



# So You Know!



Sunday, May 12th, 2019  
Community Covenant Church  
400 Pleasant Street, East Bridgewater MA 02333

## THIS WEEK

Today: Fourth Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day

Sunday School 9:45 am

Choir Rehearsal 10:30 am

Worship celebration 11:00 am

**All are invited to the Adult Sunday School class today where Pastor Matt will be teaching in John Chapter 2.**

Monday: AA 7:30 pm

Tuesday: Al-Anon 7:30 pm

Next Sunday: *Fifth Sunday of Easter*

Sunday School 9:45am

Choir Rehearsal 10:30am

Worship Celebration 11:00am

## TODAY

*Fourth Sunday of Easter*

Pastor Matthew Gillis

**"The Greatest Gift A Mother Could Give"**

**Text: Hebrews 11:8-16**

**In the Sound Tech Booth: Matt Llanes**

**Nursery: Lexi Vincent-Gray**

**Toddler: Amy Llanes & Kaylee Price**

**Children's Church: Betti Buzzee**

## ON THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX...

- ⇒ **2018 Church Annual Report** 
- ⇒ Mission and Ministry Partnerships - East Coast Conference
- ⇒ *The East Coast Covenanter* - Winter 2018 Conference Newsletter
- ⇒ Covenant Home Altar Daily Devotional- April, May & June 2019
- ⇒ 2019 Ministry Teams
- ⇒ Camp Squanto - 2019 brochures !!

## Women's Titus Fellowship Breakfast

Women Ministries is excited to invite you to another Women's Titus Fellowship Breakfast. Please join us for a morning of light refreshments and fellowship as we gather together to chat with and to learn from women within our church family whose lives reflect their strong Christian walks. Sandy Brown has graciously agreed to be the mentor for our gathering. We would love to have you share in this meaningful time!



**Saturday, June 1, 2019**

**from 10:00-11:30**

**The library at Community Covenant Church**

**400 Pleasant Street**

**East Bridgewater, MA 02333**

Child care will be available. Transportation can be provided, if needed. Please see Ellen Capozzi or Deborah Patt with any questions.

**Pastor Matthew Gillis**

**Office Hours Tue/Fri 9AM-4PM**

**To request a meeting please email: [cccebpastor@gmail.com](mailto:cccebpastor@gmail.com) or call the office at 508-583-3360**

**WORSHIP CELEBRATION  
NEXT SUNDAY, May 19th 11:00 am**

***Pastor Matthew Gillis***  
**“I Can Only Imagine”**  
**Revelation 7:9-17**

**Childcare During Worship**  
**Next Sunday May 19th Erin and Ellen will be in**  
**the Nursery. Melissa and Kellie**  
**will be in the Toddler Room & Nancy and Steve**  
**will be in the Children’s Church.**

**SO MEMBERS CAN BE INFORMED...**

- 2018 Church Annual Report
- Leadership Team Minutes - March 19, 2019 minutes are now available.
- Approved **2019** Budget
- January and February 2019 financials

Also available on the church website accessible by members using the church password (if you are a member and need the password contact the church office): ccceboffice@gmail.com



**Worship Celebration Volunteer Schedule - May**



	5th	12th	19th	26th
<b>Worship Leader -</b>	Steve Patt	Peter Vacchi	Michelle Peebles	Michelle Peebles
<b>Scripture Reader -</b>	Debbie Goucher	Ruth Pinho	Chantal Hall	Phyllis Swirka
<b>Time For Children -</b>		Rachael Buckley		Janet Cheney
<b>Power PT -</b>	Beth Stewart	Michelle Peebles	Chantal Hall	Karen Alger
<b>Sound Tech -</b>	Matt Llanes Annual Meeting	Matt Llanes Mother’s Day	Don Alger	Don Alger

**Women’s Annual Spring Retreat**  
May 17th -19th, 2019  
Sebago, Maine

Attention All Ladies of EB CCC! Save This Date!  
All Women of EBCCC, as well as friends, are invited to this year's Annual Women’s Retreat, May 17th – 19th on the beautiful shores of Hancock Pond in Sebago Maine, hosted at the home of Dave & Patty Sawyer (past members of our church).  
The cost for the retreat is just \$25pp which includes meals but, please don’t let the cost be an obstacle for you. If you'd like to join us...please speak with Ruth Pinho, Janet Cheney or call Patty directly at 207-803-8500 to reserve your spot.

**HELP WANTED-Financial Officer**

**Our church needs a Financial Officer to join our Leadership Team for 2019 (2 year term).**  
**Feel a spiritual calling to service?**  
**A member of our church?**  
**Are you good with numbers?**  
**Or have any questions about the position?**  
If so, please reach out to anyone on your Nominating Committee (Beth Llanes, Rachael Buckley, Chuck Pierce and Peter Vacchi



**Please join us during our worship celebration at 11 AM on June 2nd for the Installation Service for Pastor Matthew Gillis**

**Fellowship Luncheon**  
**June 2, 2019**  
**Following the Installation Service**  
**Please join with our Church Family**  
**For a Fellowship Luncheon**  
**Please bring a dish to share**  
**Bread, beverages and dessert will be provided**

# IMPORTANT DATES



May 17th-19th -Women's Retreat in Maine at Sawyers

June 1st - Titus Women's Fellowship 10-11:30 am in The library.

June 2nd - Pastor Gillis' Installation during the Service and Fellowship Luncheon after the Installation.

### Northeast Decision America Tour—Franklin Graham - May 2019 - See Renie Ellis

If anyone is interested in attending or volunteering to assist, we wanted to post this information for upcoming tours. We are praying for great turnouts to save life's. As these tours open up the hearts and minds of the people attending this events, we pray that it will also ignite a great revival.

For more detailed information you can go to this website [DecisionNortheast.com](http://DecisionNortheast.com). See bus cards on table in Narthex.

**There will be a brief meeting following worship today, May 12th for all women interested and/or planning to attend CCC Women's Retreat in Sebago, Maine on the weekend of May 17-19. We will firm up drivers, departure time, and lunch. See Janet Chaney or Ruth Pinho with any questions.**



## The Missions Bulletin Board

- ◆ New England Seafarers' Mission Letter - Update for March 2019
- ◆ Worldwide Heart to Heart - March 2019
- ◆ News from Cathy - March 2019
- ◆ CRU - Life with the Hewitts -Updates and News - March!!
- ◆ Covenant Kids Congo - Global 6k for water!
- ◆ Covenant Youth of Alaska -CYAK - March- Updates and newsletter!
- ◆ The Swanson's - Mosaics Project in Sweden !



### CARD SHOWER

Marilyn Gray  
C/O Christina Giddings  
468 Firetown Road  
Simsbury, CT 06070

### COMMUNITY GARDEN

The snow is finally gone! The crocus are blooming, and the daffodils are not far behind. Garden centers are gearing up and seed displays abound. (I already have mine, and the peas are in the ground.)

Remembering the bounty we enjoyed from our "Community Garden" last year, perhaps you've thought you'd like to have a hand in producing vegetables and/or flowers in God's little green acre. Now is the time to reserve a plot or two. We already have two people signed up, and it's on a first-come, first-served basis.\* No gardening experience necessary. If you can make a hole for the seeds, pull weeds, and handle the hose for watering, you're golden. That, and commitment, is all it takes. Free advice is available for the asking. There is a nominal charge of \$10 per plot, which goes toward upkeep and maintenance.

Don't miss out on this great opportunity. See Sandy Brown for your assigned plot(s).

\*I understand Pastor Gillis' wife, enjoys gardening also!

### CHURCH DIRECTORY

The updated directory is available upon request. If you would like a printed copy, please contact the church office by phone (508) 583-3360 or email:

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### WEEKLY UPDATE FROM FINANCIAL OFFICER

Briefly looking at our financials through **May 5th, 2019**

<b>Weekly Budgeted Giving</b>	<b>\$3,625</b>	<b>YTD Budgeted Giving</b>	<b>\$65, 250</b>
<b>5/5/2019 Actual Giving</b>	<b>\$4,371</b>	<b>YTD Actual Giving</b>	<b>\$71,385</b>
<b>4/28/2019 Actual Giving</b>	<b>\$2,934</b>	<b>YTD Difference</b>	<b>\$ 6,135</b>



## FOR IMMEDIATE PRAYER NEEDS



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

“Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven.” Matthew 18:19

- Denese Chiocca's father passed away and they appreciate your prayers for the family's loss. Please also pray for her mother who is receiving hospice care at Lifecare in Plymouth.
- Pastor Whitney Hall is cancer free!
- Ginny Gillespie had shoulder surgery and is recovering at home.
- Janet Ek's brother has been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer.
- Bob Ek has returned home.
- Mark and Hannah Lewis (along with their 3 children Ezekiel, Qarah and Caleb) have just arrived in the Philippines on a 3 month Missionary trip. Please keep them in prayer that their team of 17 may reach souls for Jesus and complete their purpose there. Mark is the grandson of Lorraine Lewis.
- Pastor Matthew Gillis and his family for their housing situation.
- Matt's brother, Michael Llanes passed away recently. Please remember their families in your prayers and expressions of care.
- Tom Bolinder's brother Bill will undergo 7 weeks of radiation. Since there is no cure, they will work on quality of life and then longevity.
- David Buzzee and his work in Algeria.
- Kathy Clements' Dad who is in better health and is thankful for all the prayers but could use a lift in spirits.
- Pray for Alynne MacLean from Science with a Mission. Pray for her company's service to underdeveloped countries.
- EB HOPE's Substance Abuse Outreach and AA meetings.
- Our Ministry at Community Covenant Church - Women Ministries, Children & Youth
- Please continue to pray for and support our Welcome Baby ministry and prayers for young families and God's grace on the ministry.
- Connie Johansen's youngest son Frank, just completed 3 weeks of chemo. Our prayer is that he is able to return home to his family in Vermont to complete his treatments. He is truly grateful for all your prayers and he strongly feels the support.

**Please Note: If you wish to be *added* or *removed* from this prayer list please contact the church office. Also, please send *updates* to: [ccceboffice@gmail.com](mailto:ccceboffice@gmail.com) or call (508)-583-3360**