

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH IN BEVERLY

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THE BULLETIN

of the First Baptist Church in Beverly



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Get
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Worship with
Us

For worship this Sunday – ALL you handcrafty people out (knitters, crocheters, needlepointers, quilters, and more!) are invited to bring a piece which you are currently working on and are invited to engage in handcrafting while in the pews during the worship service. As we celebrate Handcrafters' Tools this week, we would love to see the work of folks' hands actively taking shape during our service of worship!

Worship With Us!

Join us for our **Worship Service** this **Communion Sunday, June 2, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.** either in person or via our *FBC YouTube Channel*.

Friendly Reminder to bring your own Elements of Communion to have ready if you'll be joining via Livestream.

Notes for Sunday:

- The Infant/Toddler room will be open during worship this week.
- Littlest Learners will meet during worship this week and there WILL be a program for Elementary friends after Stepsitters time.
- The Prayground will be open for the enjoyment of our Elementary and younger friends & their families to use during worship.
- The Youth Pew is available for youth in grades 5-12 to enjoy worship together with peers.
- Middle School Fellowship meets from 4-6 p.m. this week as they embrace the great outdoors with a walk in the woods. Senior High Fellowship will meet at a special time of 1:30 p.m. to attend Beverly High School graduation!



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REV. JULIE FLOWERS,
PREACHING

Communion Sunday,
June 2, 2024

**HANDCRAFTERS'
TOOLS**

Scripture: Acts 9:36-42

Image showing hands holding a ball of orange yarn and two wooden knitting needles.

Click [HERE](#) to join Worship via Livestream on
Sunday

ANNOUNCEMENTS

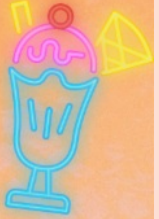
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view our Web
Calendar

Tonight's the Night!

FBC's Annual Meeting

Wednesday, May 29, 2024

from 7-9 p.m.



Make-your-own
sundaes as we gather
together tonight!
Looking forward to it!

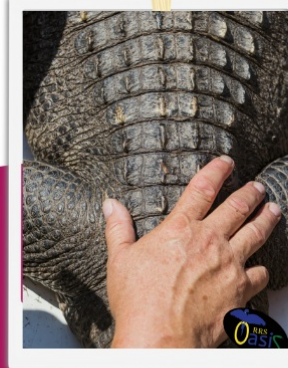


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It's our FINAL PNO of the church program year and school year, and we're HAVING A PARTY!

FBC'S FINAL

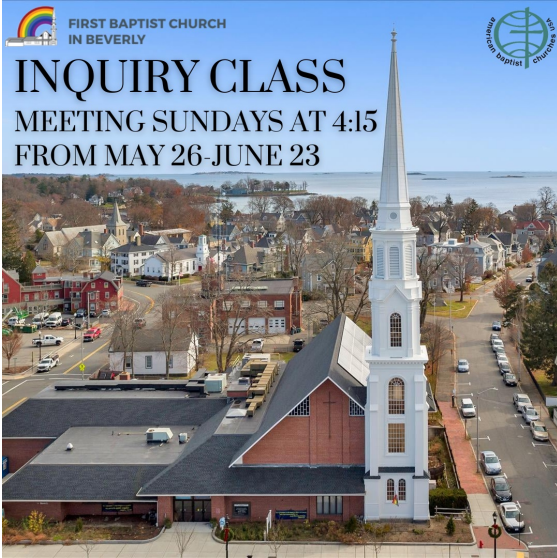
PNO OF THE SCHOOL YEAR!



FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 6:00-8:30 P.M.

Children and youth of all ages
won't want to miss the
Rainforest Reptiles live show
and local artist Bruce Orr
bringing the creativity!

Inquiry Class Offered at FBC



Meeting NOW through June 23 on Sundays at 4:15 p.m.

An Inquiry Class is forming for those new to FBC who would like to know more about the First Baptist Church, our history, our values, and our hopes for the future - as well as to explore what it means to be an American Baptist, and more!

The class is hosted by Rev. Julie Flowers and Dr. Daniel Johnson and meets for three more sessions (one hour each) and childcare will be provided. This is a fun and relaxed way to meet nice people!

Please *email Julie* or *Daniel* with your interest or any questions!

Time to Build Hope!

You are cordially invited to the groundbreaking of The Lighthouse Center (TLC) at Anchor Point in Beverly. This community building will provide childcare, after school programming, skills and career training for adults, public health space, technology and more. TLC will be transformational for residents of Harborlight Homes properties, ensuring that they can break the cycle of poverty and thrive.

Friday, June 14, at 1:00 p.m. at 108 Sohier Road in Beverly

Property tours of the existing Anchor Point residence will be offered at 12:30 p.m. following the groundbreaking.

TLC will serve as a brick and mortar manifestation of the service-enriched housing offered by Harborlight Homes. It will be built and furnished entirely by donations; the public campaign is now open, with the potential for naming rights or to purchase a paver to support this mission. First Baptist Church is a major, early supporter of the philanthropy that allowed the building to be constructed. Church member Tracey Armstrong, who led the successful first phase of the capital campaign, will be speaking.

HARBORLIGHT HOMES
BUILDING STABILITY AND OPPORTUNITY

Time to Build Hope!

Groundbreaking
**THE LIGHTHOUSE CENTER
at ANCHOR POINT**

*Join Harborlight Homes to honor this milestone:
transformational in breaking the poverty cycle and improving
the lives and outcomes for families.*

Friday, June 14th, 2024, 1pm-2:30pm*
108 Sohier Road, Beverly
*Optional Anchor Point Property Tours
Beginning at 12:30pm and after program until 2:30pm

Contact Bethany to RSVP or for more information:
BBlake@harborlighthomes.org or (978) 473-7153

The Lighthouse Center

You can't go back and change the beginning but you can start where you are and change the ending.
- C.S. Lewis

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As members of RIM (Refugee Immigration Ministry), FBC and other North Shore churches sponsor local asylum-seeking families until they can become self-supporting.

Donate *HERE* to RIM's annual Walk for Refugees fundraiser, which will take place on June 23. Note: the gathering time for the walk is 3:30 p.m. and the walk itself starts at 4:00 p.m.

We are still in need of **summer clothing for the children of our Beverly RIM family**: Children include a boy size 10; a boy size 7/8; and a girl size 5/6. Gently used clothing is fine. Donations can be left in the church office; *Thank You!*

Walk With PRIDE on Saturday, June 22nd

Join us as we walk with PRIDE at the *North Shore Pride Parade* on Saturday, June 22nd from 12:00-1:00 pm.

Please RSVP to Julie so that we can get a headcount and know whom to keep an eye out for in the staging area, as well! Staging is at Shetland Park, 27 Congress Street, Salem, and we'd like to gather at 11:15 a.m.

All are welcome as this is an event for ALL ages, and families are encouraged to walk with our group (and we will provide wagons to pull our youngest friends, and strollers are welcome too!) Participants are encouraged to make or bring signs of welcome and love to carry, if they wish, and we'll have flags to wave too.

RSVP to Julie that you plan to join us for Pride on Saturday, June 22nd!



Tickets are now on Sale:



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SAVE-THE-DATE

RIVERSIDE RENAISSANCE SWING BAND IS BACK AT FBC BEVERLY!



Benefit Concert for Amirah, Inc.

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2024
7-9 PM

Tickets Available: \$20/Adult,
\$15 Seniors 65+, Children &
Youth 18 & Under are FREE!

Get Your Tickets Available
NOW

Together Again!

Zoom Coffee
Hour
Thursdays
@ 10am



Coffee Time

[Zoom Coffee Hour Link](#)

Lectio Divina continues Friday with Daniel and Friends at 5:00 pm.

Join us in the Lounge or via Zoom!



[Lectio Divina Zoom
Link](#)

Word Searchers

Join the Word Searchers this Sunday at 11:30 in the Conference Room for our next to last session together before we break for the summer months. Once again, we only managed to get through about half of our planned chapters last time, so our task this week will be to mop up our close reading of 1 John chapter 3 and then move on through chapter 4. We hope to see you there!



We're back! Monday in the FBC Gym at 7:00 p.m.~
See you there!

500 ML • 7.5% ALC.
FBC'S THEOLOGY ON TAP
• HANDCRAFTED WHEAT BEER •

BEST SERVED
CHILLED: TUESDAY,
6/4/2024



LOCALLY
BREWED IN
BEVERLY, MA



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³⁹ So Peter rose and went with them. And when he arrived, they took him to the upper room. All the widows stood beside him weeping and showing tunics and other garments that Dorcas made while she was with them. — Acts 9:39

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PENCIL IN FBC

May

29

Wednesday

FBC's Annual Meeting

Tonight's the night from 7:00-9:00 p.m. for our church annual meeting.

June

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Tuesday

Theology On Tap

Meet you at the *Kitchen Table in Beverly* at 8 o'clock for a brew, a bite and this favorite time of FBC Fellowship together!

June

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Friday

Parents' Night Out

It's the final PNO of the school year from 6:00-8:30 p.m., and we have some EXTRA special fun in store including *Rainforest Reptiles' LIVE animal show* PLUS *local artist Bruce Orr* coming to engage with our youth thru a customized art program! Mark your calendars as this is only ten days away!

June

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Sunday

Forum with AMOS Health & Hope of Nicaragua

Save-the-Date for a special luncheon and discussion with Adam Balduff of AMOS Health and Hope, beginning at 11:30 a.m.

June

14

Friday

Harborlight Homes' Groundbreaking for the Lighthouse Center at Anchor Point

Everyone is invited from 1:00-2:30 p.m. (optional tours begin at 12:30 p.m.) at 108 Sohier Road, Beverly to honor this exciting milestone!

June

18

Tuesday

FBC Sponsors \$1 Movie Night at The Cabot

Come out for the best deal in town and also support this important Community Conversation at The Cabot! Join us for the showing of "Origin" as part of this upcoming Beverly conversation surrounding the origins of Juneteenth and the state of Race Relations in the U.S.

June

22

Saturday

FBC Walking in North Shore Pride Parade

Everyone is invited to join us as a group walking in the North Shore Pride Parade (the parade starts at Noon, so we would plan to meet in Salem at Shetland Park by 11:15 a.m.). You might recall from attending or seeing the photos from last year, but this community event is fun for ALL ages, and we would love to have families, individuals, everyone all come join! We would like to have a general sense of our group size for the parade, so people can [email Julie](#) if you plan on joining!

June

23

Sunday

Refugee Immigration Ministries Fundraising Walk

Join us at 3:00 p.m. beginning at 1 Church St., Wakefield, MA as we support this year's Annual R.I.M. Fundraising Walk! FBC members can participate in two ways: (1) by walking and encouraging others to sponsor you ([contact Barbara Brann-Weir](#) for details) and (2) by donating to sponsor someone who is already walking, using FBC's R.I.M. Walk fundraising page available [HERE](#).

June

28

Friday

The Riverside Renaissance Swing Band is BACK! Save-The-Date for their Benefit Concert at FBC

Our friends from RRSB are back to perform from 7:00-9:00 p.m. for their second benefit concert here at FBC, all proceeds benefiting exploited women through Amirah. Tickets will run \$20/Adults, \$15 for Seniors 65+, Kids 10-18 are FREE! Get your tickets [HERE](#)!

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