

# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH IN BEVERLY

*A progressive and welcoming Christian community*

# THE BULLETIN

of the First Baptist Church in Beverly



*A progressive and welcoming Christian community!*

[Get Involved](#)

[Worship with Us](#)

This week is bittersweet and exciting as we bring our Middle School and Sr. High Youth Fellowship programs to a close for the season and host our final PNO before summer. We also have plenty to celebrate! Rachel Schneider will be cashing in her joint-sermon prize from the Holiday Fair in November, and the fun will continue after worship with a special coffee hour honoring all of our wonderful First Baptist volunteers. Please stay after worship to celebrate (& be celebrated!) in Wilbur Hall!

## Worship With Us!

Join us for our **Worship Service** this **Sunday, June 14th, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.**, either in person or via our [FBC YouTube Channel](#).

*Join us immediately after worship this week for our Volunteer Appreciation Coffee Hour in Wilbur Hall!*

*Notes for Sunday:*

- Fun fact: The sermon Sunday is in response to a prompt provided by Rachel Schneider who won a "joint sermon from Julie and Daniel" in the Holiday Fair auction last November!
- All children of kindergarten age and younger will meet in the Littlest Learners room this week.
- The Prayground will be open as worship begins to allow our elementary-age and younger friends to enter into the quiet enjoyment of worship in a flexible child-friendly space.
- The Youth Pew is available for youth in grades 5-12 to enjoy worship together with peers.

PREACHERS:  
REV. JULIE FLOWERS &  
REV. DANIEL JOHNSON



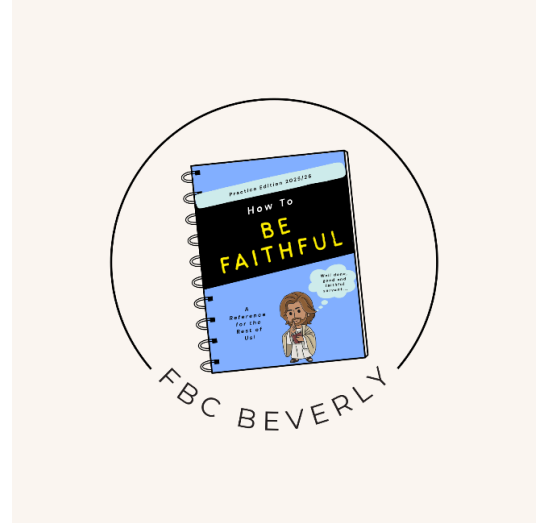
SUNDAY,  
JUNE 14, 2026  
SCRIPTURE:  
MATTHEW 7:15-20

## “INTERVIEW PREP”



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

- Middle School Fellowship meets from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. at Lynch Park and Sr. High Fellowship meets at 6 p.m. in the Narthex.



## YOUTH FELLOWSHIP NOTES FOR THE GRAND FINALE OF THIS PROGRAM YEAR!

### Middle School Fellowship

**Sunday, June 14th: End-of-Year Middle School Party at Lynch Park (weather permitting)**

***Note Special Time: 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. - Plan to be dropped off and picked up at Lynch Park! In the event of inclement weather, we will meet at FBC.***

It's hard to believe, but this coming Sunday is the final Middle School Fellowship program of the 2025-2026 Program Year before the summer break – and that means the Annual End-of-Year Middle School Party is here! Middle Schoolers will gather at Lynch Park (weather permitting; bad weather will find the group at First Baptist, but still ready to celebrate!) from 1:30 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. for an afternoon of fun and games, beach time and play, snacks and ice cream, not to mention the opportunity to welcome new rising 5th grade friends (this year's 4th grade class) and to say goodbye our graduating 8th graders and wish them well as they step into their Sr. High Fellowship adventures! Youth are encouraged to bring a blanket or towel on which to sit, as well as to bring a (peanut and tree nut free) snack to share to add to the celebration. Additionally, youth should dress for the weather and are welcome to bring or wear a bathing suit, as well, if they wish. Please remember to pack sunscreen and layers in case it gets hotter or cooler than expected and feel free to bring a favorite outdoor game to play, too. Invite friends along for the fun – especially any rising 5th graders who would love to start to get in on all the fun before its their turn to join Middle School Fellowship next year! Youth should be dropped off and picked up at Lynch Park; please let Julie know as soon as possible if transportation is an issue, so that advisors can be sure all youth who wish to attend can make it to the park for the party!



### Senior High Fellowship

**Sunday, June 14th: Annual Closing Banquet, Awards, and Closing Ceremony  
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Meet in the Narthex (lobby) at First Baptist Church**

Although it feels hard to believe, the end of the 2025-2026 Program Year has arrived for Sr. High Fellowship, making this Sunday the final regular Sunday program before the summer break. Sr. High youth and advisors will gather for the Annual (long-time tradition!) of the Closing Banquet and Awards, followed by a closing time to wrap up the Fellowship year and to send graduates out on the next steps of their journey with love and care. Youth and advisors are invited to dress up for this event (whatever that means for each person – but it is not uncommon to choose to really dress to impress, so have fun with it!) and to come enjoy a special closing dinner together on Sunday evening. Following dinner, the advisors will follow the annual tradition of presenting an award to each youth, based on the moments and happenings of the past Fellowship year! The evening will close with a candlelight time in the sanctuary, as they group says goodbye to graduates and wraps up this year together. The Banquet is a special and long-time Sr. High Fellowship tradition – and a much-loved one! – please come and make it even more with your presence!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



Our 2025-2026 church program year is drawing to its close in a few short weeks, and over the course of this month, many of our regular programs, committees meetings, and volunteer commitments and roles are pausing for the summer, too - which makes this a PERFECT time for us to come together so our FBC staff can celebrate and offer our appreciation to the MANY amazing volunteers who make this church community so joyful, so thriving, so fun, so warm and welcoming, so full of fellowship, so welcoming for children and youth, so community meal-y, so financially sound, so musical, so social action oriented, so worshipful, so lay visited, so Holiday Fair-ful, so prayer shawl-ful, and MORE!

Daniel, Julie, and Esther are hosting a VOLUNTEER THANK YOU CELEBRATION COFFEE HOUR for ALL First Baptist volunteers of ALL kinds on **Sunday, June 14th**, following worship! If you have volunteered at First Baptist in ANY capacity this year, this is a celebration of YOU! We hope you will stay and join us in Wilbur Hall for this time of appreciation and gratitude and celebration, allowing our staff to say THANK YOU to the many amazing folks who make First Baptist Beverly what it is.

If you haven't been able to jump in on volunteering just yet, NOT TO WORRY (and please remember that by being here and offering the gift of your presence, that alone is invaluable to our community, and we are so grateful and lucky to have you!) – this is an invitation to you, too! Please join us as we celebrate the wonderful community of this church all together, bringing your presence together with ours in a time of gratitude!

Spread the word, grab your First Baptist friends, and please join Julie, Daniel, and Esther in this time of gratitude and celebration!



Join us for Race Amity Day this Sunday,  
June 14th!

JOIN US IN  
CELEBRATING

# RACE AMITY DAY IN BEVERLY

Race Amity Day is observed annually on the second Sunday in June to celebrate interracial friendship and showcase the power of interracial partnerships to foster lasting and powerful social change.

**SUNDAY JUNE 14TH**  
**12:30-1:30**

**BEVERLY CITY HALL LAWN**

Rain Location: Beverly City Hall Indoors

Bring: A Joyful Heart, Lawn Chair, Picnic Lunch



Show Your PRIDE This Month! Join *The + Club* and Craft Bright Gear on Friday, June 19th to Sport as we Walk Together in the North Shore Pride Parade on Saturday, June 27th!

JOIN **THE + CLUB** FOR A MAKE-YOUR-OWN-PRIDE-GEAR EVENT IN HONOR OF PRIDE MONTH!



# PRIDE

## EVENT THIS WAY



**FRIDAY JUNE 19TH**  
**FBC BEVERLY LOUNGE**  
**STARTS @ 7:30 PM**

FBC PROUDLY RETURNS TO  
WALKING IN THE NORTH  
SHORE PRIDE PARADE!



LOVE  
✦ IS ✦  
LOVE

ON SATURDAY, JUNE 27, WE WILL  
GATHER TO WALK, CELEBRATE  
AND SHOW OUR PRIDE! RSVP TO  
JULIE IF YOU'D LIKE TO WALK IN  
THE PARADE! MORE DETAILS TO  
COME REGARDING TIMING.

Calling All Twerties! (Those in their 20s and  
30s) Mini Golf & Ice Cream are on The  
Books for Saturday,  
June 20th @ 2 p.m.!

FBC TWERTIES  
EVENT ALERT!



SATURDAY, JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup> @ 2 P.M. ~ RICHARDSON'S  
IN MIDDLETON FOR ICE CREAM AND MINI GOLF ~

# The Wit & Wisdom Summer Kick-off Event is Coming on June 22nd at Lynch Park!



We have one more chance to get together, **Wit and Wisdom** friends, before taking a summer hiatus. On **June 22, 2026 at 11:30 a.m.** we will gather at *Lynch Park* in Beverly to party and enjoy each other's company.

**\*\*Please bring your packed lunch, your favorite chair or blanket to sit on, and your sunscreen, and join in this opportunity for outdoor fellowship!**

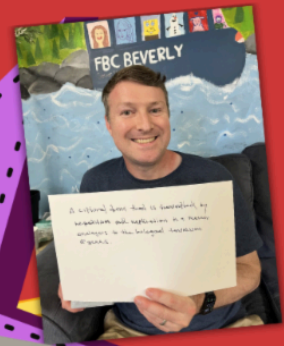
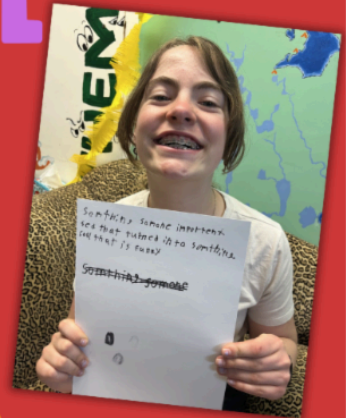
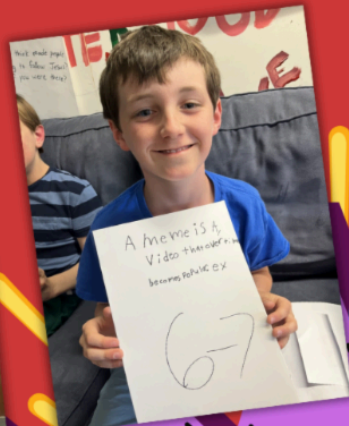
Now, our track record for cooperative weather was not very good this winter, so we will hope for a beautiful day of warm temperatures and sunshine, but if rain prevails we will just gather at the church in the lounge with our lunches and friendly spirits! We will contact you on the day of, if that will be the case.

If you are an out of town resident and/or do not have a parking sticker for Lynch Park, please let us know and perhaps a Beverly-ite can meet you at the church parking lot to share a ride.

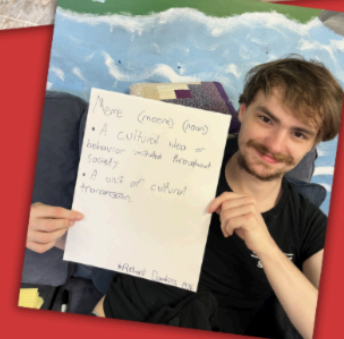
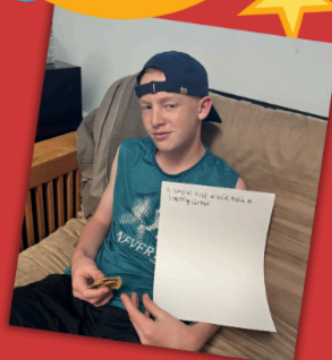
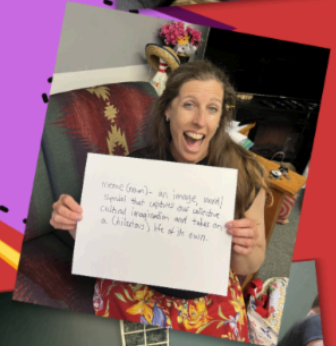
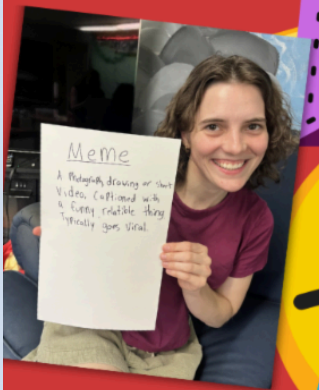
Open to all of retirement age (even if you are still working but free on Mondays), we look forward to seeing you! If you have questions contact Elly at [Ellyflow09@comcast.net](mailto:Ellyflow09@comcast.net).

# Middle School Fellowship Enjoys "6/7 Meme Day" & Sr. High Fellowship Cheers on Our BHS Graduates This Past Sunday!

## MIDDLE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP...



# MEME DAY!





SR. HIGH FELLOWSHIP...  
**BHS GRADUATION!**



Looking at what's on the horizon  
at FBC Beverly!

Lectio Divina  
continues this Friday  
with Daniel & Friends  
at 5:00 p.m.

Join us in the  
Church Lounge!



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

FOR JUNE'S PNO AT FBC:  
CONTACT JULIE!



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
IN BEVERLY  
*A progressive and welcoming  
Christian community*

FOR FRIDAY, 6/12/26  
FROM 6:00-8:30 PM

Email Julie to Lend a Hand  
w/PNO!



Join us on Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> for  
our final **Parents' Night  
Out (PNO)** of the program  
year at the First Baptist  
Church in Beverly from 6:00-  
8:30 p.m.!

We'll go out with a bang,  
including Curious Creatures &  
a few other fun surprises  
throughout the night!

FREE

JOIN US IN  
CELEBRATING

# RACE AMITY DAY

## IN BEVERLY

Race Amity Day is observed annually on the second Sunday in June to  
celebrate interracial friendship and showcase the power of interracial  
partnerships to foster lasting and powerful social change.

**SUNDAY JUNE 14TH**  
12:30-1:30

**BEVERLY CITY HALL LAWN**  
Rain Location: Beverly City Hall Indoors  
Bring: A Joyful Heart, Lawn Chair, Picnic Lunch

# PICKLEBALL

AT FBC!



Monday Nights @ 7 pm | FBC's Gym

# JUNE TEENTH

FREEDOM DAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 19TH, 2026

Please note that the FBC Church Office will be closed on Friday, June 19, 2026 in honor of Juneteenth.



FREE EVENT A MORNING OF MUSIC, DANCE & CELEBRATION

## CELEBRATING JUNETEENTH

WITH AMMAYA DANCE & DRUM

FRI | JUN 19 | 10AM

Join **Ammaya Dance & Drum** for a fun-filled, musical morning of African roots, rhythm, and community in celebration of Juneteenth.



SPONSORED BY  
AT HOME  
WITH  
DIANTHA



CABOT

JOIN THE + CLUB FOR A MAKE-YOUR-OWN-PRIDE-GEAR EVENT IN HONOR OF PRIDE MONTH!

# PRIDE EVENT THIS WAY



FRIDAY JUNE 19TH  
FBC BEVERLY LOUNGE  
STARTS @ 7:30 PM

FBC TWERTIES  
EVENT ALERT!



SATURDAY, JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup> @ 2 P.M. ~ RICHARDSON'S IN MIDDLETON FOR ICECREAM AND MINI GOLF ~

FBC PROUDLY RETURNS TO WALKING IN THE NORTH SHORE PRIDE PARADE!

LOVE

✦ IS ✦

LOVE

ON SATURDAY, JUNE 27, WE WILL GATHER TO WALK, CELEBRATE AND SHOW OUR PRIDE! RSVP TO JULIE IF YOU'D LIKE TO WALK IN THE PARADE! MORE DETAILS TO COME REGARDING TIMING.



Summer Kick-Off Luncheon on Monday, June 22 at 11:30 a.m. at Lynch Park

**WIT & WISDOM**

“ Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing but inwardly are ravenous wolves.

— Matthew 7:15

”

## PENCIL IN FBC

June

12

Friday

### Parents' Night Out

It's the final PNO for the program year from 6:00-8:30 p.m. and some **Curious Creatures** will be joining in the fun!

June

14

Sunday

### Volunteer Appreciation Coffee Hour

Join us for the 2nd Annual Volunteer Appreciation Coffee Hour after worship on June 14th – please plan to stay and celebrate!

### Race Amity Day in Beverly

Join Daniel and other faith leaders and neighbors from across the city to celebrate the power of interracial friendships to foster social change. The celebration will take place on the lawn at City Hall from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

June

18

Thursday

## Choir Party at the Blanchards Camp!

Esther's Choirs are gathering back at the Blanchards' on Chebacco Lake to celebrate another joy filled program year!

June

19

Friday

## Church Office is Closed

The Church Office will be closed in honor of the Juneteenth Federal Holiday today.

## The + Club Meeting

Join The + Club for some DIY fun making Pride gear ahead of the parade!

June

20

Saturday

## FBC's Twenties Off to Putt Putt & Ice Cream!

The twenty-and-thirty-something fun is ON for 2 p.m. at Richardson's today for mini golf and ice cream.

June

22

Monday

## Wit & Wisdom Summer Kick-Off Luncheon

FBC's retirement-age group is headed to Lynch Park for one last hurrah of the program year!

June

26

Friday

## American Red Cross Blood Drive at FBC

Join the Beverly Rotary Club as they co-host a Blood Drive today from 11 a.m. - 4p.m. at FBC!

June

27

Saturday

## Save-The-Date for the Annual North Shore Pride Parade

FBC will again be participating in the Pride Parade starting in Salem this morning. Stay tuned for our plans and timing for the day.

June

28

Sunday

## Interfaith Pride Service

Join us at 2:30 p.m. at the Tabernacle Congregational Church in Salem (50 Washington Street) as we participate in this service. There will be a reception immediately following.

## CONTACT US



**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
IN BEVERLY**

Phone: 978-922-3295 (Main)

[Contact Us](#)

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
IN BEVERLY  
221 Cabot Street, Beverly, MA 01915  
[bulletin@fbcbeverly.org](mailto:bulletin@fbcbeverly.org)

[Recent Sermons](#)

[Donations](#)



First Baptist Church Beverly | 221 Cabot St. | Beverly, MA 01915 US

[Unsubscribe](#) | [Update Profile](#) | [Constant Contact Data Notice](#)



Try email marketing for free today!