



So You Know!



Sunday, March 11, 2018
Community Covenant Church
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THIS WEEK

Today	<i>Fourth Sunday in Lent</i>	
	Sunday School	9:45 am
	Worship Celebration	11:00 am
	Fellowship Time	12:15 pm
Monday	AA	7:00 pm
Tuesday	Al-Anon	7:30 pm
Wednesday	"IMMERSE- small group - home of Janet & Dana Cheney	
		7:00 pm
Thursday	"IMMERSE small group - Lorraine Lewis home	
		7:00 pm
Next Sunday	<i>Fifth Sunday in Lent</i>	
	Sunday School	9:45 am
	Worship Celebration	11:00 am
	Choir Rehearsal	12:15 pm
	Church Family Lunch and Fellowship	12:15 pm

ON THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX...

- ⇒ *The East Coast Covenanter* - **NEW!**
Winter 2018 Conference Newsletter
- ⇒ **March** Cornerstone **NEW!**
- ⇒ Covenant Home Altar Daily Devotional
January/February/March
- PILGRIM PINES HAPPENINGS**
- ⇒ ECC Women Ministries brochure:
"SPRING CELEBRATION"
- ⇒ **2018** Camp Squanto Brochure
- ⇒ "*EXHALE* - A Weekend for Women"
Pilgrim Pines Informational Postcard

Next Sunday, March 18th

Church Family Lunch after worship

Daniel and Andrea Kaiser and their four children are now in the United States. They arrived from Africa with "very little".

LET'S HELP THEM REBUILD!

Our Church Family Lunch will consist of Kaiser Rolls and all the fixings to build a great sandwich!

As we "build" our sandwiches, we want to "build up" the Kaisers with our thoughts, prayers and gifts. We are putting together a basket filled with monetary gifts or Gift Cards.

Suggested stores are Target, Walmart, CVS, Bed, Bath and Beyond or your favorite. Any amount will be helpful to this family.

*"So encourage each other and build each other up..."
1 Thessalonians 5:11*

This will be a fun church family event as we fellowship with a purpose!



MARCH 25 after worship.

We will be voting on the Description, Compensation package and Letter of Call presented by the Pastoral Search Committee.



East Coast
CONFERENCE

The 128nd Annual Meeting of the East Coast Conference (ECC) will be hosted by Bethany Covenant Church in Berlin, CT, on April 27-28, 2018. The Annual Meeting of the ECC is the highest constituted authority for the conference, its member churches and its institutions. Reports and decisions made at this gathering give direction and momentum to our common ministry.

We have **one delegate position open** if any **member** of the congregation would like to attend. The cost is \$80 for registration and approximately \$100 for hotel.

Please contact Michelle Peebles by March 25th if you are interested in attending.

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

NEXT SUNDAY, March 18th 11:00 am
Fifth Sunday in Lent

- Rev. Steve Cushing, preaching

"Doing the least"
Text: Matthew 25:31-40

Childcare During Worship

Next Sunday, March 18th, Lexi Vincent-Gray will be in the Nursery. Melissa and Joe MacDonald will be in the Toddler room. A Safer Places individual will be staffing the Transition Room.

Children's Church

Children's Church is for children (Kindergarten - grade 3) during the second half of our worship celebration. Next Sunday, March 18th, the leader will be Kim Buschenfeldt.

SO MEMBERS CAN BE INFORMED...

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

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

- ◇ Leadership Team Minutes - January 9, 2018
- ◇ Leadership Team Minutes - February 1, 2018
- ◇ **January 2018** Financial Report
- ◇ Approved **2018** Budget

Printed copies are also 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.



**NORTH PARK
UNIVERSITY**

School of Music,
Art, and Theatre

How can I keep from singing?

University Choir and
Chamber Singers Tour 2018
March 10-13, 2018

TODAY,- March 11th -

7:00 pm Concert, Cape Cod Covenant
Church, 11 Satucket Road, Brewster, MA

Tuesday, March 13 - 7:00 pm Concert,
Community Covenant Church
33 Lake Street, West Peabody, MA

CARD SHOWER

Please send a card to our friend:
Theresa Guaraldi
10 Hollis Road
South Easton, MA 02375

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!



Please plan on attending, spread the word and bring along some friends for this fun and important night as we share some incredible Information for the future of Pilgrim Pines.

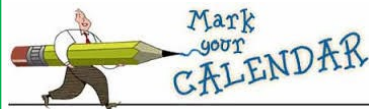
It's Time to get ready for VBS!!! July 9-13 9am-11:30am
Ages 4 yrs -entering Grade 4

There will be a meeting after church on Sunday, March 25th, for all those interested in helping with VBS this summer. Lunch will be served, and kids are welcome to join in! Volunteers do not need to be available all five days. Please see Betti Buzzee if you have any questions or would like to help and can't make it to the meeting. It's important that we know well in advance who would like to help, as all volunteers, who haven't already, must go through Safer Places training and CORI/ background checks before July.



This year's theme is Maker Fun Factory, where kids discover they are created by God and are built for a purpose.

Kids learn: God made you; God is for you; God is always with you; God will always love you; and God made you for a reason. While there is no cost for VBS, a love offering will be taken at registration to help with the cost of the program.



- March 18th - Church Family Luncheon - "Building up the Kaisers"
- March 25 - Congregational Meeting after Worship service
- ◆ April 8th - Annual Congregational Meeting
- ◆ April 14th - 9:00 am - 3:00 pm - ECC Women Ministries "SPRING CELEBRATION"
- April 20th- 22nd - A Weekend for Women - "Exhale" - Pilgrim Pines, Swanzey, NH
- ◆ May 19th - Teen Challenge 5K Run/walk
- ◆ May 25th - 28th - Work and Worship Weekend, Pilgrim Pines, Swanzey, NH
- ◆ June - August - Camp Squanto - Swanzey, NH
- ◆ September 8th - Connect Fest - New England's **Free** Outreach Festival - at the Cape Cod Fairgrounds



- ◆ Covenant Kids Congo (CKC) - "The Moment God Called Me to Run a Marathon" 
- ◆ Colombia - Cathy -  Reuniting at the Annual Meeting
- ◆ Covenant World Relief (CWR) Disaster Response: Immediate and Long Term
- ◆ Worldwide Heart to Heart Ministries - 2018 Calendar with children's photos
- ◆ Worldwide Heart to Heart Ministries - Thank You letter - January 3, 2018
- Daniel and Andrea Kaiser - Greetings 
- ◆ New England Seafarers' News
- ◆ Covenant Youth of Alaska -  Deep Spiritual Roots - February 2018

WEEKLY UPDATE FROM FINANCIAL OFFICER

Briefly looking at our financials through **March 4, 2018**

Weekly Budgeted Giving	\$3,175	YTD Budgeted Giving	\$28,575
02/25/2018 Actual Giving	\$3,143	YTD Actual Giving	\$29,546
03/04/2018 Actual Giving	\$4,570	YTD Difference	\$ 971



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.

*This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us.”
1 John 5:14*

- New Members: Karl Bushenfeldt, Ginny Gillespie, Chantal Hall, Andrea McCarthy, Ruth & Tony Pinho, Jim Zahar
- Pastor Don Olson & family - concluding his ministry at Community Covenant Church
- Grace Duggan - home - recovering from recent hospitalization
- Tony Pinho - home - recovering from an injured right leg from a recent fall
- Ginny Gillespie's daughter-in-law— recovering from surgery for breast cancer on February 16
- Serrano family (*Worldwide Heart to Heart*, Honduras) - grieving the sudden death of their daughter, Diana on January 21
- Pastor Ron Mancini - diagnosed with cancer and seeking treatment
- Pastoral Search Committee - Michelle Peebles, Kim Buschenfeldt, Gail Lewis, Peter Vacchi, Matt Llanes, Ernie Johansen, Ellen Capozzi
- Church Plant: Brockton Covenant Church - Pastor Dave Capozzi
- Our Global Mission - Arielle & Michael Hewitt - Cru, Munich, Germany
- Our Ministry in the East Coast Conference - Rev. Jason Condon, East Coast Conference Director of Church Planting
- Our Ministry at Community Covenant Church - Children's Church teachers
- Leslie Baker - home - recovering from a herniated disc
- Jeanne Bell - home - rehabbing from back surgery
- David Buzzee - Algeria - working for Raytheon
- Dana Cheney - home - under Doctor's care for Atrial Fibrillation; doing well
- Janet Cheney – praising God for positive treatment results for breast cancer
- Amy Titus (Ruth Pinho's friend) – diagnosed with Parkinson's disease
- Edward Julian (Barbara Stickney's father) - home - congestive heart failure
- Joe (Carl West's son) - dealing with personal struggles
- Mitchell (friend of Pinho family) - paralyzed from the waist down due to recent automobile accident
- Olivia Cheney (Janet & Dana Cheney's granddaughter) - home - recovering from an accident
- Shawn (Carl West's 15-year-old grandson) – dealing with several issues
- Sandy Brown's daughter-in-law—praise God for good results for breast cancer treatment
- Tom (Andrea Sawyer's father) - Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital
- Barbara Cote - home - pulmonary issues
- Pat Gillis – Hannah B. Shaw Home, Middleboro
- Phil Gueli – home - numerous medical issues
- Theresa & Bert Guaraldi - home
- Carolyn Luther – home - pulmonary issues
- Myrtle Tighe – Bostonian Nursing Care & Rehabilitation, Boston
- Dorothy & David Thompson - The Arbors Assisted Living at Taunton