

TRIAD God Church Family

Central Congregational Church, UCC

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In-Person Worship has been cancelled until further notice.

September 27, 2020

Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00am via Zoom

Sermon: "The Covenant"

Scripture: Exodus 20:1-4; 7-9; 12-17

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October 4, 2020

Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost

10:00am via Zoom

Sermon: "Asking For God's Blessings"

Scripture: Psalm 119:41-50

Sunday School Is Back and is Virtual!

Virtual Sunday School classes will be starting on **Sunday, September 27th** at **9:15 am** via Zoom. The Tween Class will meet at 9:00am.

Sunday School classes are open to children ages 2.9 years to Grade 8.

If you would like to enroll your child in Sunday School and/or are interested in attending the Sunday School Kick Off please complete a registration form. This will allow us to send you the information to join the Kick Off event and the weekly classes.

The registration form will be available on the church website. Families who attended Sunday School last year will be emailed a link to the registration form.

We hope you and your family will join us!



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Folks will have the opportunity to ask questions in a respectful atmosphere and reflect collectively on how our faith can guide us in taking steps towards healing racial injustices in our own communities, state, and country.

This informal discussion will take place on **Sunday, September 27th at 2pm** **outside on our lawn.**

BYO Chair and face mask.
Social distancing rules will apply.

Central Church Calendar



Remember Your Offerings

PLEDGES, OFFERINGS & TITHES

Please continue to send your pledges, offerings and tithes to the Church. You may use online banking and send your payment (no account numbers needed) or send a paper check by US Mail to **Central Congregational Church, PO Box 1319 Attleboro Falls, MA 02763 ATTENTION: N. Mitchell**

Thank you for doing your best to keep your pledge current during these difficult days. *We are grateful!*

Our Parish Register

If you or someone in our church family that you know, is ill or hospitalized and in need of our prayers, please be sure to contact the Church Office so we may include their name here below and on Sundays during worship. We won't know if you don't tell us!

At Home Corinne McElwee, Chad Winship, Jen DiSalvio, Janet Dyer, Carol Doble, and Roberta Bumpus, Loretta Lomov, Mary Coogan.

Hospitalized...

Ed Dyer is at Sturdy Hospital in Attleboro

Residing in Elder Care...

Carolyn Farrell

The Falls at Cordingly Dam
2300 Washington St.

Newton Lower-Falls, MA 02462

Jackie Glass

Maples Rehab and Nursing Center
90 Taunton St., Wrentham, MA 02093

Carol Bachand Granview Cente
100 Chambers St., Cumberland, RI 02864

Our Sympathy to...

Kathy Trowbridge and Family on the death of her brother-in-law, Fred Babcock, a retired Captain, Brookline Fire Dept. Fred was seriously injured when President George W. Bush flew by helicopter and landed in a ball field in Boston. He needed to go to rehab, where he met and fell in love with Kathy's sister, Kristen. They were a perfect match. Fred was a kind and wonderful man and he will be missed by all who knew him. A service will be held in Brookline on Saturday, 09/26/20.



Family Feast Friday

Friday, October 2nd
from 5-7pm

**Pick-up— CE Building—HALL
or Curbside Pick-up available.**

A Hot, 24oz Cup of Homemade Hearty Italian Minestrone Soup loaded with Veggies, some Beans, Pasta and Italian Meatballs with a Roll and Homemade Apple Crisp for \$10.00each.

Must pre- order by contacting the church office by phone or email on or before **Tuesday, September 29th at 12noon.**

NEW INSTRUCTIONS for Pick-up:

Social distancing rules and wearing of masks will apply to staff and customers. Please come inside the CE HALL or request Curbside Pickup when ordering. *(A number will be provided to you when you place an order if you prefer curbside pickup).*

Please have exact change or a check ready made payable to the church when you arrive.

Thank you and see you soon!

Please let us know of any prayer needs. Share with us your joyful moments and your sorrows.

We want to pray with you and for you!



ENCOUNTER WITH GOD

We have daily meditation and prayer booklets here in the office hallway, called "Encounter With God". They are free for the taking. Please stop by the church office to get your copy. They are inspiring and faith enriching which may be a comfort to you (or a friend or neighbor) during these hard times.

TRIAD DEADLINES to submit information:

Tuesdays,

**September 29 and
October 13 & 27**

ALTAR FLOWERS

Dates available:

Dates available will be announced, when we know we are able to return to Church for Worship.



October Birthdays

10/01 Ellis Badger	10/14 Doreen Cheney	10/26 Heather Norton-Bonfilio
10/03 Judy Holland	10/15 Gil Reynders	10/26 Amy (Goss) Sullivan
10/08 Colton Shuman	10/17 Isabella Slmas	10/27 Ella Whittenberger
10/08 Carol Bachand	10/18 Martin Martinez	10/28 Kim Winship
10/11 Zachary Bumpus	10/21 Julieanna Wilanson	10/29 Laurie Richardson
10/11 Cynthia Lavoie	10/21 Pam Morse	10/31 Mario Marroquin
10/11 Alex Burroughs	10/22 Heather Davis	10/31 Mike Dunbar
10/13 Karin Marroquin	10/24 Warna Reynders	
10/14 Nancy Brigham	10/25 Donna Hickey	

Committee Corner

From the Board of Deacons

Our next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 13th at 7:00pm** via Zoom.

From the Board of Trustees

Our next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 20th at 7:00pm** via Zoom.

Your Pledge: It is important to keep up with your pledge as much as you can during this stressful time, in order to help the church continue to pay the bills. (unfortunately, the bills were not told to stay at home).

We are falling behind in pledges, tithes and offerings. We appreciate your extra efforts to keep up with your pledges, tithes and offerings to help us keep current with our bills.

You may mail your pledges, tithes and offerings to us at PO Box 1319, Attleboro Falls, MA 02763
ATTENTION: Nancy Mitchell.

Thank you!

From the Christian Education Committee

Our next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 6th at 7pm** Via Zoom.

From the Youth Group

For Questions, Please contact Pastor Glenn at 508-406-8474 or email gar562@gmail.com

Watch for occasional Youth Messages from Pastor Glenn sent out in our weekly worship emails on Thursdays and on our Church FaceBook page!

See you soon! *Pastor Glenn*

From the Memorial Gifts Committee

Our next meeting will be held on **Thursday, November 12th at 6:00pm** via Zoom.

From the Mission Committee

Our next meeting will be held on **Thursday, October 1st at 7:00pm** via Zoom.

September's Mission is the Supply Sacks program. Supply Sacks is dedicated to assist the immense number of children who reside in foster care in North Attleboro and the surrounding communities. The program's goal is to supply a backpack filled with clothes and other basic necessities to every child that is newly entering the local area Dept. of Children and Families Office. See Page 4 for a list of needed items you can donate.

We will continue to accept donations of 100% cotton fabric, for the people who are sewing face masks. Especially seeking gender-neutral prints, or masculine prints, or plain no-print fabric. ***Fabric should be 100% cotton, no polyester blends (polyester makes the masks hotter to wear and harder to breathe through).*** We have TONS of 1/4" elastic for the masks. If you are sewing masks, please feel free to contact the church office to get some elastic—free. If you have any supplies to donate, or masks to drop off, please stop by the church office on T & TH btwn 10am—3pm. Please call first to be sure someone is there to receive your donation. We have given TONS of masks to people in our church family and in our community. Thank You for sewing masks to help out during this crisis! We are seeking donations of children's sized masks, too, for the kids who are going back to school in person this Fall.

IMPORTANT: Please mark any check donations with the name of the program you wish your donation to benefit. IE: "Lenore's Pantry" or "Supply Sacks".

From the Women's Christian Fellowship

Our next meeting will be announced.

From the Executive Council

Our next meeting will be held **Wednesday, October 7th at 7pm Via Zoom, unless otherwise needed. If needed prior to the next scheduled meeting, you will be notified by the Church Office.**

From the Ways and Means Committee

Family Feast Friday—October 2nd. See details on Page 2 of this issue of the TRIAD. Deadline to pre-order is Tuesday, September 29th by 12noon by contacting the Church Office. Thank you!

From the Choir

Weekly Rehearsals are cancelled until further notice.

From the New Group— "ALL LIVES MATTER"

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Worship Sunday mornings at 10am

(Please sign in a few minutes early to check your audio and video)

We are trying to discuss ways to make it easier for you to pay your pledges. For now it would be greatly appreciated if you would mail your morning's offerings or monthly pledge to the Church office at PO Box 1319, Attleboro Falls, MA 02763.

If you are paying bills online, you may add the church as one of your accounts. You do not need to have an account number for the church. The church still has bills to pay and we need to keep up. Anything you can do to keep your pledge current is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Your invitation to worship

Join Zoom Meeting <https://zoom.us/j/2148198082> Meeting ID: 214 819 8082# Password: 032967 (if needed).

FOR COMPUTER/TABLET/SMART PHONE USERS;

Join Zoom Meeting <https://zoom.us/j/2148198082> Meeting ID: 214 819 8082

FOR MOBILE PHONE USERS; If the One tap mobile link doesn't work, see instruction for land lines below.

One tap mobile 26266799,,2148198082# US (Chicago) +16468769923,,2148198082# US (New York)

LAND LINE USERS; If you want to call from a land line, Just dial; 1-646-876-9923.

If that is busy you may try 1-312-626-6799.

You should then hear a Zoom recording asking you to enter your meeting ID (which I know you wrote down) It is; 214 819 8082 # (no spaces and yes, you have to push the pound sign at the end). It may then advise you to dial *6 to mute your line. Go ahead and do that. We can unmute you once you're on but it gets very noisy if this is not done

Be patient... it dials the number, which is answered by a recording asking you to enter the meeting ID. The commas in the number are 10 second pauses after which the meeting ID will automatically be entered including the # symbol and you should be directed to the meeting.

"See" you online!



September 2020 Mission The "Supply Sacks" program

Supply Sacks is dedicated to assist the immense number of children who reside in foster care in North Attleboro and the surrounding communities. The program's goal is to supply a backpack filled with clothes and other basic necessities to every child that is newly entering the local area Dept. of Children and Families Office.

Here are the items we are collecting:

Backpacks—New or "gently" used for boys, girls and teens

Personal care items (toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs, hairbrushes, soap, disposable razors, deodorant, etc.)

School supplies—Books – Small Toys - Stuffed Animals

Clothing and Warm Pajamas (*in great need*)

NEW Under Garments – Socks - Footwear

And, any necessities that will benefit a child, from newborn to eighteen years of age.

DROP OFF ITEMS to the CE Building on T & TH btwn 8:30am – 3pm - look for the large bin near the offices in the hallway.

Monetary donations – please mail in or drop off your monetary donation. **Mail to:** Central Congregational Church PO Box 1319, Attleboro Falls, MA 02763 **ATTENTION: MISSION. Drop off** at the church office on Tuesdays or Thursdays between 8:30am – 3pm. You may contribute anytime between now and Sept. 29th.

IMPORTANT: Please write "SUPPLY SACKS" in the memo line of your check.

Thank you for supporting children and teens in foster care.



October 2020

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		Sept 29th <i>LAST DAY to pre-order your Family Feast!</i>		1 7pm Mission meets via Zoom	2 FAMILY FEAST FRIDAY—Hearty Minestrone Soup <i>PU btwn 5-7pm from the CE HALL</i>	3
4 <i>9:00am Tween Sunday School via Zoom</i> <i>9:15am Sunday School via Zoom</i> <i>10am Worship via ZOOM online</i>	5	6 7pm Christian Ed Meets via Zoom	7 7pm Exec Council meets via Zoom	8 7pm NOMINATING COMMITTEE MEETS TONIGHT	9	10
11 <i>9:00am Tween Sunday School via Zoom</i> <i>9:15am Sunday School via Zoom</i> <i>10am Worship via ZOOM online</i>	12 INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY	13 TRIAD DEADLINE 7pm Deacons Meets via Zoom	14 <i>Women's Christian Fellowship Phone Tree Night</i>	15	16	17
18 <i>9:00am Tween Sunday School via Zoom</i> <i>9:15am Sunday School via Zoom</i> <i>10am Worship via ZOOM online</i>	19	20 7pm Trustees Meets via Zoom	21	22	23	24
25 STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY <i>10am Worship via ZOOM online</i>	26	27 TRIAD DEADLINE	28	29	30	31

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Services of: September 27 and October 4, 2020

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PASTOR – *The Rev. Carole L. Baker*

DEACON EMERITUS – *Jackie Glass*

ORGANIST/CHOIR DIRECTOR – *Dave Valerio*

YOUTH MINISTER – *Rev. Glenn Rounseville*

SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT – *Heather Bonfilio*

SECRETARY – *Kathy Trowbridge*

Church Office Hours

Tuesday & Thursday - 8:30am–4:30pm