

CHAPEL OFFICE NOTICE

The Chapel office will be closed tomorrow, Monday, February 17th, in observance of Presidents' Day.

WEEKLY CALEDAR AND EVENTS

February 16th - February 23rd

Sunday 16th

- 10:00 a.m. Service of Worship
11:15 a.m. Coffee hour hosted by Music Committee, Choirs and Leaders*
11:15 a.m. Children's choir rehearsal*
6:00 p.m. Youth Group meeting in Youth Group room

Monday 17th Chapel Office closed (Presidents' Day)

- 6:30 p.m. Deacons meeting
7:00 p.m. Al-Anon meeting*

Tuesday 18th

- 7:00 p.m. NA step meeting*

Wednesday 19th

- 12:30 p.m. Quilting Group
7:00 p.m. Women's book club
7:00 p.m. Al-Anon meeting*

Thursday 20th 7:00 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal

Friday 21st 7:30 p.m. NA meeting*

Sunday 23rd

- 10:00 a.m. Service of Worship
Liturgist: Mark Gilson
Usher: Jake Gilson
11:15 a.m. Special meeting of our membership in the Sanctuary
11:15 a.m. Pizza and activities for children Pre-K through 5th grade*
6:00 p.m. Youth Group meeting in Youth Group room

*** events take place downstairs in Fellowship Hall**

WORSHIP NEWS

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Liturgist: Cara Burns

Ushers: Joyce Bandilla and Deb Dennis

If you are interested in helping out with Sunday services as an usher or liturgist, please check the board outside the side door of the Sanctuary, or speak with Pastor David. You may also sign up online at <http://fourcornerschapel.org/usherliturgistsignup.html>

CHURCH IN COMMUNITY

SPECIAL MEETING OF OUR MEMBERSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

There will be a special meeting of the membership of Four Corners Community Chapel next Sunday, February 23 in the Sanctuary, immediately following the Worship Service. The purpose of the meeting is to seek approval to begin the process of expanding and improving our parking lot. We urge all members to attend so that we have a quorum, and so that your voices may be heard.

We will be providing a pizza lunch and activities downstairs in Fellowship Hall for children Pre-K through 5th grade to enjoy during the time of the meeting. If parents wish to take advantage of this so they can attend the meeting, they must sign their child up by contacting David (david@fourcornerschapel.org) or Amanda (amanda@fourcornerschapel.org).

Due to the meeting, there will be no coffee hour and no children's choir rehearsal following next Sunday's worship service.

WOMEN'S GROUP DONATIONS NEEDED

The Wednesday Women's Quilting Group has been assembling gift bags for those in need through the Soup Kitchen, "Loaves & Fishes RI" and other local outreach initiatives. This project is ongoing, as supplies last only 2 or 3 months. We are looking for donations of travel size deodorant and shampoo, soap, toothpaste, tissues, etc., along with combs, pens, pencils, small pads and toothbrushes. Socks, scarves and hats are also needed. If you would like to help, please leave your donations in the Missions baskets at either door to the sanctuary.

We have also distributed 35 home-made knitted blankets made from 4-ply yarn, which is yarn left over from other projects. We are always looking for more 4-ply yarn – please donate by leaving it in the Missions baskets.

MISSIONS NEWS

NORTHERN RI FOOD PANTRY FOOD COLLECTION

Our monthly support of the Northern RI Food Pantry continues in February with the collection of tuna fish, peanut butter and pancake syrup. Please drop off the donated items in the baskets at either entrance of the church.



Our eighth annual Missions Possible Bingo will take place downstairs in Fellowship Hall on Saturday, March 21st. Doors open at 6 p.m., and first game starts at 6:30. This is a fun family event where everyone who wins a game of Bingo gets to designate \$100 to the charity of their choice. Over the past 7 years, \$8,300 has been donated to over 50 local and national organizations.



"SOUPER BOWL" COLLECTION 2020

Once again, we are overwhelmed by your outrageous generosity in response to our 2020 "Souper Bowl" campaign. This year we collected 1,430 cans of soup (1,580 pounds of food) for the Northern RI Food Pantry. Thank you to everyone who donated soup, or made cash donations, and to the great leadership of our children and youth. You have helped bring food to those who really need it.

Lent

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

February 26th, 7 p.m. at Calvin Presbyterian Church, 126 Angell Road, Cumberland. Once again, we will join with our neighbors at Calvin Presbyterian as we begin the season of Lent. This year's Ash Wednesday service will be a simple service of prayer and Taize music in the round. Those who wish will be able to receive the imposition of ashes, reminding us of both the fragility and hope of our humanity.



"THE POLITICS OF JESUS AND HIS BIBLE"

We've heard it said the church is no place for politics, and that the only thing more divisive than politics is a church that talks politics. This 4 week series will explore the varied meanings behind politics in scripture, including the ways politics have been tied to particular understandings of time and place throughout history. We will also consider the political context in which the Old Testament was written, and the ways that context gave rise to Jesus' identity as a Jewish preacher and revolutionary in the New Testament. Finally, we will consider the ways in which the church today may be called to enter political discourse after all, as a witness to empathy and in the spirit of Jesus himself.

This series will meet on Wednesday, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, and 3/25 from 6:30 - 8 p.m. It is helpful if you could RSVP to Pastor David at david@fourcornerschapel.org or call him at 508.221.2096 to let him know that you plan to participate.

Please sign up by Sunday, March 1st.