

The Federated Church of Hyannis

Weekly News
October 13, 2019

Our Deacon of the Day is Wendy McKay. Greeter: Pamela Frazier. Ushers: Pamela Brown, Janice Cliggott, Faye LaVallee and Christine Werner

Thank you to our reader today, Bob Macallister. Bob joined the Federated Church in the fall of 1984. Since then, he has served on various committees including Church, Finance, Diaconate and 100th Anniversary. A past President, he is currently on the Transition Team. He and Linda were married May 4, 2007.



We remember in Prayer: (If you have a prayer request, please contact Robin Fryer in the church office at 508-775-0298).

Prayers for Susan Godoy – 289 South St., Hyannis, MA

***Prayers for Pamela Hammond** who is facing surgery at Cape Cod Hospital – 200 Stevens Street, Hyannis, MA 02601

Prayers for Donald Rose, cousin to Rene King.

YOU'RE INVITED! There will be a Stewardship Luncheon held in Baldwin Hall on **Sunday, October 20th** following regular worship services. This is a complimentary luncheon. We hope you will all join us.

FROM THE PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE – The Search Committee moves into the fall season with great enthusiasm as we continue to review and discuss the Ministerial Profiles sent along to the committee from UCC conference headquarters in Framingham.

WANTED! We are looking for people who want to help with ushering and greeting at the Sunday services. Please write your contact information on the sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board outside the church office. Thank you very much, Dot Sullivan

ALSO WANTED! We are also looking for folks to sign up as Lay Readers on Sunday. Please choose a Sunday and put your name on the list posted on the bulletin board outside the Church office. Robin will send you the reading via email or via mail (if you prefer) well in advance of the Sunday. And also there will be a copy placed on the Lectern for you. We look forward to having you participate.

UPCOMING WEEK'S EVENTS

October 13	6:00 pm	NA Meeting in Fellowship Hall
October 14	10:00-12:00	Free Café in Baldwin Hall
October 14	7:30 pm	Al-Anon in Baldwin Hall
October 14	7:30 pm	AA Meeting in Fellowship Hall
October 15	7:30 pm	NA Meeting in the Resource Room
October 15	10:00-12:00	Free Café in Baldwin Hall
October 15	10:30 am	Finance Committee Meeting in the Parlor
October 16	12:00 pm	AA Meeting in Baldwin Hall
October 16	6:00 pm	Brazilian Church in Baldwin Hall
October 16	6:30 pm	Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
October 17	5:45 pm	NA Meeting in the Resource Room
October 17	7:30 pm	Women's AA in Baldwin Hall
October 19	7:30 pm	NA Meeting in Baldwin Hall
October 19	4:00 pm	Wedding Ceremony of Tirza DaChunha and Chris Ferretti in the Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

<u>Month</u>	<u>Birthdays</u>	<u>Anniversaries</u>
October	Vicki Marchant 1	Michael & Susan Yarusites 2
	Nancy Shea 11	Bob & Rita Jones 21
	Dot Sullivan 13	Wendy & Bill McKay 28
	Barbara Davis 19	
	Linda Webb 21	
	Susan Godoy 26	
	Bob Phear 29	
	Sherrie Scudder 31	



AN OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS FAIR

Christmas Commons will be held on **Saturday, November 23rd**. This year, we will be in Baldwin Hall, the parlor and hallway (and sanctuary if needed). Helpers/elves are needed for making items, baking, donating items. Ideas welcome! More to come but please contact Carol Wroblewski with all suggestions and ideas! 508-398-2481

And please join us on **Thursdays from 10:00 to 2:00** for our craft workshop in preparation for our Christmas fair. Bring your lunch and ideas for craft items. Questions: see Chris Werner, Dot Sullivan, Faye LaVallee and/or Jan Cliggott.

OCTOBER & NOVEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH: Our Church's Mission for October and November is to accept monetary donations benefiting the Salvation's Army Hyannis Corps "Dress A Live Doll" holiday program, an event that provides children age 12 and under with clothing, and their program "Teens Love Christmas" which provides gift cards for teenagers. Please make your checks payable to the Federated Church. Mission Committee members will then shop, wrap and deliver purchased items to the Salvation Army. Thank you for your continued support.

ADVENT PROJECT ~ Operation Christmas Child

This Advent Season we will partner with our friends from the Brazilian Presbyterian Church to send shoebox gifts to children overseas via the national organization, Operation Christmas. How can you help? You and or members of your family can fill empty shoeboxes with a "wow" item, fun toys, school supplies, hygiene items, and notes of encouragement. *Please see the hand-out in the Narthex for suggestions and what not to include.* Gift-filled shoeboxes are due to the church the week of November 10-15, delivery to Drop-Off site ~ Sunday, November 17 (after coffee hour). Thank you, the Mission Committee

Mugs for Missions: A reminder and thank you...to date, we have been able to donate \$200 to A Baby Center using your donated loose change. Thank you and please continue to fill your mug and bring your change to church in a zip lock bag the last Sunday *of each month*. We are going to be running this campaign at least through December.

LOOKING FOR PICTURES – If anyone took pictures on the Hy-Line Cruise last week and would be willing to share them, please contact Sherrie Scudder at 774-994-0918.



From the Friendly Thrift Shop

New hours as of October 1, 2019:

Thursday and Friday: 10:00 to 3:00

Saturday: closed

Autumn is here and the colorful leaves are slow to turn pretty orange and yellow this season. This October we'll be offering another fun sale!. We'll have a glass dish decorated like a pumpkin filled with pumpkin-shaped discount cards!

Our Autumn discount sale will start on Thursday, October 10th and will end on Friday, October 18th. When you come up to the desk with your purchases, you'll choose a pumpkin discount card! You'll find a discount of 10%, 30%, 40% or even the big 50% off your entire purchase!

Come in early as we're open from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm on Thursdays and Fridays.

Bring a friend along with you and start your holiday shopping early!

We're in need of nice, gently used.....boots, winter hats, gloves, blankets, sheet sets, books, spoons and forks and knick-knacks.

I thank you all very much for all of your support by donating your gifts and volunteering with us. This important ministry wouldn't be possible without your help all year. Please keep your gifts coming.

In faith and blessings, Wendy McKay