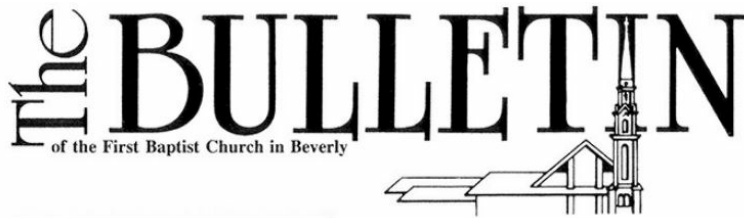


FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH IN BEVERLY

A progressive and welcoming Christian community

Tomorrow kicks off Julie's new Lenten Book Study Class, plus, there's many more ways to get involved outlined below AND on our new *Lent 2023 webpage* if you are ready to be transformed through the elements of Lent this year!



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Get
Involved

Worship with
Us

Worship With Us!

Join us this Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Beverly for Worship at 10:00 am. This week is Communion Sunday.

Everyone is invited to wear the focus color for each week's element to worship every Sunday in Lent as a way to think about the element – this could be anything from a whole outfit to a touch of the color in an accessory, etc. This week you are encouraged to **wear green** for Sunday's focus on the element of earth. Each week going forward you are welcome to follow the color theme with us!

**Reminder* if you are joining us via YouTube, please bring your own elements of Communion to have at the ready.*

Rev. Julie Flowers, Preaching
First Baptist Church in Beverly
Scripture: John 9:1-7

Sunday, March 5, 2023
Second Sunday in Lent +
Communion Sunday

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Transformative Elements of Lent: Earth Eyes



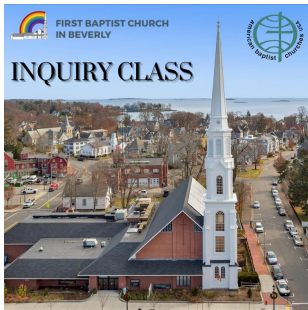
YouTube Channel Link for
Worship/Videos

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Click [HERE](#) to
view our Lent
Calendar!

Opening of brand new infant and toddler room on Sunday!

This Sunday we are so pleased to be opening our new Infant and Toddler room; a welcoming and gentle space for our youngest friends, ages 2 and below. Wonderful care providers will be ready and waiting to greet our youngest church friends who may need care during the worship hour. Children are, of course, also welcome to remain in worship with their grownups. As always, we encourage each family to do what is best for them but are very excited to provide this option for our youngest members of the FBC Family!



Starts this Sunday & runs every Sunday at 4:15 pm through March. Shoot *Julie* or *Daniel* an email to sign up or just show up!



Please *sign up with Julie* by this Sunday, March 5th or you can reach out to her this Sunday to learn more about the process.



Give of yourself this Lenten season as we spread love, justice and peace to greater Beverly through ECCO. *Register HERE & connect with Daniel.*



Thanks to Spiritual Life, the Labyrinth is back available to walk every Sunday during Lent from 9:00-10:00 am in the FBC gym.



Now's the time to order your Easter lilies and tulips: \$9.25 for lilies and \$8.00 for tulips. *Orders are Due to Pat by Sunday, March 26th or 978-922-3295.*

A Photo Recap from the First Sunday in Lent

(Photo submissions courtesy of Lisa LaPlante~ Thanks Lisa!)



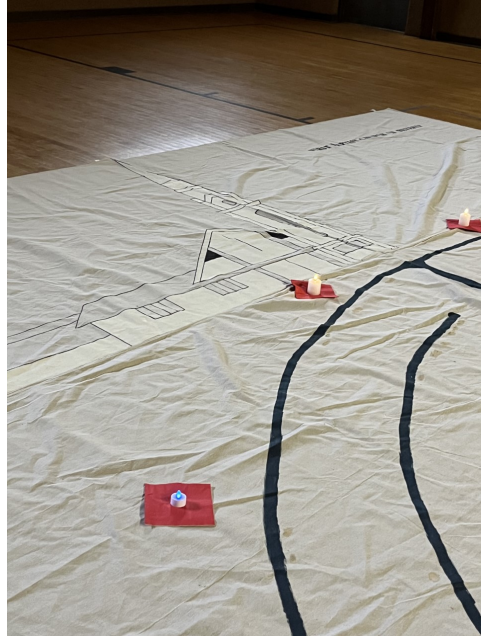
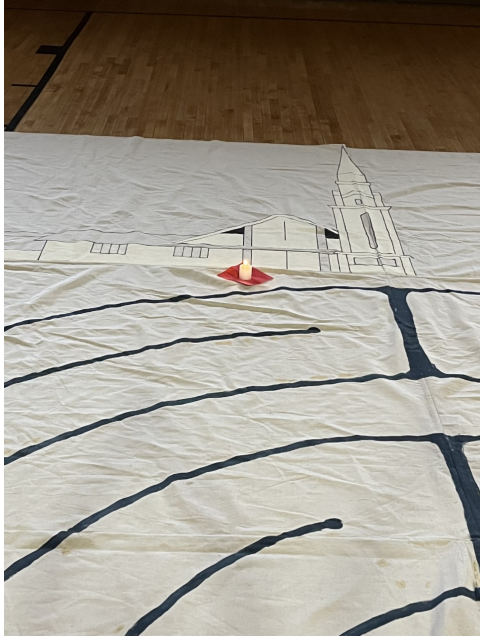
Daniel sharing his Stepsitters moment with some of our youth comparing fire to his red ribbon used for Pentecost Sunday.



Who is having more fun here; Daniel or the children?! :)



Taking a quiet moment to walk our FBC Beverly Labyrinth... now available every Sunday thru Lent in the gym from 9:00-10:00 am!



A Picture of the Week Ahead



Coffee Hour Zoom
Link



THE GOSPEL OF PETER

*A new Lenten Book
Study Class led by
Julie on Thursdays
at 7:15 pm*

Lectio Divina continues Friday with Daniel at 5 pm.

Join us in the Lounge or via Zoom!



Lectio Divina Zoom
Link



Worship Ensemble will continue to rock at rehearsal this Sunday immediately after Worship. Next week on Sunday, March 12th is their big debut & you won't want to miss it!

FBC Beverly's

Parents' Night Out!

Typically the 1st Friday of each month from 6:00-8:30 pm.

This Friday, March 3rd is our next PNO!

Drop your kids off for a FREE night of fun, dinner & art/music with caregivers

Volunteers will engage the youth in activities not unlike a progressive-minded Vacation Bible School

Parents/Caregivers are encouraged to grab dinner, meet friends, run errands

Everyone has a happy and fulfilling evening and feels renewed!

Questions about PNO?
Just email Rev. Julie Flowers at
jflowers@fbcbeverly.org



Word Searchers



The Word Searchers adult Bible study group will examine the conclusion of the story that we began to look at last week, specifically focusing on John 7:37-52. Jesus has been in Jerusalem during one of the most important week-long festivals of the year, and he has attracted a lot of attention. Will the repeated efforts of some to have him arrested finally work? Come and find out!



FBC BEVERLY'S

THEOLOGY ON TAP



TUESDAY, MARCH 7
@ 8:00PM

POST RESTAURANT
@ 16 BAY ROAD IN
HAMILTON

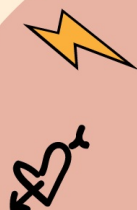
PICKLEBALL... IT'S KIND OF A BIG DILL!



**SEE YOU ON THE COURT AT
FBC BEVERLY MONDAYS @ 7:00 PM!**

**SEE YOU
ON 3/12!**

Youth



Class

Meets next on March 12 immediately following Worship!

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Music gives a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and life to everything. - Plato

Pictured below are delighted members of Esther's Children's Choir in action rehearsing.

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PENCIL IN FBC!

March

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Thursday

Julie's Lenten Book Study Class

The first class in this series on the non-canonical Gospel of Peter goes from 7:15-8:30 pm. A Zoom link can be provided on request.

March

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Friday

Parents' Night Out

PNO runs the usual time from 6:00-8:30 pm and if you or a parent or caregiver you know need a few hours to yourself to grocery shop, grab dinner with a friend, etc., this is your time! The children have a ball and we feed and entertain them at this beloved monthly offering, so tell your friends in the community!

March

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Sunday

Labyrinth Set Up in the Gym to Walk

Walk the Labyrinth from 9:00-10:00 am now available every Sunday during Lent in the Gym.

March

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Tuesday

Theology On Tap

Join us this upcoming Tuesday at 8:00 pm for TOT at Post Restaurant. Bring your thirst for lively Biblical discussion and a hunger for fellowship as we commune together at this new favorite spot!

March

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Tuesday

Delightful Dinner

Save-the-Date for another fun night of fellowship and food at FBC! Details to follow!

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