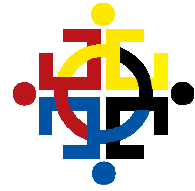


So You Know!



Sunday, May 15, 2016
Community Covenant Church
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THIS WEEK

Today	<i>Pentecost Sunday</i>	
Sunday School		9:45 am
	Worship Celebration	11:00 am
	Fellowship Time	12:15 pm
	Blood Pressure Screening	12:20 pm
Monday	AA	7:00 pm
Tuesday	Leadership Team Meeting	7:00 pm
	Al-Anon	7:30 pm
Thursday	EB HOPE drop-in center	5:00 pm
	Worship Leaders Meeting	7:30 pm
Friday	Deep Thoughts with Dave	6:00 pm
Next Sunday	<i>Women Ministries Sunday</i>	
	Sunday School	9:45 am
	Worship Celebration	11:00 am
	Fellowship Time	12:15 pm

DRESS APPROPRIATELY

Spring has sprung! Therefore the heat is off for the season in the Church facility. If the weather is a little cool, please bring a sweater or jacket to worship. Thank you for helping us be good stewards of God's resources.

CARD SHOWER

Please send a card to our friend....

Myrtle Tighe
Bostonian Nursing Care
337 Neponset Ave
Dorchester, MA 02122

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING AFTER WORSHIP

All those interested are invited to the library following worship for a blood pressure check.



Deborah Goucher	2	Lori O'Brien	17
Crystal Coffey	3	Theresa Guaraldi	18
Olivia Cheney	5	Chloe MacNevin	19
Rachel Balboni	6	Susan Bolinder	20
Kyle Snow	10	Becky Phelan	20
Hailey Goodwin	11	Alexandria Cousin	21
Phil Gueli	12	Dan Skinner	22
Hailey Quill	12	Jamie Almeida	24
Zachary Folger	13	Robin Widner	26
Ryan Keith	15	Rachael Buckley	27
Deirdre MacLean	15	Esther Garland	29
Susan Caron	16	David Buzzee	31

THANK YOU

Dear Church Family,

Many thanks for your messages of concern and encouragement for both my recovery from surgery in February and for the recent diagnosis of Parkinson's.

I have really appreciated hearing from you. Thank you, choir, and thank you, Sunday School children, for your gifts and cards. To all of you, thank you for your prayers. I miss seeing you and hope to worship with you again very soon.

God bless, Ted Ek

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

NEXT SUNDAY, May 22, 2016 11:00 am

Trinity Sunday

Women Ministries Sunday

- **Rev. Kanyere Eaton, Preaching**

- **Mission Moment:**

Covenant Retirement Communities

Childcare During Worship

Next Sunday, May 22nd Nikki DeLano will provide care in the nursery. Melissa MacDonald and Amanda Medeiros will be in the toddler room.

Children's Church

Children's Church is for children (Kindergarten—grade 3) during the second half of our worship celebration. Next Sunday, May 22nd, the leader will be Steve Gillis.

ON THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX...

- ⇒ **Our Daily Bread**, the daily devotional for June, July, August.
- ⇒ The East Coast Conference **2016 Mission & Ministry Partnerships** brochure is available for your reading. See some of the great things the God is doing through your support of our greater mission.
- ⇒ The **Covenant Home Altar**, the Evangelical Covenant Church's daily devotional for the months of April, May and June. Help yourself. Free.
- ⇒ Brochures for the 2016 camping season at **Pilgrim Pines** and **Camp Squanto**. Be sure to include camp in your summer plans at beautiful Lake Swanzey, Swanzey, NH. This is your Christian Camp and Conference Center. Come and be refreshed and renewed in the Lord.

MAKING SUMMER PLANS....

⇒ Don't forget to include time at Pilgrim Pines Conference Center for the family and Camp Squanto for the children/youth. Brochures are available on the table in the Narthex. Also, **confidential financial assistance** is available. See Pastor Olson. We are committed to have every child attend Camp Squanto. No one stays home due to financial need.

⇒ Vacation Bible School will be held the week of July 11– 14; 9 am—12 noon each day. For more information, speak to Betti Buzzee. See you for a great week of fun, learning and experiencing Jesus.

SO MEMBERS CAN BE INFORMED...

Go to communitycovenant.com and click the "Members" tab. Enter your password and keep informed.

If you are a member and still need the password for the secured webpage, please contact the church office.

www.communitycovenant.com

- ◇ March 15, 2016 Leadership Team minutes
- ◇ April 10, 2016 Leadership Team minutes

A printed copy is available in the church office for reading if you wish to do so. Please ask any Leadership Team member where the LT Minutes binder is located.

SEEKING POWERPOINT TECHS

Looking for a place to serve Christ?

We need two additional PowerPoint Techs to run the PowerPoint during our Worship Celebration. If interested, please see Pastor Olson or Pastor Dave. What a great way to serve Christ!



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

- Greg Sandford family - Greg’s grandfather recently passed away and the services were on Friday, May 5; please pray for Greg’s grandmother, Edith, as she grieves the loss of her husband of 73 years
- Katie & Tye Seastedt - celebrating their marriage on April 23 in Aruba
- Lauren & James Capozzi family - home - praise God for the healthy birth of Baxter Joseph on Friday, April 29th
- Sandy Brown’s daughter-in-law—diagnosed with breast cancer; seeking treatment
- Grace Duggan - Life Care Center, W. Bridgewater - continuing health issues
- Janet Cheney - home recovering from successful surgery on Monday, March 14th
- Ted Ek – receiving treatment for recent diagnosis of Parkinson’s Disease
- Jeanne Bell – receiving treatment for a back injury incurred by a fall
- Susan Bolinder – receiving chemotherapy treatments for cancer
- Phil Gueli – home - several health issues
- David Buzzee – Algeria – working for Raytheon
- Myrtle Tighe – Bostonian Nursing Care & Rehabilitation, Boston
- Sharon Brown (Michelle Peebles' mother) – making excellent progress in her treatment of breast cancer
- John Baker (Leslie Baker’s brother) – requests prayer as he seeks employment
- Katie Sandford – diagnosed with health issues
- Shawn (Carl West’s 15-year-old grandson) – dealing with several issues
- Theresa Guaraldi – struggling with health issues
- Our Global Mission – Andrea & Daniel Kaiser, Zambia
- Our Ministry in the East Coast Conference – Rev. Jason Condon, East Coast Conference Director of Church Planting
- Our Ministry at Community Covenant Church – Senior Pastor Don Olson
- Fran Stickney (Brad Stickney’s mother) – 93 years old; advanced Alzheimer’s
- Bud Finch – Hannah B. Shaw Home, Middleboro
- Pat Gillis – Hannah B. Shaw Home, Middleboro
- Carolyn Luther – home - with pulmonary issues
- Marge Shurtleff – Emmanuel House, Brockton

2016 UPDATE FROM FINANCIAL OFFICER

Briefly looking at our financials through May 1, 2016:

Weekly Budgeted Giving	\$4,626	YTD Budgeted Giving	\$87,894
5/1/16 Actual Giving	\$5,058	YTD Actual Giving	\$77,310
5/08/16 Actual Giving	\$3,205	YTD Difference	(\$ 10,584)

The total *Give Beyond* offering through Sunday, April 24 is **\$9,356**. We will report *Give Beyond* totals separately for several weeks to express our gratitude for your sacrificial giving. These funds are being used toward the budgeted expenses. For a more detailed look at the church’s finances, see the Members’ page on the church website. Please direct any questions to any member of the Leadership Team.



Prayer Sisters!

*“And I pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.
With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.”*

Ephesians 6:18

We know it is a privilege to lift each other up in prayer, and we've all been blessed either by praying for someone else, or being the recipient of others' prayers for us. Women Ministries would like to invite all ladies in the church to participate in Prayer Sisters, so that we may encourage and support each other in prayer. There will be a sign up sheet in the Narthex, or you can contact Candi Keith at 508 583-1227 or cskeith@comcast.net to be a part of this ministry. All who sign up, will be paired with another woman in the church, to share each other's prayer concerns and praises.

Women Ministries Sunday

May 22, 2016

Preaching: Rev. Kanyere Eaton, Senior Pastor of Immanuel Covenant Church, Bronx, N.Y..

Rev. Eaton was a keynote speaker at the last Triennial. She was awesome.

Ask any of the women who attended the last Triennial. We are thrilled to have her as our guest!

Set this day aside - bring a friend!

Triennial XV

Kansas City, MO July 28-31, 2016

See Jane Ostlund for more information.

MEN'S RETREAT – SAVE THE DATE

Friday – Sunday June 24 – 26, 2016.

This will be our 15th annual trip to Maine with the mighty men. It's designed to be a relaxing, fun weekend and is open to all men. It's a chance to get to know some of the guys you see only on Sunday in a more informal setting. This year we have a choice of 2 venues: Waterford, on McWain Pond (no change from the past several years) or Sebago, on Hancock Pond. Patty's & my new, permanent home is also located on a lake in Sebago, ME and is also a terrific setting for a retreat (yes Tom, there are fish!) Sebago is about a half hour closer to E.B. Send me an email if you have a strong preference and I'll make the call based on your input and some other factors (like the pontoon boat will likely be in Sebago).

You can arrive anytime Friday or Saturday. I will try to help with carpool arrangements if you'd like to ride with someone. So please send me an email with your questions, your intention to come and whether or not you can drive and are open to having a passenger(s) or if you need to ride with someone else. I generally do the shopping for the food and request a \$25 donation to help cover the costs (but if \$\$ is an issue, please come anyway!) We hope to include you this year!

My (David Sawyer) email address is david@SawyerClan.com and my home phone # is (207) 803-8500 but you can also direct questions to some of the guys who have attended in the past such as Tom Bolinder, Don Alger, Chuck Pierce and John La Freniere.