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 for July and August)

Joining us on Zoom!

You can find the link easily on our website:

uccburlington.org

UPCOMING WORSHIP*

July 10, 2022 10:00am Worship

Interim Pastor:	Rev. Ed Koonz
Organist:	Joe Stoddard
Musicians:	Debbie Claar, John Getsinger, Lee Tirrell
Lay Leader:	Debbie Claar
Head Usher:	Deb Glancy
Usher:	Sally Willard
Greeter:	
Flowers:	Marcia Rich/John Getsinger
Collector:	Deb Raymond
Nursery:	Jan McSheffrey/Jan Costa
Coffee Hour:	

July 17, 2022 10:00am Worship

Interim Pastor:	Rev. Ed Koons
Organist:	Aline Beck
Lay Leader:	Chris Stahlinski
Head Usher:	Dave McNeil
Usher:	Sally Willard
Greeter:	

Flowers:	
Collector:	Everett Langley
Nursery:	
Coffee Hour:	Jan MsSheffrey

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

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, <u>uccburlington@gmail.com</u> 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 <u>signup.com</u> 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#/i

• 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 (<u>RevEd85@aol.com</u>) to make an appointment.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS NEEDED!

We have very little signups for worship during those two months. 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.

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 <u>uccburlington@gmail.com</u> 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 July 27th 5:30 to 7 PM.

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



UKRAINE RELIEF FUND

If you would like to give another donation to support Church World Service's or the UCC's work in Ukraine here is the information about where you can send a check. In each case write **Ukraine** on the memo line.

CWS Ukraine relief fund Church World Service PO Box 968 Elkhart, Indiana, 46515

UCC Ukraine relief fund United Church of Christ PO Box 71957 Cleveland, Ohio 44194



CHOIR REHEARASL

Adult Choir Rehearsal

The year is winding down and the choir will be taking the summer off. We are looking for people who want to share their voices or musical talents during our worship over the summer months. Please talk with Joe if you can volunteer! We need volunteers for August 21 and August 28.



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: <u>info@thewishproject.org</u>

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/#



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 <u>debglancyo3@gmail.com</u> 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 <u>burlingtonpantry@gmail.com</u>. 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.



JULY BIRTHDAY

CELEBRATIONS!

- 1 Anna Karwan
- 2 Bobbie Martino
- 3 Eric Duran
- 4 Brian Stahlinski
- 5 Walter Landin
- 6 Bill Beyer
- 7 Jean Williamson
- 8 Peggy Derick
- 9 Jerad Stahlinski
- 14 Nancy Todd

- 15 Elaine Glancy
- 21 Sam McNeil
- 21 Dick Butler
- 23 Alana Shirley
- 24 Aiden Breau
- 29 Amelia Lewis
- 29 Bill Livezey
- 30 Cy Todd

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!



Our College Grads: Laura Harder, Peter Silva, Kellsee Lynch! Lynn and Lee Tirrell on the passing of Lynn's sister Jean and Brother-in-law Don Roberta Low Kay Shute Baby Wren Rachel McNeil leaving for New Zealand 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 Bill Livezey's brother Jim, EXTRA PRAYERS NEEDED! 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 Anne Stafford Tom Killilea and his 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 **Bobbie Martino** Barbara Garland

Henry Knopp Everett Langley's brother George John Heald's sister Susan & Mom Jim Mungillo

The immigrants in San Antonio who lost their lives in a tracker trailer from heat exhaustion! 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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