



July 29, 2022

CHURCH SERVICE 10:00 AM

NEW Office Hours

Mon, Wed, Thurs 10am-1pm

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Birthdays

Beth Anderson	7/29
Ellen Hefler	7/31
Olivia Bumpus	8/1
Bruce MacGregor	8/1
Kelly Burnap	8/2
Mathew Kneeland	8/3
Cheryl Wilson	8/4
Bailey Roy	8/5
Sharon Lankford	8/7
Sandra Robinson	8/7

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Last Week's E-Light

Please Join Us

Pastor Fred may be on vacation, but our worship goes on.

July 31 10:00am service theme is "Faith in Action: Habitat for Humanity"
Lay Leaders James McMonigle & Jeff Healy
Reflection by Colin Penny, Executive Director of South County
Habitat for Humanity

We hope to see you at this inspirational service led by our very own congregants!

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Fellowship of Friends

Church Family Life (CFL) would like to gather church friends and members to attend the following music events at the Summer Concerts on the Village Green next to the Neighborhood Guild. All events @ 5:30pm.



- July 31** **Cee Cee & the Riders** - selections from classic, modern, and original blues.
- August 7** **Country Wild Heart** – newest, hottest contemporary country dance and show band that knows how to excite and entertain.
- August 14** **Nickel Juke Box** - is a 6-piece all-Motown band that began in 2011. This band incorporates rock, blues, jazz, punk, country. Jam band and psychedelic music into their sound.
- August 21** **Greystone Rail** - have been making music together since the early sixties and singing popular Bluegrass and Country.
- August 28** **John Connors and the Irish Express** - A fan favorite year after year. It doesn't get more Irish - Classic songs and a few toe tapping tunes.

Bring your blankets, beach chairs, picnic baskets and dancing shoes!

Look for Gabby wearing a Sombrero and set-up your chairs to meet your fellow church members, new and old for some music and food. If you need a ride, please call me (Gabby) 401-783-0244 prior to each Friday event.

Looking forward to making memorable moments!

Submitted by Gabby Klensch

Worship Flowers



Anyone interested in donating flowers please contact Wendy Sisson at Wendyhighschool@gmail.com or by text or phone at 401.932.2055.

Available dates are Sundays in August, September and October. Flowers are a beautiful way to remember a loved one, celebrate a special occasion or simply give to the glory of God. I look forward to hearing from you!

Thank you, Wendy

Worship Update



We will continue to have a 10:00am Combined Style Worship Service for the remainder of the summer and throughout the fall. We invite you to experience the format of this worship style and share some feedback with the

Board of Deacons.

Contact members: Jeff Healy, Velena Foster, Val Lowell, Linda Redmond, Keith Bruns, Tom Heald, Barbara Gilbert, or Renee LaMontagne

On the Calendar



**Betty Nickerson
(1928-2022)**

Friday, September 9 @ 11am
Memorial Service
PDCC Sanctuary

Sunday, September 11 @ 2pm
Organ Tribute & Recital
PDCC Sanctuary

Habitat for Humanity Breakfast
Saturday, September 10 @ 7-10am

Solar Dedication
Sunday, September 18 @ 2pm

Pumpkin Palooza and White Elephant Sale
Saturday, October 8 @ 11am-2pm
(Rain date Saturday, October 15)

White Elephants



Continued thanks for sharing your overstocks. We appreciate them. Please no books, CD's, cassettes or records, computer hardware or clothing. Yes, for small furniture, lamps, housewares, toys and in particular items for our fall Pumpkin Palooza Saturday October 8th. Items that have fall colors work well.

Volunteer to add prices
Thurs. 8/4 from 2 to 4 PM.

(508) 395-1172
jane.stabile@outlook.com
Or just show up!

PLEASE HELP! I really need some pricing help. **Work day next week is Thursday 8/4 from 2 to 4 PM.** It's easy work and cool in the cellar. See/call Jane for info and to volunteer jane.stabile@outlook.com or 508 395-1172. Looking forward to working with you. Plus getting together offers great fellowship. No skill required. I wear a mask because it can be damp down there. jane.stabile@outlook.com

What is Faith Build?

Habitat for Humanity is a Christian ministry with a mission to put God's love into action by bringing people together to build homes, communities, and hope.



Faith Build brings members of local congregations together to live out their faith in a new way. Members of the faith community can participate in our Faith Build by:

- Praying for our mission to build and renovate homes in South County
- Collaborate with participating congregations to help raise funds
- Participate in an on-site volunteer experience
- Spread the word about Habitat to make a life-changing impact for local families

September 10, 2022 @ 7-10am. Get your tickets this week when Colin Penny, Executive Director of South County Habitat for Humanity, will be speaking in church at the 10:00 am service.

Since 1990, South County Habitat for Humanity, which identifies as an ecumenical Christian organization, has had volunteers from diverse, local faith communities, including Peace Dale Congregational Church, join together in their mission of putting God's love into action by building homes. www.southcountyhabitat.org

South County Habitat for Humanity's current affordable housing construction project is taking place on Mooresfield Road in Kingston. With this opportunity, churches and faith communities of all sizes are welcome to volunteer cooperatively and help meet the crucial need for affordable housing.

The South County Habitat Faith Relations Committee is building this home on a foundation on Faith and is challenging the Faith community to raise \$15,000 towards the cost of the foundation. **Peace Dale Congregational will be the site for a fundraising breakfast on**

Submitted by Claudia Swain

In the Know: Local Resources



Ramp Up RI

This new program through South County Habitat for Humanity is for low-income homeowners in Washington County in need of a handicap ramp for themselves or a household member. Staff and volunteers work together to build a ramp for those who qualify. *Eligible projects are funded through grants and no-interest loans.* Info and application online at southcountyhabitat.org/programs or (401) 213-6711.



Ombudsman Program

Rhode Island's Long-Term Care Ombudsman advocates on behalf of residents in care facilities, listening to their concerns and taking action to protect their rights.

To learn more about the Ombudsman program and/or to report suspected abuse of a person living in a care facility (such as an assisted living or nursing home), contact the **Alliance for Better Long Term Care** at (401) 785-3340 or toll-free at 1-888-351-0808. <https://alliancebltc.org/>



Legal Questions? We can Help!

Meet with an attorney virtually, courtesy of the Rhode Island Coalition to End Homelessness! Attorneys are available for a 20-minute consult to answer any legal questions. Our Legal Clinic Coordinators will also provide community resources. You can sign up with any staff at **The Warm Center!**

Get in touch with us

Latonya Pete
(401) 206-0474

Latonya@rihomeless.org

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Where

The Warm Center
56 Spruce Street
Westerly, RI 02891

When

Fourth Monday of every month, from noon until 2pm.



Ways to support PDCC



Generate donations to the church when you shop on smile.amazon.com and select Peace Dale Congregational Church as your benefit organization.



RaiseRight[™]

Formerly ShopWithScrip

Available each week after the 10:00am service.

Every retailer gives money back to the church for the money you spend. Ex., Brickley's Ice Cream is giving us a 20% rebate.

(Formerly Scrip) In addition to grocery and pharmacy gift cards and others we have in stock, many cards are available to treat yourself or thank someone else. For a complete listing of participating retailers, view the [Retailer List](https://www.raiseright.com/brands) (<https://www.raiseright.com/brands>)

The following cards are available in stock to treat yourself or thank someone else:

Brickley's Ice Cream (\$5; giving us a 20% rebate)	
Dunkin' (\$10 & \$25)	Panera (\$10 & \$25)
Starbucks (\$10 & \$25)	Amazon (\$25 & \$100)
Marshall's (\$25)	Walmart (\$25)
Applebee's (\$25)	Old Mountain Lanes (\$25)
Matunuck Oyster Bar (\$50)	

Questions? Contact Deb Shaw at dkshaw5@cox.net

July Mission

This month, our mission collection will support Neighbors in Need.

Neighbors in Need is a special mission offering of the UCC that supports ministries of justice and compassion throughout the U.S. In the past year, their "Unfailing Love" campaign focused on supporting organizations and projects that serve homeless and immigrant neighbors or communities.



One-third of the Neighbors in Need funds support the Council of American Indian Ministry; the rest of funds support a variety of justice initiatives, advocacy efforts and direct service projects through grants.

www.peacedalechurch.org/missions



Peace Dale

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

“CALLED BY CHRIST TO CREATE SHALOM AND JUSTICE FOR ALL”

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PDCC welcomes your input.

*If you have anything you'd like included in the newsletter, please forward your request(s)
to the church office (by noon the day before the newsletter is published)*

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