



North Haven Congregational Church, UCC

The Window

September 2024

*FROM THE
PASTOR* 

In Gratitude for Work

Labor Day marks the transition from summer to fall, at least in connection with the school calendar and church programming. Along with a precious holiday weekend, Labor Day invites reflection on the meaning of work. Many of us, I suspect, have relatives and friends whose work has been a source of admiration and inspiration. Energetic and industrious, creative and skilled, their work in farming or building, manufacturing or mining, design or research, teaching or in the arts left a trail of accomplishment and dedication. In my family there are farmers and engineers and teachers and heavy equipment operators and communications workers.

This holiday is also an opportunity to be grateful for regulation and reform which has improved the safety of working, and protected against the exploitation of children and adults in oppressive and dangerous working conditions.

I am moved by the deep satisfaction of meaningful and productive labor. Khalil Gibran has written that “Work is love made visible.” It is intriguing and enlightening to look around us for the visible signs of loving work.

Scott Morrow



Thank you to Members of the Building and Grounds Mission Team

I would like to use this column to give a shout out to my fellow building and grounds mission team members and the endless list of repairs and projects they attack. They are everything from plumbing, electrical, heating and cooling, electronics, etc. The list goes on. The members of the B&G team tackle all of these problems as they arise, many times at a moment's notice. A much larger project, the replacement of the parking lot and upgrading of the drainage, is currently being quoted by various vendors, based on information from the team. While the majority of the things done by the team are done only incurring material costs, the parking lot is going to require a capital campaign for funding. This project is long overdue. We are constantly filling potholes to try to provide some safety until this project gets done.

Another project in the works is the replacement of numerous lights to modern LED lighting. This is a project being funded mostly by United Illuminating Company and grants from the State of Connecticut. A small portion may need to be provided by the church at 0% interest. This is still in the planning stage.

The members of this team are Mark Bessette, Paul Powers, Peter Struck, David Nelson, Martin Benassi and myself. If you see any of them, be sure to thank them for the ongoing volunteer services they provide keeping our church safe and in good shape. There have been many others in the past, and with a little faith, more people will step up in the future. This saves the church thousands of dollars every year. If you have a talent you would like to share, feel free to talk to any of us. There are plenty of projects to go around.

Ed Collett
MLB Member

Ministry Coordinator
for Children



WELCOME BACK ONE and ALL!
Rally Day (September 8th),

I hope you all had a wonderful summer full of fun! Church School begins on September 8th with Rally Day. RALLY DAY marks the official start to the new Church School year. Parents, please register your children when you pick up in their classrooms. After worship, the Faith Formation Team is sponsoring the church's annual Rally Day picnic, a celebration of re-gathering of our NHCC church family and friends.

SO, on SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, Come one, come all to the RALLY DAY PICNIC, to reconnect and catch-up with one another, enjoy some quality family time, and enjoy the comradery.

The church and Faith Formation Team will provide tables and chairs, cold cuts, rolls, condiments, and beverages. The Faith Formation Team asks each family to contribute the salads, sides and dessert. The large church refrigerator will provide a cold environment to keep anything to be shared at a safe temperature until after worship.

Those whose last name begins with....

A-E please bring dessert/fruit.

F-Z please bring a salad/side dish.

Church School Calendar – Sept. & Oct.

Sept. 8 - RALLY DAY. Regular church school; children begin in worship then go to their classrooms. ALL CHURCH picnic immediately following worship. **** SPECIAL RECOGNITION during worship for those children who participated in NHCC SUMMER BIBLE READING BINGO.

**** PLEASE NOTE: On September 8th, NHCC (Worshippers and Church School children) will have a practice Fire Drill near the end of worship.

Sept. 15 - Regular Church school

Sept. 22 - FAMILY SUNDAY; children remain in worship with their family. Children's Worship Bulletins will be available.

Sept. 29 - Regular Church school

Oct. 6 - Communion Sunday. CHAPEL SUNDAY. Children begin in chapel, then to their classrooms, then to worship for Communion.

Oct. 13 - FAMILY SUNDAY; children remain in worship with their family. Children's Worship Bulletins will be available.

Oct. 20 - Regular Church school. Children begin in worship, then to their classrooms.

Oct. 27 - Regular Church school; BIBLE SUNDAY (4th Graders receive their Gift Bibles).

I hope all of you had a safe, restful, pleasant Summer. I look forward to seeing you all again on September 8, 2024.

Blessings,

Karlee Etter, Ministry Coordinator for Children

Summer Sunday School:

This year Summer Sunday school took place on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month; July 28, August 11 & 25. Thank you to Priscilla Noriega for coordinating these classes.

Church Family News



Birthdays: Martin Benassi 09/06, Linda Lacobelli 09/06, Melissa DeLuca 09/06, Colin Studley 09/06, John Masnato 09/08, Sally Pallatto 09/09, AnnMarie Czajkowski 9/10, Ryan Petrucci 09/11, Aaron Weiss 09/12, Flo Coulston 09/15, Kim Coughlin 09/16, Denise Adinolfi 09/17, Carol Lacobelli 09/21, Greg Brenner 09/22, Patience Benassi 09/23, Jennifer Coulston 09/23, Linda Simonson 09/23, Brooklyn Mastracchio 09/23, Lexie Cooper 09/23, Raj Rose 9/26, Barbara Scheidecker 09/27, Jennifer Russo 09/27, Jillian Russo 09/27, Sarah Struk 09/28, Stephen Baraquin 09/29, Joyce Manzo 09/30.

Anniversaries: David & Joanne Nottingham 09/01, Carl & Lillian Flodquist 09/05, David & Nancie Estep 09/06, John & Rhonda Masnato 09/21.

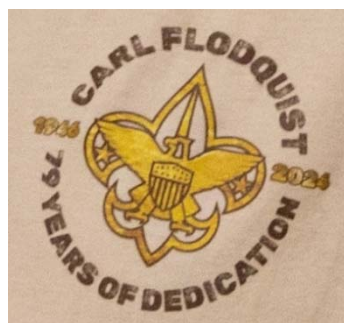
Deaths: **Hazel Hall**, mother of Peter Hall, died on August 8. She was married to the late Robert Hall and had three children, Stuart, Catherine, and Peter.

Lorraine Morehouse, long-time church member married to the late Clifford Morehouse, died on August 8. She is the mother of Cliff Morehouse and the late Kathleen and Patricia Morehouse.

Lorraine (Lori) Ballantyne, wife of Larry Ballantyne, died on August 10. Lori was generous with donations to our Harvest Fair and Auctions through the years.

Barbara Madelung, long-time church member married to the late George Madelung, died on August 9. Barbara worked for the New Samaritan Corporation and Elderly Housing Management. She was the mother of Michael and Robert Madelung. We give thanks to God for the precious lives of Hazel, Lorraine, Lori, and Barbara, and pray for God's strength and comfort for Peter, and Cliff, and Larry, and all the families.

Carl Flodquist Honored by Scouts



Carl Flodquist was honored for 79 years of service to Camp Sequassen!

The celebration of Carl's service was a fund raiser for Camp Sequassen. It was the most successful Fund Raiser for the camp in history, raising thousands of dollars. Carl was a camper or on Staff at Sequassen Camp every year for the past 79 years. Carl's Family and Friends came from near and far to help him celebrate. People came from Florida, VT and many other places.

Pictured above with Carl is his Grand Nephew, Dylan Hogan who is now on Staff at the camp continuing in his Great Uncle's footsteps.



Lauren Campos, daughter of Cynthia Campos, graduated from Amity High School in Woodbridge, CT in 2020, and now she has graduated again! Lauren graduated from Hanze University of Applied Sciences in Groningen, Netherlands in July, receiving a bachelor's degree in International Business.

This fall, Lauren will be pursuing a Master's in Business Administration with a focus on Change Management at the University of Groningen. She is very strongly dedicated to international education and leadership in business.

Attention: High School Students

The North Haven Congregational Church has opportunities available for local High School students who are looking for meaningful ways to meet their community service requirements for high school. We would have opportunities to match your particular interests, skills and availability. If you are dependable and are computer savvy, please contact Patience B. and/or Jeanne M. by calling the church office. Other skills are welcome as well and can be matched with particular service needs. Do you have expertise with piano or another instrument, like working with children, or other interests. We'd be happy to speak with you.

Regular Office Hours have Resumed

The church office is now open from 8:00am to 2:30pm Monday through Friday.

Excitement Picks Up in the Fall!!

September is coming! There are two contrasting feelings about this! One is to dig in our heels, push on the brakes, and hope to stretch summer a bit more. The other is to move toward the starting line and get ready to dash!

There is much in September to anticipate. On Rally Day the Chancel Choir will return and Sunday School will begin. Lots of other activities and fellowship opportunities are planned through the month. We will continue with "Lemonade Hour" outside until the weather cools and we move inside for hot coffee. I encourage you to come and worship in-person. We will continue to livestream the worship service through the church website for those who cannot attend in-person by choice or circumstance.



Thanking the Musical Staff!

We are grateful for Heather Meachen, our Organist, and for the skill and talent of Jeff Hutchins, Director of Music, in leading the Chancel Choir and the children, and occasionally the whole congregation! We offered deep thanks to Heather, and Jeff at our annual Choir Picnic!

Jeffrey Hutchins, Director of Music

Mission Team News

On-Line Fundraising Auction

The fifth annual on-line fundraising auction, held in August this year, raised over \$3,300 for our church's current year's budget. More than \$2,000 was raised in each of the first four years making this year's auction the best yet.

Thank you for all your donations to the auction which made the fundraiser possible and successful. We had a wonderful variety of items. Thank you to all the donors: Sue Beth H., Dot P., Joyce and Ted M., Lynn R., Pete and Victoria S., Cheryl B., Sue and John T., Carol A., Scott M., Mabel and Steve P., Carla H., Patience and Martin B., Martha B., Priscilla B., Heather M., Sara and Bryant M., Mark B., Mary Ellen and Ed C., Nancy M., Cathy W., Beth A., Susan G., and Lillian F.

Thank you also to Julie S., Dave N., and Women's Fellowship for their assistance.

If you have items that you might donate next year for an on-line auction, let a member of the B Team know so we can determine if we should plan this again for next year. Please share any feedback about this fundraiser with a member of the B Team.

Thank you,
The B Team: Priscilla B., Martha B., Patience B., and Martin B.

Feeling Welcome

We want everyone who comes to worship on Sunday to feel welcome. We especially want visitors to feel welcome. The welcome we want to share begins as people arrive in the church. A smile and a greeting give a friendly feeling. Greeting those who are visitors and taking them along to coffee or lemonade gives a friendly feeling.

Greeters, Deacons, Scripture Readers, and Hosts/Hostesses for lemonade or coffee are the point people for Sunday morning welcome and worship, and the rest of the congregation follows along. Please consider helping to offer hospitality and fellowship on Sunday morning. Sign up through the Church website or talk with Scott or Sandy Carter.

Become a CAMERA OPERATOR!

The livestream service is recorded through a camera in the back of the sanctuary. This camera is operated from a desktop computer in the church office (hint: air conditioning!). The process of setting up the livestream and shifting the camera angle during the service is pretty simple. Would you like to learn? Training is available. We need volunteers! Please speak with Scott or Jeff Hutchins.

OPT-IN for Email 'Blasts'

We send emails to the whole congregation each week with the Invitation to Worship, and on other occasions when there is important news to share. These emails come to you with the address "no-reply@servantkeeper.com. If you would like to receive emails from the church, please speak with Julie in the Church Office.

THANK YOU ALL VERY MUCH!

A great deal of wonderful work has been done in and around the church this summer. We offer our deep thanks to: John & Sue Tibor, Gail Fulop, Nancy Mahoney, Robbie Juliano, Martha Perrotti, Claudia Giuletti, Rob Nielsen, Barbara Raddigan, and the team from St. Elizabeth of the Trinity who have helped regularly with distributions from the Food Pantry. In addition to distributing the food Gail Fulop, Robbie Juliano, and the Tibors have helped with regular shopping to re-supply the Food Pantry. Rob Nielsen has taken on the added role of picking up Crumbl cookies each week that are donated. Paul Powers delivers donated bread and rolls to the food pantry each month. Priscilla Bradford and Sue Compton weeded and worked on landscaping. Cathy Welch has continued cataloguing the music library. Patience Benassi arranged and coordinated the fundraising auction, with help from Martin Benassi, Martha Butterworth, and Priscilla Bradford. Thank you very much everyone!

Church Safety Team Hears Recommendations

Following a Church Safety Webinar offered by the Southern New England Conference UCC last fall, a group has come together to consider ways to enhance security and safety in our Church. Addressing concern

for both intruders disrupting church activities and potential aggression and violence, there are recommendations of improvements to facilities and training for Greeters and Church leaders. The Safety Team met with North Haven Police officers on two occasions. The officers made several suggestions for improvements to the building, including numbering the outside entrances for easy identification, providing the Police Department with keys and codes for access to a specific door; upgrading the locks on exterior doors to electronic locks using fobs or a code and potential upgrades to the alarm system.

Additional recommendations concerned training for Greeters who are often the first to meet visitors, and for leaders, to help develop a communication system to share awareness of any concern or incident.

The Team will work with the Building & Grounds Mission Team to implement changes the building, and with the MLB to implement the needed training. The group will also pursue the availability of grants to cover the cost of improvements and enhancements.

Parking Lot Campaign Committee Forming

There has been extended discussion among the Ministry Leadership Board (MLB) and the Building & Grounds Team around the development of a plan to improve drainage in the church parking lot and resurface the lot. There is no drainage currently, so water flows across the lot and creates weak points and potholes. A two-step process beginning with installation of pipes and catch basins, followed by resurfacing, is anticipated. While there are many questions still to be answered and details to be checked, the cost of this project is estimated to be about \$200,000. The MLB is forming a committee to guide this project and conduct a capital campaign to raise the needed funds. A significant gift has already been received, and others are anticipated, along with a contribution from the Corinthian Lodge next door. We will keep the congregation updated on this project.



Music Together

Music Together classes held at our church. For ages 0-8 and their caregiver

Mixed Age classes 0-5 *Rhythm kids classes 4-8

*Ukulele classes 6+

Offered for Fall, Winter, Spring and Summer semesters

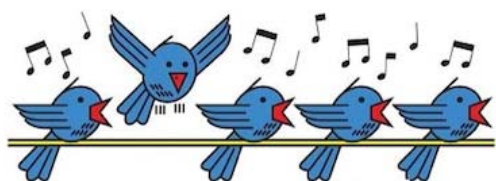
Fun. Fabulous. Uplifting. Magical. These are just a few of the ways that parents describe our Music Together. Each week, babies, toddlers, preschoolers, big kids, and the grownups who love them gather in classrooms around the world to make beautiful Music Together as a community. Offered at more than 3,000 locations and 40 countries, our early childhood music classes give families with children a chance to get in touch with their inner musician and connect with other families. Our Music Together classes are on a mission to make the world a better place by making it more musical.

Wiggling, singing, and laughing with your child is so much fun—it's easy to forget how much learning is taking place! Our research-based curriculum not only develops music skills, it nurtures creativity, self-expression, and confidence while also supporting social, emotional, cognitive, and physical development. We'll have tons of fun singing, dancing, learning and playing instruments in this Free Music Together demo class. Your family will learn 25 new songs and be immersed in music, learning, and fun each semester. We have a different collection of music (9 collections in total). Wiggling, singing, and laughing with your child is so much fun—it's easy to forget how much learning is taking place!



Weekly Bible Study ZOOM Begins September 3.

The weekly Bible Study will gather again on Tuesday, Sept. 3. This is a wonderful opportunity for fellowship, study, and prayer. We meet on Tuesday evenings at 6pm for an hour for study and prayer through ZOOM! All are welcome! We will be reading the book of Acts of the Apostles. Please come and visit! Tell Scott or Julie you're interested and we'll send you the ZOOM link.



CHOIR Rehearsal

Choir Practice begins again!

All voice parts welcome, especially tenor and soprano.
Thursday, September 5, 2024 at 7:00pm.

Fire Drill Scheduled - September 8th

We will hold a fire drill at the conclusion of the worship service on September 8. All persons in the building will exit from the nearest door and assemble at the church sign in the front yard near Linsley Street. The elevator is not used during a fire drill. All persons using a walker or a wheelchair in the sanctuary will gather in narthex; those in the lower level will gather near the door going out by the Women's Fellowship stairs. Following the All Clear! – the Rally Day Picnic will begin!

Confirmation 2024-25 Informational Meeting Sunday, Sept 8th at 10:45 am

Plans are being made for a Confirmation program for the coming year. The confirmation program will be primarily for 8th and 9th graders, although older youth may participate. There will be an informational meeting on Sunday September 8th at 10:45. Please contact Scott Morrow with questions.

2024 Justice Summit Sat. Sept. 14

The Southern New England Conference UCC will sponsor the third annual Justice Summit on Saturday, Sept. 14, 8am-5pm at Wesleyan University in the Fayerweather Building 50 Wyllys Ave., Middletown, CT 06547. The theme of the event is "Politics as an Act of Faith". The keynote speaker will be Dr. Obery M. Hendricks, Jr., best-selling author, activist, religious scholar and former theological seminary president. There will be workshops as well. Attendance at this event is both **in-person** and **online**. The deadline for registration for in-person attendance is Friday, August 30. The deadline to register for online attendance is Wednesday, Sept. 11. Find more information on the Conference website – sneucc.org.

New To The Church?

We invite you to a series of Newcomers Discussions sponsored by the Deacons. These gatherings, held after the worship service, will provide an opportunity to meet some leaders from the church to learn about North Haven Congregational Church and the United Church of Christ, and to ask any questions you may have. The dates for the Discussions are Sept. 22, Oct. 6, and Oct. 13. These conversations are open to all who are interested. We'll get some coffee after worship and gather in the Library from 10:45 – noon. If you have questions, please speak with Scott Morrow or call the church office.

Old Stone Church Anniversary

The First Congregational Church of East Haven – Old Stone Church – will celebrate the 250th anniversary of their church building on September 22 at 11am. You can tour the building on Sept. 7, 14, & 21 from 11am-1pm, and Sept. 8 & 15 from 11:30 – 1:30pm.

Archdiocese Of Hartford Human Trafficking Task Force

Human Trafficking is occurring in our state and across the globe and YOU can do something about it. Awareness is the first step!

Please join St. Elizabeth Of the Trinity Social Action Group on **Thursday, October 3 from 7:00 – 8:00 pm in St. Barnabas Church** for a presentation given by

the Archdiocese of Hartford Human Trafficking Task Force.

In this presentation you will learn:

- The different types of human trafficking and where it happens
- The warning signs for sex trafficking and labor trafficking
- National and local effort to combat this crime, including the role of the Catholic Church in the fight against human trafficking
- How to support victims and survivors
- How your faith community can get involved

Sleeping Giant Build Fundraiser October

13 The Sleeping Giant Build group of Habitat for Humanity of Greater New Haven will raise funds through staffing the parking for the Head of the Housatonic Rowing Regatta on Sunday, October 13. Volunteer shifts run from 6-9am, 9am-12N, and 12N-3pm in Shelton. Stay tuned for more information

Be The Help Until Help Arrives!

Emergencies happen anywhere and at anytime. Rescuers respond as soon as possible, but sometimes it's too late. Your help can save the life of a loved one or a friend. The church is offering a class called "Stop the Bleed and Hands Only CPR." The class is two hours long and is open to everyone age 11 and older and in good health. Please join us on Thursday, October 17th at 7:00pm. The cost is \$5 per person and pre-registration is required since the class size is limited. Please register by email with Ed Collett, ecollett54@gmail.com.

Community Suppers at St. John's Episcopal Church Starting up this Fall

The North Haven Rotary Club sponsors monthly community suppers at St. John's Episcopal Church on the last Friday of the month at 5:30pm. These Suppers were put on hold for the summer and will be served again starting in October.

Joining the Church

If you are interested in becoming a member of North Haven Congregational Church, we would like to invite you to do so on **Sunday, November 3**. We welcome new members during our regular worship service, and

then receive Communion together. If you would like to join the church, or have any questions, please speak with Scott or call Julie in the Church Office.

Women's Fellowship

Save The Date: Friday, Sept 20!!

The Women's Fellowship Military Whist Card Game will be on Friday, September 20. Tickets are available for purchase at Coffee Hour (\$12 per person). Singles, couples, and teams of four are welcome. Please call Carol Mitchell (203) 668-0608 or email cdmitchell60@yahoo.com.

Light refreshments will be served. There will be a variety of gift card raffles and a 50/50 raffle!

Our Fundraisers help support church projects and local organizations.

Doors will open at 5:15 p.m. and the game begins at 6:00 p.m.

It's fun and easy to play! Come join the fun! Bring a friend!

Dates and times to be announced soon!!

Craft workshops for the Women's Fellowship Fair on November 2 will be held starting at the end of August and continuing through September and October. Dates and times to be announced soon.

Planning for the Fair has begun. Any ideas or suggestions are welcome. Sign up to help at Fellowship Hour or contact Carol Mitchell (203) 668-0608. Thanks!



Men's Fellowship

There will be two Men's Fellowship Breakfasts scheduled for September; Saturday, September 7th and Saturday, September 21st. Hopefully, our group will return from its summer recess refreshed, reinvigorated, and re-motivated.



In November, Scott Morrow and Carol Amico will be at NHCC for 30 years. Save Sunday, November 17 for a celebration. Details to follow.

SAVE THE DATE!!

Saturday, Sep 7 – Men's Fellowship Brkfst 7:30am
Sunday, Sep 8 – Rally Day
Saturday, Sep 14 – Men's Fellowship Brkfst 7:30am;
Friday, Sep 20 – Military Whist – Women's Fellowship 6pm
Sunday, Sep 22 – Newcomers Discussion, 10:45
Saturday, Oct 5 - Men's Fellowship Brkfst 7:30am,
North Haven Family Day – Town Green
Sunday, Oct 27 – NHE Consociation Annual Mtng –
North Guilford Cong'l Church 6pm

PASTORAL VISITS

Pastoral Visits in Hospital –Please contact Julie or Scott if you anticipate a trip to the hospital or unexpectedly find yourself hospitalized, so that Scott can respond.

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

We are livestreaming our worship services on Sunday mornings . We continue to celebrate Communion on the first Sunday of the month, encouraging those at home to participate with their own bread and juice.

If you are unable watch the Church service online, we will be happy to celebrate this Sacrament with you either in person or over the telephone. Please call the church office at 203-239-5691 to make an appointment that would be convenient for you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

In this month's *Window* we continue to list the names of persons for whom we pray in our worship each Sunday. Please add these special people to your prayers at home. Watch the *Window* each month for changes in this list.

In Our Prayers This Month are: Linda Rankin, Linda Shannon, Marlene Bellonio, Shirley Ryan, Joyce Bellonio, Meg Adams, Sarah, and the family of Larry Ballantyne.

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CARDS & LETTERS

Below are some of our church members who are not always able to be present for worship on Sunday mornings. We invite you to send them a card and include them in your prayers.

Meg Adams
67 Sackett Point Rd.,
Apt. 408
North Haven, CT 06473



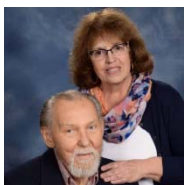
Joyce Bellonio
1103 Ashlar Village
Wallingford, CT 06492



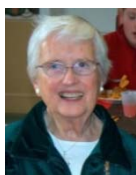
Marlene Bellonio
310 Terrace Ave, W146D
West Haven CT 06516



Merrilee & George Gladkosky
145 N. Ridgeland Road
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Betsy Gumbart
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Linda Rankin
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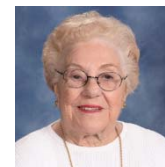
Betsey Reid
59 Fallon Drive
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Shirley Ryan
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Gloria Santamauro
67 Sackett Point Rd, #401
North Haven, CT 06473



Bob & Barbara Scheidecker
59 Grove Road
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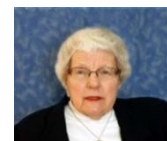
Herb & Ann Schneider
150 Cook Hill Road, Apt. 6106
Cheshire, CT 06410



Linda Shannon
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North Haven, CT 06473



Audrey Tilley
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Ramage 227 B
Wallingford, CT 06492



Jeff Whipple
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North Haven, CT 0647

September

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OFFICE HOURS

8:00 am to 12:00 pm

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October 18, 2024

LECTIONARY READINGS

September 1st (15th Sunday after Pentecost)

Song of Solomon 2:8-13 Psalm 45:1- 2, 6-9 or
Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9 Psalm 15
James 1:17-27 Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

September 8th (16th Sunday after Pentecost)

Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 Psalm 125 or
Isa 35:4-7a Psalm 146
James 2:1-10, (11-13), 14-17 Mark 7:24-37

September 15th (17th Sunday after Pentecost)

Proverbs 1:20-33 Psalm 19 or
Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 116 or
Wisdom of Sol 1:16-2:1, 12-22
James 3:1-12 Mark 8:27-38

September 22nd (18th Sunday after Pentecost)

Proverbs 31:10-31 Psalm 1 or
Wisdom of Sol 1:16-2:1, 12-22 or
Jeremiah 11:18-20 Psalm 54
James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a Mark 9:30-37

September 29th (19th Sunday after Pentecost)

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22 Psalm 124 or
Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29 Psalm 19:7-14
James 5:13-20 Mark 9:38-50

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