



So You Know!



Sunday, April 27, 2014
Community Covenant Church
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THIS WEEK

Today	Sunday School	9:45 am
	Worship Celebration	11:00 am
	Fellowship Time	12:15 pm
Wed	Choir Rehearsal	7:15 pm
Thursday	Small Group Leaders Meeting	7:00 pm
Friday	Women's Bible Study	10:00 am
	Confirmation Class	7:00 pm
Saturday	Men's Ministry Breakfast	7:30 am
	Men's Ministry Metal Drive	9:30 am
	Women to Women	9:30 am
	Senior Fellowship Luncheon	11:00 am
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CORRECTION TO FLOWER LIST

On Easter Sunday, two of the beautiful flowers decorating our sanctuary were accidentally omitted from the list included in the bulletin. These were given by Crystal Coffey in memory of her father Calvin Carr, and in memory of Dagmar Anderson.

"NORTH TO ALASKA" SENIOR FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Saturday, May 3rd 11:00 am

Are you eligible for AARP? Then you are invited to the Senior Fellowship Luncheon on May 3rd. Sue Bolinder and Jane Ostlund will present a travelogue of their recent Alaskan vacation. Having seen some of their past photos, you won't be disappointed. Always wanted to visit Alaska? This is your opportunity to get a taste of what it's like.

Luncheon will be served immediately following in the multi-purpose room.

MEN'S MINISTRY EVENTS SATURDAY, MAY 3rd

A special Men's Ministry breakfast, as well as the Men's Ministry scrap metal drive will take place this Saturday, May 3rd. See back page for details.

LAST DAY TO BUY TICKETS ADULT SOCIAL "Les Miserable"

The Company Theater, Norwell, MA
Tickets: \$34 per person
Sunday, July 27th 3:00 pm

Please use the sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex and then return a check for \$34 made out to "Community Covenant Church"

and with "Norwell Theater" in the Memo by **Sunday, April 27th**. Please see Mabel Sawyer or Kathy Clements if you have any questions.

There will be a luncheon following worship at the Eks' home in Rockland. We will proceed from there to the theater in Norwell. Only 20 seats reserved so sign up early!



WORSHIP CELEBRATION

NEXT SUNDAY, May 4th 11:00am

- **Pastor Don Olson, preaching**
 “Two Follower—on the Journey of Life”
 Text: *Luke 24:13-35*
- **Sacrament of Holy Communion**
- **Anointing with oil for healing**

Childcare During Worship

Next Sunday, May 4th Sarah Stewart and Nikki DeLano will provide care in the Nursery; Barbara Stickney will be in the Toddler Room.

Children’s Church

Children’s Church is for children (Kindergarten - 3rd grades) during the second half of our Sunday morning worship celebration. The leader on May 4th will be Candi Keith.

MOTHER’S DAY FLOWER SALE

Once again, the teens will be selling hanging baskets of annuals, as a fundraising effort towards the 2015 Covenant High In Christ conference. The baskets will be available on Mother's Day weekend, May 10th-11th, on a first-come, first-serve basis. More details will be available as the date draws closer. Please consider supporting our teens in this worthy cause.

2nd ANNUAL WOMEN’S SPRING RETREAT Friday, May 30th - Sunday, June 1st Sawyer’s Camp Weowemuch, Waterford, Maine

Come and relax by the lake, hang in a hammock, or chill in an easy chair! This is an informal setting open to all women and friends of Community Covenant Church for a time of renewal, refreshment and rejuvenation. Take part in any number of activities or feel free to just sit and relax in solitude. The men have done this for years...now it’s the ladies’ turn!

This year we will divide into two teams for the planning of meals. Please contact Patty Sawyer by phone or e-mail to be assigned to a team. Each team will be responsible for providing and the preparation of one breakfast, one lunch and one dinner. Plans are also still in the making for our devotion time, craft time, campfire, as well as our guided sunset cruise on the lake with Captain Patty.

Don’t miss out on the fun! Contact Patty at 774-213-9050 or patty@sawyerclan.com to make your reservation or to answer any questions you may have. Watch for additional information and carpooling options to come. And remember...what happens in Maine, stays in Maine!

CARD SHOWER

Please send a card to our friend:

Myrtle Tighe
The Arbors Apt. 319
2121 Central Ave
Stoughton, MA 02072

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We have nearly a dozen beautiful babies in our congregation currently, we are truly blessed! We are looking for a few good men (yes, men AND women) to volunteer for nursery duty during Sunday worship, approximately one Sunday every two-to-three months. Volunteers will be Safer Places trained and CORI (background) checked prior to serving in the Nursery. If you would be willing to assist, please speak with either Gabrielle Olson or Michelle Peebles.

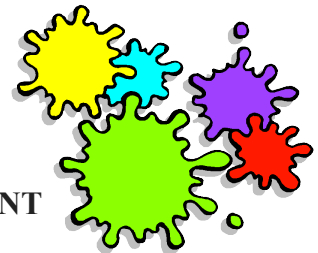


FOR IMMEDIATE PRAYER NEEDS

To make a request, please call the church office at 508-583-3360 or e-mail to office@communitycovenant.com; or call Candi Keith at 508-583-1227 or e-mail to cskeith@comcast.net. Requests are forwarded to prayer chain participants.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- *Grow the Vision – Fulfill the Mission* Stewardship Committee – Scott Ambroceo, Betti Buzzee, Lindsay Buzzee, Mark Phelan, David Sawyer, Beth Stewart, Pastor Olson
- Karen Alger – at home—recovering from artery bypass surgery on her leg on Thursday, April 17
- Charlie Gueli (Phil Gueli’s father) – South Shore Hospital with several medical issues
- Carol Forte – at home – rehabbing from knee replacement and additional surgery on Friday, April 4 to remove scar tissue in the knee
- Sgt. Michael Randall (U.S. Army) – stationed in Texas, soon to be deployed to Afghanistan
- Spc. James Lawrence (U.S. Army) – stationed in Texas, soon to be deployed to Afghanistan
- *Ask the Lord of the Harvest* – those whom we have committed to pray for and share the Good News of Jesus Christ with as the Holy Spirit leads us
- David Baker (Priscilla Borden’s brother) – Champion Rehabilitation and Health Center
- Jon Olson (Pastor Olson’s son) – receiving treatment for Burkitt Lymphoma
- Theresa Guaraldi - undergoing tests to diagnose ongoing physical ailments
- *Young Adult and Youth Pastor* Search Committee – Scott Ambroceo, Lindsay Buzzee, Ruth Carrigan, Steve Gillis, Katie Sandford, Beth Stewart, Pastor Olson
- *Mending the Soul* – leaders Priscilla Borden and Phyllis Swirka; those joining the support group
- Marilyn Johnson (Evelyn Fleming’s sister-in-law) – fell and broke her pelvic bone
- “*Grow the Vision - Fulfill the Mission*”– our next steps
- Ministry at Community Covenant Church – Financial Officer Lee Stewart
- Our world-wide mission – Alynne MacLean , Science with a Mission
- Our Ministry in the East Coast Conference – Highrock North Shore, Salem, MA, Aaron Engler, Pastor
- Cpl. Seth Gillis – US Marine Corps, North Carolina
- Spc. James Gignac (Nicole Aguirre’s brother) - U.S. Army, Afghanistan
- Pat Gillis—Hannah B. Shaw Home, Middleboro
- Madelyn Newberg—Heights Crossing Assisted Living, Brockton
- Marion Schill—Hannah B. Shaw Home, Middleboro
- Marge Shurtleff—Emmanuel House, Brockton
- Myrtle Tighe—The Arbors Assisted Living, Stoughton



MEN’S MINISTRY PAINTBALL TOURNAMENT Saturday, May 17th

Please join us for the first annual Men’s Ministry Paintball Tournament. It will be held in Holbrook on Saturday, May 17th at 9:30am. The cost is 25 dollars per person. Sons are welcome. The price includes 200 paintballs, mask, and gas. We need to have at least 10 warriors. This is a rain or shine event. There is at least a 48 hour cancellation policy to avoid a penalty. Please contact Jim Cousin at 781 878 4984 to sign up.

SPECIAL MEN'S BREAKFAST

Saturday May 3rd at 7:30am

On Saturday, May 3rd at 7:30 am, there will be a special breakfast for men at our church. Dan Croce who is the chaplain for the Plymouth County Correctional Facility will be the speaker after the meal. Dan has been on both sides of the prison system. He received Christ as his Savior while behind bars of the same prison where he now serves as chaplain. During his incarceration, he studied the Bible under Chaplain Bob Hanson and was disciplined by Pastor Dennis Bauder for four years after his release. He received his BA in Bible Theology at Wheaton College and was ordained in July of 1995. In 1996, he became a full time chaplain at PCCF, the same prison where he accepted Jesus into his heart. His ministries there include preaching, pastoral counseling, teaching Bible study and coordinating services and pastoral visits. This is a faith based ministry. He is not on salary and only receives a stipend.

Please join us on May 3rd at 7:30am as we have the breakfast prepared by our expert Men's Breakfast crew and stay for our dynamic and interesting speaker. A love offering will be collected for Dan's ministry. Please RSVP by Sunday, April 27th to Don Alger at 508 944 5336 or Tom Chiocca at 508 824 5717 if you OR ANY GUESTS plan to attend so that breakfast can be planned in advance.

Gentlemen, while you are at the breakfast (or even if you are unable to attend that morning activity) please consider taking part in the Scrap Metal Collection which will follow in the parking lot sponsored by Men's Ministry to collect funds for CHIC 2015. Please see separate article.

MEN'S MINISTRY SCRAP METAL DRIVE

Saturday, May 3rd following Men's Breakfast

Approximate time 9:30am to 4pm

There will be a scrap metal collection in the parking lot of our church on Saturday, May 3rd starting approximately at 9:30am (following Men's Breakfast) and lasting until 4pm or when the dumpster is filled, whichever comes first. The funds raised are to benefit students going to CHIC 2015. A 30 yard dumpster will be provided by Atlantic Recycling of Hanson. The dumpster will be in the parking lot of the church for deliveries but the Mighty Men and their trucks will also come to your house to pick up metal. Some articles that will be accepted are air conditioners, brass,(aluminum and copper please separate), lead, wire, appliances, batteries, electric motors, metal auto parts, etc. Our team will use discretion and to avoid injuries, will have the right of refusal for articles that are too large, awkward, or heavy.

So, start your spring cleaning early and consider participating in this fundraiser for CHIC 2015. For any questions, please call Paul Halleran at 781 635 3740.