

### First Congregational Church

18 Andover Road, Billerica, MA 01821 — www.fccbillerica.org

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| Church Office                       | office@fccbillerica.org           | 978-663-8433   |
| Office Hours                        | Tuesday through Friday, 9:30-5:30 |                |
| Sunday Services                     |                                   | 10 am and 5 pm |
| Pilgrim Fellowship Youth Group (PF) | Sundays 7-8:30 pm                 |                |

#### CHURCH STAFF

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#### CHURCH OFFICERS

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|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|
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|                          |                  |              |
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| Stewardship              | OPEN             |              |

To submit bulletin announcements: Send to communications@fccbillerica.org  
by Wednesday evening at 5 pm.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### July Flowers:

- July 1 The flowers on the altar are given in honor of all past and present ministers by Ruth Elliot.
- July 8 The flowers on the altar are in loving memory of her grandparents, aunts and uncles by Susan Brown.
- July 15 The flowers on the altar are in loving memory of their son, Dennis Blanchette, Jr. by Dennis and Betty Blanchette.
- July 22 The flowers on the altar are in loving memory of Jeanne Dutton by Katherine and Jon Adams.
- July 29 The flowers on the altar are in loving memory of Andy Jennings, Jr., by his family.

**Join us after worship for coffee hour in the first floor Parlor.**

### Schedule of Events

**Please refer to the Lantern for the exact summer schedule.**

**Sundays:** Worship at 10 am  
Breakfast in the Parlor 9 am  
Coffee Hour in the Parlor 11:30 am

### Weekly:

Tue: Bible Study 6:30 pm  
Wed: Dinner Church 6pm

### Save the Dates!

**September 1:** Katherine and Jon are hosting a meet the ducks BBQ at their house in Bridgewater starting at 2pm. Please RSVP to Katherine or Taryn.

**September 15:** Yankee Doodle weekend Boiled Dinner. We will also have a booth at the festivities by the high school, come see us!

**September 16:** Rally Day! It's the first day of our Sunday School season and we'll have a BBQ afterwards, complete with entertainment!

# Don't forget!

- ◆ **Wanted! People to help with the Yankee Doodle Boiled Dinner.** Your assignment if you wish to accept it:
  - Able to count to 200 and shop for a LOT of food
  - Can cook a LOT of food and wash REALLY big pots
  - Can do all kinds of tasks the day of the dinnerSounds like fun right??? It is and you will not be alone! Please let Ellen Killam know by August (or before) if you can help (978) 670-6037 ejkillam@gmail.com Thank you!!!!
- ◆ **Wednesday night Dinner Church:** 6pm in the parlor. All are welcome, maybe you're away on the weekends? Join us!
- ◆ **100th birthday gathering:** Lillian Turner is turning 100 on July 8th and Lay Shepherds is having a small party for her at Billerica Crossings. If you'd like to send a card, please call Taryn for the address.
- ◆ **We need canopies!** We are hosting the Marshall food market on Thursday July 19 and August 16. In July Katherine's daughter is bringing her Senior High Mission trip to Massachusetts, so they will be our volunteers. We'll need volunteers in August, confirmands are welcome. Get a head start on your service hours. Please let Taryn know if you have a canopy you can loan us.
- ◆ **Sereni Tea** July 15, 2pm in Wilton NH. We will be carpooling up from Billerica, please rsvp to Taryn by July 10. \$40/person.
- ◆ **Community BBQ** July 19 from 4 to 6pm, after the Food Market. Everyone is welcome, come meet Reverend Duffy and her Mission trip group. RSVP to Taryn by July 16 so we have enough food.
- ◆ **Family Movie & Potluck Supper:** July 26, 6-9pm Join us for a potluck dinner and a great family movie. Movie title to be determined. Hope you can join us!

## First Congregational Church Prayer List

Prayers for Eddie Thompson, Kevin Corkery and Jason Pantano as they serve our country. Let us pray for protection and safety of all those who serve in the Military and all First Responders.

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| Bob Allard         | Angie Dubois            | Jim Marsden           |
| Doris Beaudoin     | Cathy Barrett Errickson | Dina Meagher          |
| Lucy Beland        | Sareena                 | Diane Morrison        |
| Ruth Boutilier     | Lindsay Ferraro         | Brooke Nagel          |
| Laurie Breen       | Dave Furlani            | Gloria Norman         |
| David Breen        | John German             | Rosemary Oeckl        |
| Julie Brown        | Mary ann Giardina       | Sam Offei-addo        |
| Gyanna Brown-Tello | Sandy Giles             | Esther Olson-Matthews |
| Daisy Coburn       | Jim Hamilton            | The Pantano Family    |
| Emily Coke         | Patricia Hamilton       | Arlyn Renkes          |
| Mark Cole          | Al Hasapis              | Florine Rogers        |
| Keith Cummings     | Millie Hazen            | Virginia Rogers       |
| C.J. Cummings      | Pat Hefler              | Daniel Sanchez        |
| Judy D'Antonio     | Peter Hicks             | Keara Schmidt         |
| John DiGiovanni    | Jane LaBua              | Maria Scorpio         |
| Ruth DiGiovanni    | Gladys Leavitt          | Sandra Silver         |
| Laura Doerfler     | James Longuemare        | Cindy Tomlin          |
|                    | Elizabeth Mahoney       | Joshua Young          |

*Come to me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. – Mt 11:28*

Please notify the church office or Rev. Katherine when you are hospitalized or in need of pastoral care. Due to HIPAA laws we are not notified by hospitals. You can add or remove a name to the prayer list by notifying the church office. Please have permission from the person you are listing.

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**The Deacons are looking for Greeters and Readers** for July and August. The sign up sheet is outside the parlor. People also are needed to set up coffee hour. Everything is here, you just need to make coffee and set everything up. Bringing extras is appreciated but not required. That sign up sheet is outside the parlor. Thank you to those that already signed up!