TRIAD God Church Family

Central Congregational Church, UCC

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Worship on Sunday mornings at 10:00am In-person and Online

October 30, 2022

Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY

Worship at 10:00am in-person in the Sanctuary and Online by Zoom.

Remember to bring your completed Pledge Card for 2023 today

Additional cards are available on the table in the Narthex.

Sermon: "Breaking Bread in the Early Church"

Scripture: Acts 2:43-47

Fellowship Hour:

The Women's Christian Fellowship

October 25, 2022

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November 6, 2022

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost
THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

Worship at 10:00am in-person in the Sanctuary and Online by Zoom.

Sermon: "All Saints Remembrance"

Fellowship Hour: Trustee, Dan DiSalvio

TECH TEAM MEMBERS and ELEVATOR OPERATORS WANTED:

If you have an interest in Technology for live streaming our worship Services, or a desire to help people by running the elevator on Sunday mornings (or for funerals), please speak with Rev Carole any Sunday. We would like to set up a few training sessions on the technology and on how to run the elevator. (elevator training required by the Commonwealth of MA)

LITURGISTS WANTED:

We are seeking Liturgists to take turns reading the Scripture verses during worship on Sunday mornings. This would be in-person in the Sanctuary.

If you're interested, please speak with Rev Carole any Sunday.

Please prayerfully consider how you can lend a hand.

Central Church Calendar

Tuesday, October 25th

7:00pm FinCom meets/Vestry & Zoom

Thursday, October 27th

7:00pm Choir/Sanctuary

Sunday, October 30th REFORMATION SUNDAY

9:45am Sunday School/Hall 10am Worship/Sanctuary & by Zoom Fellowship Hr: Women's Christian Fellowship

Monday, October 31st HALLOWEEN

Help Wanted setting up the Hall this week for the Village Green Fair—speak with Cheryl Peterson to lend a hand.

Tuesday, November 1st ALL SAINTS DAY

7:00pm CE meets in Vestry & by Zoom

Wednesday, November 2nd

7:00pm Executive Council meets/Vestry & Zoom

Thursday, November 3rd

7:00pm Mission/Vestry & Zoom 7:00pm Choir/Sanctuary

Saturday, November 5th

9am—3pm VILLAGE GREEN FAIR/Hall HELP NEEDED please contact Cheryl

Peterson at cgppeterson@aol.com to lend a hand.

Sunday, November 6th ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

9:45am Sunday School/Hall 10am Worship/Sanctuary & by Zoom

Fellowship Hr: Trustees

Tuesday, November 8th

ELECTION DAY

7:00pm Deacons Meet

Wednesday, November 9th

12noon Women's Christian Fellowship Lunch at a restaurant TBA

Thursday, November 10th

LAST DAY TO PRE-ORDER your Homemade APPLE PIES

6:00pm Memorial Gifts/Vestry 7:00pm Choir/Sanctuary

Friday, November 11th VETERAN'S DAY

Saturday, November 12th 10am ANNUAL FALL CLEAN-UP

DAY/Outside. Please let us know if you will lend a hand by contacting the Church Office.

Sunday, November 13th

9:45am Sunday School/Hall 10am Worship/Sanctuary & by Zoom Fellowship Hr: Deacons—tbd

Tuesday, November 15th

7:00pm Trustees meet

Friday, November 18th

9am—Apple Peeling/Hall.

HELP NEEDED Please contact Sue Dunbar at susan.dunbar@comcast.net if you can lend a hand.

Saturday, November 19th

12noon—2pm Pick-up your preordered homemade APPLE PIES/Hall. \$15 ea payable at time of pick-up.

Sunday, November 20th THANKSGIVING SUNDAY

9:45am Sunday School/Hall 10am Worship/Sanctuary & by Zoom

Fellowship Hr: TBA

<u>Our Parish Register</u>

At Home Jen DiSalvio, Roberta Bumpus, Loretta Lomov, Richard Lamoureux, Ed Dyer, Ben, Eamon (Jan Meierdiercks' Grandson) Bob Krajewski (Deb Trowbridge's husband), Nancy Kelly (Kathy Trowbridge's Mom), Martha McHatton, Sandy Thibodeau.

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

Our Sympathy to...

The Family and friends of **Sylvia "Sis" Valade** who passed on October 15th. A service was held at Foley-Cook, Hathaway Funeral Home in Attleboro.

TRIAD DEADLINES

to submit information:

Tuesdays— November 1st, 15th & 29th December 13th & 27th

November Birthdays

05 Kayla Valerio 17 Kim Embree 20 Dan DiSalvio

11 Heather Wilanson 17 Ashley Hession 26 Barbara Bilsborough

13 Judy Eustace 19 Dennis Cloutier

14 Jacqui Howard 20 Riley Glass

From the Board of Deacons

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022 at 7:00pm Vestry & Zoom.

Mask wearing mandate—Lifted

Fellowship Hour following worship has resumed. Join us after the service for some coffee and fellowship in the Vestry!

To Join us in Zoom Worship:

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

Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/2148198082

Meeting ID: 214 819 8082

From the Board of Trustees

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 15th, 2022 at 7:00pm in the Vestry & by Zoom.

Annual Fall Clean-up Day set for Saturday, November 12th at 10am/Outside—see ad for more info.

From the Christian Education Committee

Our next meeting will be held on **Tuesday, November 1st** at 7:00pm in the Vestry and by Zoom.

Sunday School Kids Care Mission

Throughout the Sunday School year (October – May), the Sunday School will be collecting food donations for Lenore's Pantry. **October's** food items are **Snack Items**. Suggested items include: granola bars, cookies, pretzels, chips, brownie mixes, cookies mixes in a pouch, pudding mixes, Goldfish, Cheeze-Its, graham crackers, other snack crackers.

Youth Group

Our next Youth Group event for students in grades 3-6 will be on **Sunday**, **November 6**th **at 1:00 pm in Daggett Lounge**. This month we will be doing a winter mission project. We will be making hats and scarves to share with other kids. Please let Sharilyn know if your child plans to attend.

Teen Outreach Pilot Program

The CE Committee is excited to announce a Teen Outreach pilot program called "Welcome to the Table". A small group of interested parents and concerned members of the CE Committee gathered to discuss the issues teens in our church and our communities are struggling with as our society tries to return to a new normal. Struggles with Addiction, Self-Harm, Depression and Suicide have them searching for hope and a safe place to be. We wanted to do something to let the kids know someone cares. The committee decided to create an event that will gather teens around a meal table. Good food, good conversation, and an opportunity to share life in a loving and safe environment.

The word is already spreading on social media with the help of a small number of interested teens. The invitation to meet at the *NACHO TABLE* on Sunday, November 6th, 5:30 to 7:00 pm in the Vestry (109 Commonwealth Ave.) is going out. Help us spread the word to teens only!!!! We are planning for 20 to 25 teens. They can bring a friend. No smoking, no drinking, no drugging. It's a chance to make new friends and have good food in a safe place.

Questions on Sunday School or Youth Group? Interested in being added to the Sunday School and Youth Group Facebook groups? Contact Sharilyn Hepburn at 781-704-5454, sharilyn.hepburn@gmail.com or message on Facebook.

From the Memorial Gifts Committee

Our next meeting will be held on **Thursday, November 10th** at <u>6:00pm</u> in the Vestry & by Zoom.

From the Executive Council

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 2nd at 7:00pm in the Vestry and by Zoom.

From the Stewardship Committee

We hope you are feeling excited about the conclusion of our considering what it means to be moved *From Bread and Wine to Faith and Giving* and that you are planning to be with us for worship on October 30th.

The pledge packages were mailed earlier this month. We do hope yours arrived. If you are in need of a pledge card they are available either in the church office or in the Narthex.

We also have the option of using our online giving app through the church's website: Home | Central Congregational Church of Attleboro Falls (myvanco.com)

or by scanning the QR Code:



We are praying for a generous response to God's rich abundance given to each of us. How we respond and allow God to use us and our resources for the good of the world is up to us.

Please remember Central Congregational Church in your will and trusts.



From the Mission Committee

Our next meeting is set for 7:00pm on Thursday, November 4, 2022 in-person in the Vestry & by Zoom.

The purpose of the Mission Committee is to enable Central Congregational Church to fulfill its calling – to go out into the world and minister to those in need." - CCC By Laws

Bible Verse: "Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near."

Hebrews 10:23-25 (English Standard Version)

<u>October Mission</u> - There is no specific mission project in October. Rather, let us all focus on the 2022 Stewardship Pledge Campaign – From Bread & Cup to Faith and Giving presented by the Stewardship Committee. As the Apostle Paul expressed to the church in Corinth, "Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work."

2 Corinthians 9:7-8 (ESV)

November Mission 'Annual' CHRISTMAS IS FOR KIDS (CIFK) campaign supporting the program operated by the Greater Attleboro Area Council for Children – providing Christmas gifts for children in our area in need. Once again, we will be providing gifts for six children. More information will be shared as soon as received from the Council for Children, as well as details regarding our 2022 specific procedure for selecting gift tags from our Christmas tree.

Updates:

As you know, following up our September mission project – Children's Clothing Swap, a *Free Children's Clothing Event* was held in

the **Vestry** during the same hours the Rummage Sale was being held in the Hall of the CE building. We hoped that community members familiar with the annual rummage sale event would be excited to learn that "free children's clothing" was available across the street"! At this moment, as I write, the event begins in two days! The outcome will be announced in the next Triad newsletter!

GLOBAL H.O.P.E.

(Humanitarian. Opportunities. Progress. Empowerment)

We received the following request from the United Church of Christ national office. "The United Church of Christ has requested support for the Hurricanes 2022 Fund for those in crisis in the aftermath of Hurricanes Fiona and Ian, and any other significant storms that may arise in the warm Atlantic waters. Your gift to the Hurricanes 2022 Fund will help with immediate needs while basic infrastructure is repaired, and more complete assessments can be made.

We know as a people of faith, we can show up through our prayers and giving for our most vulnerable neighbors and journey with them on the long road to recovery.

Send your check payable to

<u>The United Church of Christ,</u>

<u>PO Box 71957</u>

<u>Cleveland, OH 44194.</u>

Please be sure to note "Hurricanes Fund 2022" in the memo section on your check."

The mission committee approved a \$1,000 contribution from our bequest funds and this amount was released immediately.

If you would like to personally contribute to the "Hurricanes 2022 Fund", we ask that you follow the directions above, highlighted in bold text, and mail your check directly to the Cleveland address. Please, do not send a check to the church.

Year-Round Missions

Keep supporting **Lenore's Pantry** and our **Shriner's Hospital** Aluminum Tab Collection/recycling Project. Thanks for regular donations.

Scripture Union Bible Reading Guide – Encounter with God

Copies of the October – December 2022 edition are available. Copies are available on the counter outside the Church office in the C.E. Building. You can also receive the daily readings on your cell phone or computer, at no cost, by visiting www.scriptureunion.org

Closing Thoughts to ponder:

I read in the Encounter with God Bible Guide on Tuesday 10/11, thoughts regarding the Bible Reading from I Corinthians 12: 12-31. The opening paragraph stated, "A harassed manager was once asked, 'How many people work in your department?' The manager replied, "About half of them!' In the church, all of us have work to do. This is part of the privilege of Christian discipleship. God calls us to join with him in his purposes for the church and, through it, the growth of his kingdom! Everyone has a part to play."

Ponder for a few minutes the words of this chorus taken from a Song written by William Himes.

"All That I Am"

All that I am, all I can be, all that I have,
All that is me, accept and use, Lord,
As you would choose, Lord,
Right now today.
Take every passion, every skill,
take all my dreams and bend them
to your will.
My all I give, Lord,
For you I'll live, Lord, come what may.

2022 VILLAGE GREEN FAIR



"Christmas in Attleboro Falls" Saturday, November 5th 9am – 3pm

This year's Fair will feature...

Cookies by the Dozen, Take-Out Food, Boutique Jewelry, Handcrafted Knits, Christmas Tables featuring Christmas and Seasonal Decorations, Santas, Angels, Snowmen, and Gifts.

Homemade Baked Goods, Fudge & Pickles all made with love just the way you remember them!

Delicious homemade Soups and Sandwiches for lunch.

Items needed for the Fair – see list above and drop off during the week – Oct 31-Nov 4th. Save baked goods for Friday drop off, please.

Help Wanted – please contact Cheryl Peterson if you can lend a hand cqppeterson@aol.com





APPLE PIE DAY

Saturday, November 19th. Must pre-order by Nov 10th by calling 508 699 7700.

\$15ea. Cash/Check Payable at pick up. Pick-up on 11/19 between 12noon – 2pm/ Hall

Help Wanted

For Peeling, Pie Crust Dough Making, Rolling, Pie Assembly.
Please contact Sue Dunbar if you will lend a hand
susan.dunbar@comcast.net



November 2022

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1 TRIAD DEADLINE 7pm CE Committee - Vestry & Zoom	7:00pm Exec Council— Vestry & Zoom	3 7pm Mission Committee— Vestry & Zoom 7:00pm CHOIR/ Sanctuary	4	5 9am-3pm VILLAGE GREEN FAIR/HALL
6 Holy Communion 9:45am Sunday School/Hall 10:00am Worship In-Person & Zoom. Fellowship HR: Dan DiSalvio 1pm Youth Group/Daggett 5:30pm TEEN OUT- REACH/Vestry	7	7:00pm DEACONS Vestry & Zoom	9	7:00pm CHOIR/ Sanctuary	11	12
13 No Sunday School Today 10:00am Worship In-Person & Zoom. Fellowship HR: Deacons—TBA	14	15 TRIAD DEADLINE 7:00pm TRUSTEES Vestry & Zoom	16	17 7:00pm CHOIR/ Sanctuary	18 9am APPLE PEELING/Hall	19 APPLE PIE DAY Pick up 12noon— 2pm/Hall
20 THANKSGIV-ING SUNDAY REIGN OF CHRIST 9:45am Sunday School/Hall 10:00am Worship In-Person & Zoom. Fellowship Hr: TBA	21	22	23	Thanksgiving Day	25	26
27 FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT FAMILY SUNDAY— NO SUNDAY SCHOOL TODAY 10:00am Worship In-Person & Zoom. Fellowship Hr: Mission Committee	28	TRIAD DEADLINE	30	7:00pm CHOIR/ Sanctuary	DEC 2nd	Dec 3rd

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Services of: Oct 30 & Nov 6, 2022

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PASTOR – The Rev. Carole L. Baker DEACON EMERITUS – Jackie Glass ORGANIST/CHOIR DIRECTOR – Dave Valerio SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—Heather Bonfilio SECRETARY – Kathy Trowbridge

Church Office Hours

Tuesday & Thursday - 8:30am-4:30pm