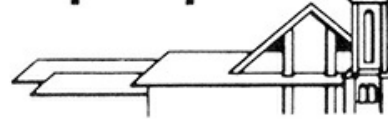


THE BULLETIN

of the First Baptist Church in Beverly



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Join Us On Sunday at First Baptist Church in Beverly
Sunday, May 26, 2019

8:45am: Welcome Café

**9:00am: Seekers Adult Class;
Yoga - Spiritual Moments and Movement
Childcare Provided**

**10:00am: Worship and Change for Good Collection (to benefit local
Veterans' Support Groups)**

11:00 am: Prayer Shawl Ministry

11:20 am: Adult Education

Rest for the Weary

John DeNardo preaching

Scripture: Matthew 11:28-30

In loving memory....

In honor of Memorial Day, during the worship service on Sunday, we will remember those who died in service to our country, as well as those connected to our church family who passed away this past year. We apologize in advance for any inadvertent omissions in this Bulletin edition. We ask that if you notice an inadvertent omission of the name of a church member or friend who died between May 2018 and now that you please call (978-922-3295) or [email Pat Haight](#) in the Church Office and let her know in advance of Sunday's worship service.

The following First Baptist Church members and friends will be greatly missed and fondly remembered:

*Margaret Davey
Ron Innocenti
Claire Elizabeth (Bettie) Loughhead
Beth Steedman*

*For all the saints,
who from their
labors rest*



Please Note: There will be no Youth Fellowship programs over the Memorial Day weekend (Sunday, May 26th). The Church Office will be closed on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27th.

Yoga – Spiritual Moments and Movement

Sunday, May 26th, 9:00-9:50am

Join FBC one Sunday per month for Yoga – Spiritual Moments and Movement.

Please bring water and a Yoga Mat. Childcare is available during this time. Class is appropriate for Middle School age and up.

Yoga Participants should be able to get up and down from the floor safely without assistance. All participants will sign a basic fitness waiver and must disclose any injuries or physical concerns related to gentle exercise movements.

In the future, we may offer a “Chair Yoga Option” for this class – stay tuned!

Class will be gentle, spiritually connective and restorative – this is not a physically demanding Yoga.

We will connect a unique theme each month through the practice of stretching, lengthening and breath awareness. This is a wonderful opportunity to experience a physical expression and honoring of our spirituality through the joy of basic movement; body and heart opening.

Class will begin and end with a mindful tuning into our bodies, hearts and spirits.



Don't forget your Change for Good donation THIS SUNDAY!

This month's collection will benefit local Veterans' Support Groups.



Moments From Music Sunday and the Deluxe Breakfast!



Harborlight Ringers



Celebration Ringers



Deluxe Breakfast prep, post lock-in! These amazing youth (and advisors!) rallied on little sleep to prepare and serve a delicious breakfast... and the kids smiled all the way through, too! Special HUGE thanks go to retired Middle School Advisor Brad Barbin, who always comes back to shop, coordinate, and run the kitchen for this wonderful breakfast event. We couldn't do this with him, and we LOVE having him back with the group for Deluxe Breakfast day! Thank you, Brad!

You HAD Seen That Village!

Thank you to all the wonderful and observant folks in the church family who responded to let Julie Flowers know where they had last seen the little wooden village! The village has been found and returned to its spot - much to the joy of all of our church family children! It had migrated during some play times for some of our weekday church-users, and we are glad that it was getting such love, play, and good use. We are also glad to have it located! Thank you all for your help and good tips and leads!

Fabulous Spring Rummage Sale is FAST-Approaching!

June 14 - 9 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. ; June 15 - 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

First Baptist Church in Beverly
221 Cabot Street

Donations accepted: June 12, 13th till 5 p.m. (Kitchen goods, books, games, clothes, toys, linens and much more!). No electronics.

To volunteer to help, please see or contact Marty Lincoln. You can chat with her around the church or email her at martycricket@gmail.com.

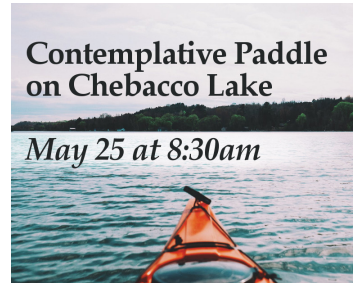
Contemplative Paddle on Chebacco Lake

Join Kent Harrop **THIS Saturday, May 25th** for a relaxing contemplative paddle from 8:30am to 11:00am. on Chebacco Lake.

Participants paddle at a relaxed pace, in silence, seeking to be present as the Creator speaks to us through creation. These events are for novice and experienced paddlers, alike. Bring your own equipment, or sign up for a limited number of kayaks, canoes and PFDs (personal flotation devices - life jackets!) on loan.

Paddles take place on beautiful Chebacco Lake in Essex, Ipswich River and coastal locations in the North Shore. We generally paddle a few times per month May-October as weather permits.

Paddles are open to the wider community and require registering in advance. You can register through the event listing in the [Calendar](#) For more information, contact [Kent Harrop](#).



New Welcome Class to Start

Eight new participants in the life of the First Baptist church family will begin meeting June 2nd and June 9th at 4 p.m. Additional participants are welcome to join in! The Welcome Class meets four times, for one hour each session. This is a fun and informative opportunity to meet others new to FBC, to ask questions, and to learn more about the values and mission that guides the life of this vibrant church. If you haven't done so already, please let Kent Harrop know of your interest by emailing him at kharrowp@fbcbeverly.org. Upon completion of the four sessions, we'll celebrate with our families and guests with a cookout at the home of Kent and Tricia Harrop.

Coming Up at FBC



Thursday, May 23

7:30 pm: Sanctuary Choir

Saturday, May 25

8:30 am: Contemplative Paddle on Chebacco Lake

11:30 am Chapel Choir

12:30 pm: Lunch Program

Sunday, May 26

8:45 am: Welcome Café

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Monday, May 27

Memorial Day - Church Office Closed

6:00 pm: Monday Night Supper

Tuesday, May 28

9:30 am: Staff Meeting

7:00 pm: Deacons Meeting

Wednesday, May 29

4:30 pm: Lectio Divina

Thursday, May 30

8:00 pm: Sanctuary Choir

More videos from Music Sunday can be viewed at:

fbcbeverly.org/music

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