced at worship on Palm Sunday! Thank you to all who have donated so generously!

Christian Ed and our Youth thank you!

GIFT CARD PROGRAM

Your cards should be in by Sunday March 25th.

If you purchased a gift card for UNO's remember we will have a fundraiser on April 26th (an all day event at the UNO's in Woburn) All your eat-in or carry-out food and drink will be included. There will be a certificate to take with you in the April Hilltop. Up to 20% comes back to our church!



Keep in touch!
Email: music@uccburlington.org
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Facebook: www.facebook.com/burlingtonchoirs
Google+: Joe Stoddard (music@uccburlington.org)



PASTOR HOURS!

Please note Rev. Angela will be at True North Coffee Shop on the following dates.
However, her door is always open.

Please be sure to check the voicemail due to the upcoming weather!

Tuesday, March 20 4-6pm
Thursday, March 22 9-11am



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!

Tully Family friend of Dave Ierardi

Anne Stafford's grandson Tyler needs EXTRA prayers, grandson Zach and a young friend

Amanda

Marion Braley Freeman

Sara's friend Sarah diagnosed with Cancer

Karen Welch's friend June and brother Rick

Bobbie Martino-shut-in

Barbara Garland

Luella Brown

John Getsinger's grandson Zach

Joe Stoddard's husband Paul Mouratidis

Elise Surko-with Hospice

Wynelle Scenna's brother

Conrad Fong

Steve Fennelly

Ann Onthank

Bill Livezey's daughter-in-law's sister Susan

Jessy McNeil's brother Mel and sister Grace

Henry Knopp

Jan Blandino and her great grandson Brandon

Elizabeth King

Dorothy Murdoch's granddaughter Meghan and son Bob

Carol Downing's husband Ron

Bobbie & Tom's friend John

Dot Drinkwater

Ruth Reddig

Everett Langley's brother George

John Heald's sister Susan & Mom

Aimee Tredeau's friend Amanda

Ginger Mungillo's son, Jim

Fred Garside

And all those effected by the recent hurricanes, fires and senseless violence here and
worldwide!

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