

# CALENDAR AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We encourage you to take this sheet home to refer to as needed

**Office Hours** for AUG 1 & AUG 2 are 9 am – 1:30 pm.

**Office Hours** beginning AUG 3 are Mon, Tue, Thurs 9:30 am – 2 pm, Wed. 11 am – 3:30 pm, Fri Closed.

Sun, July 31		<i>Boat Sunday</i>
	9:30 am	Worship Service for All Ages, Nursery Care only
	After Worship	Special treat: Watermelon boats with fruit salad
Tue, Aug 2	6 pm	BCCUCC Softball game vs Temple Habonim, Bicknell Field

JULY 31<sup>ST</sup> WORSHIP SERVICE: **Ushers:** Nancy Martin, Trish Sylvester **Greeters:** The Ogden family

**Altar Flowers:** Heather Sugg in loving memory of her husband, Bobby Sugg  
With thanks to Rev. Sue Remick for her thoughtful service to our church.

Rev. Sue's last Sunday at BCCUCC is TODAY. Her last day in the office is Fri, Aug 5<sup>th</sup>.



**Birthdays for the Week of July 31<sup>st</sup>** *Reed Bullard, Brody Carroll, Flo Fairfield, Miles Burke, Robin Holby and Nick McGarry.* Please keep them in your prayers.

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*Please note: After Aug. 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016, in the event of a pastoral emergency after hours, if you cannot reach Brendan (401-318 2447) please call on one of the deacons.*

**DEACONS FOR THE SUMMER:** Larry Ashley (July star), Abby Ashley, Chris Brady, Stephanie Edwards, Joe Judge, Chris Morton, Susan Rotblat-Walker, Pat Rude, Susan Seader, Jon Stabach, Tom Wegner, Kim Zeleznik.

**Summer Worship Services:** 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. We hope you will worship with us this summer - the service is shorter, the dress is casual, so invite a friend! The schedule is below - the sermon titles for each week are italicized and in quotes. Special music is in parentheses, and the special 'treat' is listed at the end.

- Aug 7<sup>th</sup> Communion Sunday Come at 9:15 for a Hymn Sing. "*Dancing at Lughnasa*" Half Moon Cookies
- Aug 14<sup>th</sup> Outside Service and Pet Blessing "*All God's Critters*" Biscuits – pet friendly biscuits too
- Aug 21<sup>st</sup> Mission Trip Sunday "*Stories from Borderlinks*" (Guitar & Kazoos) Nachos & Cheeses, Cheetos
- Aug 28<sup>th</sup> Colors of Summer Sunday "*God's Mandala*" Ice cream cups
- Sept 4<sup>th</sup> Squeeze out the Summer Sunday "*Work Less, Play More*" (Improv Band) Fruit Kabobs & juice

**FREE CONCERT:** Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> - 6PM at Barrington Beach. Playing: the Becky Chace Band. Food available at the Trendy's Concession Stand.

**East Bay Food Pantry Seeks Volunteers:** Volunteers are needed to pick up fresh produce from local farms and deliver the produce to their location at 150 Franklin Street in Bristol. The pantry is open on Wednesdays to anyone in need from the area to come choose nutritious meals to help feed their families. Volunteers deliver mostly fruits and vegetables, with the occasional load of eggs. Contact Karen Griffith if you can help: [karen@eastbayfoodpantry.org](mailto:karen@eastbayfoodpantry.org) or 401-423-0910. Church members Charlie and Lory McCoy own the McCoy Community Farm, 106 Birch Swamp Road Warren; one of the farms that supplies the food pantry. Please call 401-949-2917 if you would like to help weed and harvest the crops.

**Staff vacations:** Associate Minister, the Rev. Brendan Curran returns to the office this Tuesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Christine Wallis (office administrator) returns this Wed., August 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Nursery Help Wanted:** Andrea Bullard is looking for one, two or three people to work in the nursery during the worship service on Sunday mornings. This is a paid position and you must be at least 18 years of age. Please contact Andrea [andrea@bccucc.org](mailto:andrea@bccucc.org) or 246-0111 x 107 for more information.

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**FREE SUMMER CONCERT SERIES:** WHERE: Burr's Hill Park, Warren WHEN: Wednesdays at 6 p.m. The Church Street Coffeehouse has teamed up with the Warren Recreation Department and the Town of Warren to present a broad spectrum of music from the folk, Celtic, classical, jazz, blues, country, and western swing genres to good old rock & roll. Schedules are available online at [churchstreetcoffeehouse.com](http://churchstreetcoffeehouse.com), The George Hail library, The Coffee Depot, and Warren House of Pizza. The rain dates for most shows will be the following day; please leave your four-legged friends home.

**The Bereavement Group** will not meet again at the church until MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup> at the later time of Noon in the church library. If anyone needs to contact the facilitator, Betsy Brenner, with a bereavement issue over the summer, you may reach her at [jsbeeb@aol.com](mailto:jsbeeb@aol.com) or 245-8031.

**In case you missed it:** *Our new Senior Minister will be the Rev. Dr. Dale H. Azevedo.* The congregation unanimously approved his appointment on June 19<sup>th</sup> and he will begin his ministry with us in mid-September. Brochures with information about him are available.

**Fellowship Hall Chairs Update:** The new chairs are getting rave reviews! Pledges that have been made to date have now covered the cost of 160 chairs and 2 chair racks – thank you for your generosity! If you've pledged but have not yet made your donation, please do so as soon as possible. *Our goal is to purchase 40 additional chairs, so if you have not yet contributed to the project, you are most welcome to do so at this time.* Please make checks payable to BCCUCC with 'chairs' in the memo line.

**Calling all musicians:** Marina invites musicians from the congregation to join her in providing music for the summer worship services. If you're a singer or instrumentalist and would like to share your musical talent one Sunday, please volunteer by contacting Marina Zabinski at 726-5118 or [marinazab62@yahoo.com](mailto:marinazab62@yahoo.com). She will also be happy to accompany you if needed. Please note that Marina and the minister have to approve all music used in worship. Dates available are July 24, 31, Aug 7, 14, & 28.

**Softball:** BCCUCC has one softball games this week: Tue., Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> vs. Temple Habonim. It's never too late to join the team. Any interested men aged 30+ or women aged 16+ who would enjoy playing are invited to contact Tom Strolla at [ostrolla@cox.net](mailto:ostrolla@cox.net) or (401) 246-0936. Games are played Mondays, Tuesdays or Thursdays at 6 pm at Bicknell Field, located at the end of Walnut Road off Lincoln. Copies of the schedule are available from the table at the back of Fellowship Hall, and are also on the church website [www.bccucc.org](http://www.bccucc.org). Spectators are encouraged to come and cheer on the team.

**'These Days' Daily Devotions for Living by Faith:** These booklets are made available free to the congregation by your Deacons and anyone is welcome to take a copy. The copies for July – Sept have now arrived and are on the table in the back of Fellowship Hall.

**Memory Impairment Support Group** will meet once a month in July and August. They next meet TUESDAY, AUGUST 23<sup>RD</sup> from 1 - 2:30 pm in the church library. The group is open to patients and caregivers, and participants need not be members of this church. For more information contact Jim or Lois McCartney at 245-3288 or [jrmcc@fullchannel.net](mailto:jrmcc@fullchannel.net)

**Our Church calendar** can be found at <http://bccucc.view-events.com> or from the bottom of any page of the church website [www.bccucc.org](http://www.bccucc.org)