

COVENANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

...a place to belong
...a place to believe
...a place to become

Established as a local congregation in 1884, we are grateful to God for the opportunity He has given us to serve Jesus Christ among the people of Easton and the surrounding communities.

For Your Information:

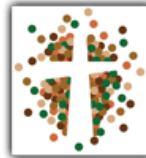
- Assistive listening devices are available in the narthex by the Sound Room.
- Nursery care is provided downstairs for infants through kindergarten-aged children.
- A parent/infant room may be accessed through the library off of the narthex.
- Large print copies of the worship bulletin and hymns are available from the ushers.
- White offering envelopes are available in the pews each week for donations to our Benevolent Fund, which allows us to support each other in times of financial need.

Lead Pastor: Jason O. Mohn
Minister of Music and Worship: Kirstie Wheeler
Director of Children's Ministries: Missy Burton
Office Manager: Nancy Hall
Piano: Alice Fu
Organ: Susan Santry

For more information, please see Weekly Email Blast or
The Monthly Newsletter called The Tidings or
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Announcements for the Week of February 26, 2017

Events Later Today:

4:30pm	Trailblazers - Grades 3-5
4:30pm	Jr. High Youth Group - Grades 6-8
6:00pm	Sr. High Youth Group - Grades 9-12

The Week Ahead

Monday	7:00 p.m.	Men's Bible Study (FS)
	7:00 p.m.	Stephen Ministry
	7:00 p.m.	Knitting (Lib)
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Ladies Night Out (FS)
Wednesday	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study (FS)
	7:00 p.m.	Ash Wednesday Service
	7:30 p.m.	1st Vitality Team Meeting
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	Prayer Hour
Sunday	7:30 p.m.	Choir rehearsal
	8:30 a.m.	Breakfast
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	After Worship	Fellowship in Fireside
	6:00 p.m.	Sr. High Youth Group

Ministry Updates

- Ladies Night Out - Brownies & Board games - add a third B and *Bring a friend*.
- Ash Wednesday Service - Wednesday, March 1st, 7PM, in the sanctuary
- Movie: *The Shack* - Want to see this movie Wednesday afternoon, March 8th?
Details/sign-up: call Lynda Valenzuela (508) 807-0758
- Beginners Yoga in the Fireside Room, Wednesday, March 8, 15, 22, & 29, 7PM
Bring yoga mat and water, All ages and fitness levels welcome
- Celebration of the Ministry of Kirstie Wheeler, Saturday, March 11th, 6-8PM
Dessert gathering in the activity room, donation of desserts welcome
- Sr. High Youth presents *Once Upon a Time Dinner Event & Silent Auction*-
Saturday, March 18th at 6:30PM, CHIC 2018 fundraiser, Info: Narthex poster!
- Save the Date - Saturday, April 8th, Science with a Mission (SMI)
12th Annual Quilt Show & 5th Annual Craft Fair & Luncheon, details soon!

Financials as of 2-17-2017

Income	\$40,227.22
Expenses	\$51,686.26
Deficit	(\$11,459.04)

Lectionary readings for next week:
First Sunday in Lent
 Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7 Psalm 32
 Romans 5:12-19 John 1:35-51

Prayers of Petition

- Prayers of comfort for *Cindy Doherty, her husband Neil, and their family.*
- Prayers for Heather Willis' brother, *Murray Johns and his family* as they make the transition to an assisted care facility on Monday.
- *Cid Cidado* is home recovering. Prayers for strength and healing.
- *Bob Clary* as he recovers from a heart procedure.
- *Jim Rose's Step Mom* passed away. Prayers of sympathy and comfort for Jim, LaDora and their family during this time.
- *Diane Hight* is hospitalized. Prayers for a clear path of comfort and hope and for comfort and strength for Diane and Gary.
- *Cathy Zelinski's brother, Buddy*, was able to have only a partial ablation procedure and is waiting to hear his next steps. *Cathy's sister, Alicia*, had surgery (neck fusion) and is doing well. Prayers for strength, comfort and healing for Buddy and Alicia.
- *Rick Lyons*, cousin of Priscilla Driscoll and Sara Papetti, passed away. Thanks to all the church family for their prayers. Continued prayers for Rick's family and friends.
- *The family and friends of Michael Altieri* who passed away on February 1st. Alice, his wife, is a long time friend of our church family.
- *Lee Towne* is home from the hospital and is in hospice care.
- *Choyce Patterson*, Leslie Kasang's mother, passed away on February 1. She was 96. Choyce will be missed by all, especially the Friendship Club.
- *Brian Eldund's 93 year old mother, Evelyn*, fell at Baypoint rehab and is now there permanently. Prayers for healing and comfort.
- *Phyllis Oppen*, Cheryl's mother-in-law, who recently moved into memory care at Heights Crossing in Brockton.
- *Tony Samaras*, Cherly Oppen's brother-in-law, who recently had heart surgery and is recovering in rehab
- *Glenda*, co-worker and friend of Cathy Zelinski's mom is in hospice care for colon cancer. May Glenda and her family feel God's love, peace and comfort during this time
- *Judy Wohlen* is almost done with PT from her hip replacement.
- *Tim Driscoll*, who is recovering from hand surgery
- *Helen Miller*, who is at SE Rehab recovering from a fall.
- *Elisabeth Driscoll* recovering from surgery. Please pray for healing.
- *Gail Thomas*, a friend of Linda and Bob Clary, has been diagnosed with breast cancer. Please pray for strength and healing during treatments.

- *Elaine Lundberg* as she recovers from heart surgery.
- *Anna Goodwin* as she recovers from breast cancer surgery.
- *Tom Puleo*, Ernie Ortega's co-worker, cancer diagnosis.
- *Sheri Thompson Macintyre* is recovering at home.
- *Alice Alteri* is in rehab at Brockton Health Care Center.
- *The Giovanni family*, specifically Andy.
- *Heather Edlund* as she continues to recover.
- Continued prayer for Heather Willis' brother, *Murray Johns and his family.*
- *Kelly Spencer*, whose 2 uncles are battling cancer.
- *Cathy Rodrigues*, friend of Lynda Valenzuela.
- *Rebecca Carroll*, for emotional strength and healing.
- *Dianna Hammond* who is receiving cancer treatment.
- *Mary Gallagher*, recovering from surgery for cancer.
- *Brian Edlund's brother Ron*, diagnosed with Parkinson's.

Prayers of Celebration & Thanksgiving

- "Thanks for all the prayers during Bob McIlhatten's shoulder surgery and for travel mercies going back and forth from the hospital." Bob and Andi
- For the 48 people who attended the Veritas: Vitality Pathway workshop and for the next step of forming our Vitality Team.
- *Mary Daly* had a CT scan this week that revealed that her neck has completely healed. Praise God for this wonderful news. Thank you all for your continued prayers.
- *Kim Callender* finished radiation treatments. "Thank you for your prayers."
- No further treatment required for Diane Hight's brother, *Michael*.
- *Rusty White*, friend of Ernie Ortega, is making progress.
- *Dave Williams* is home. "Thanks for all the prayers."
- *Zachary*, Ernie Ortega's son, is 100% healed. *Carter*, Ernie Ortega's grandson, is doing very well too. Praise God!
- *Tom Dennehy's father* has recovered from the blood infection.
- *Priscilla Driscoll* is now Cancer Free for 1 full year. God is good!
- *Cathy Zelinski's brother-in-law Dave* received news of his scan results and he is cancer free! Thanks be to God!
- For the wonderful news that Ray Wallace is in remission from cancer! Hallelujah! Praise God!