

The Lord's Day

September 4, 2022 ~ 10:30 AM

Scripture for Meditation: "But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful."
-Luke 6:35-36(ESV)

- Prelude *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* Hymn 345
- * Call to Worship (Bible, p. 460) [Psalm 27:4-5](#)
(responsive reading)
- * Hymn 376 [Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty](#) NEANDER
- * Invocation
- Old Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 465) [Psalm 36:7-12](#)
- New Testament Lesson (Bible, p. 939) [Romans 1:18-32](#)
(continuous reading)
- ** Silent Prayer of Confession
- * Assurance of Pardon
- * Hymn (insert) *I Stand Amazed* arr. Chas. II Gabriel
- ** Pastoral Prayer
- Offertory *Jesus Shall Reign* Hymn 441
- * Hymn 731 [Doxology](#) OLD HUNDREDTH
- * Prayer of Dedication
- Sermon *Love Your Enemies* Elder Brian Wilson
Text: [Luke 6:27-36](#) (Bible, p. 862)
- * Hymn 455 [And Can It Be That I Should Gain](#) SAGINA
- * Confession of Faith *The Apostle's Creed* Hymnal, p. 845
- The Lord's Supper *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart &*
O Sacred Head Now Wounded
Hymns 338 & 247
- Deacon's Offering *Jesus, I Am Resting, Resting* Hymn 188

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- * Congregation Standing
** Congregation Kneeling

- * Hymn 529 [Love Divine, All Loves Excelling](#) BEECHER
- * Benediction
- * Silent Meditation
- Announcements and Dismissal
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As you enter the Sanctuary, please be considerate of others who are quietly preparing for worship. Please silence your cell phones before the service begins.

COVID-19 Guidelines: Consistent with current state and local government guidelines, the use of face coverings is optional for all individuals.

Nursery care is available for infants through age 3 in Rooms 2 and 4.

Communion Reminder: The outside rows on each cup tray contain grape juice; all other cups in each tray contain wine. The bread/cracker served is gluten-free.

Backyard Fellowship, 5:30 PM:

Backyard Fellowship will be at the rental home of Doug & Sharon Fox at 5:30 PM. See Announcements for more details.

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

September 4, 2022

Worship Leader: Pastor Will Snyder
Greeters:
Deacon in Charge: Walter Mayo
Ushers: Howard Craig
Audio: Sam Edwards
Nursery: 9:30:
10:30 (*Worship*): Anita Hilinski, Sierra Hilinski
Toddler Time:

Coffee Clean-up:

Evening Audio: *Backyard Fellowship at
Doug & Sharon Fox's home in Lebanon*

September 11, 2022

Worship Leader: Elder Armand Chenelle
Greeters:
Deacon in Charge: David Embree
Ushers: Peter Benedict
Audio: Sam Edwards
Nursery: 9:30:
10:30 (*Worship*): Danielle Bolliger, Kevin Hilinski
Toddler Time:

Coffee Clean-up:

Evening Audio: *Church-Wide Pot Providence-
No Evening Service*

This Week at Church

Monday		Labor Day – Office Closed
Tuesday	6:00 PM	Session Meeting
Wednesday	1:00 PM	Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Prayer Gathering
Saturday	7:00 AM	Men's Covenant Group
Sunday	12:00 PM	Church-Wide Pot Providence

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

BACKYARD FELLOWSHIP!

We will meet for a final Backyard Fellowship today at 5:30 PM at Doug & Sharon Fox's rental home, 818 Goshen Hill Road in Lebanon. Please plan to come for a time of food, fellowship, and prayer. For those interested, volleyball will begin at 4:30 PM. Each individual or family should bring chairs or blankets, meat to grill for their own family, and a side dish. For dessert, there will be the opportunity to make the best ice cream sundae you possibly can! All plates, utensils, drinks, and ice cream plus fixings will be provided. The rain location is the church. We hope you can join us!

COMING EVENTS

CHURCH-WIDE POT PROVIDENCE

On Sunday, September 11th, immediately following morning worship, we will be holding a church-wide pot providence meal at the church. Please plan to stay to enjoy a meal with the people of God in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a slow-cooker meal, side, or dessert—drinks will be provided.

EVENING SERVICE RESUMES

We return to our regular Sunday evening worship service starting on Sunday, September 18th. This fall we will start a series of messages from the epistle of 1 Peter. Please join us at 6pm in the Fellowship Hall to close out the Lord's Day in the Lord's house with the Lord's people around the Word of the Lord.

4th ANNUAL PASTOR'S OPEN HOUSE

Pastor Will, Shelley, Natalie, Alivia, and Pierson would like to invite you-our church family and friends to our **4th Annual Pastor Open House** party. This year we will be hosting our fall event on **Saturday October 1st from noon-6 at The Hatch House** [our home: 31 Hatch Hill Road, Vernon, CT]. There is no parking on site or along the road. Carpooling is encouraged. The shuttle van will be running on the half/hour [12, 12:30, 5, 5:30, etc.] from Valley Falls Park parking lot [300 Valley Falls Rd, Vernon, CT] for those who aren't up for foot travel .25 mile hike up the road. Fall festivities will include but are not limited to a smorgasbord of autumn themed foods and desserts, fond memories with old and new friends, a competitive game of tug-a-war, live music on the deck, s'mores around the fire pit, a mile trail hike/walk in the woods, yard and card games, rope swings, trampoline, kids crafts, and straight up fun for the whole family. Disclaimer-play at your own risk! "So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith," Galatians 6:10. We thank our great God for each one of you and look forward to growing in grace with you.

In Christ, The Snyder family

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

The Wednesday Bible Study at Church (led by Pastor Will) will resume on **September 7th at 1:00 PM**. We will be considering Galatians 4:12-20.

DISCOVERY CLASS

Beginning **Sunday, October 16th**, a Discovery Class will begin for those interested in learning more about the ministry of the Presbyterian Church of Coventry. This class runs for 8 weeks and takes place during the Sunday school hour (9:30-10:15). It focuses on understanding the gospel message, the doctrinal distinctives within PCC, and the ministries of our church. It is a time to grow in fellowship and understanding, and provides a helpful avenue for those considering church membership. For those interested please contact Pastor Will (pastorjws@gmail.com) or the church office.

NEW RESIDENCE FOR JAN McCULLOCH

Jan McCulloch is currently residing at Woodlake at Tolland Rehabilitation & Nursing Home. She is accepting both visitors and phone calls. The address for Woodlake is 26 Shenipsit Lake Road in Tolland. Visiting hours are from 9:00 AM to 6:30 PM. Woodlake does require masks to be worn when visiting. Jan is in Room 200A and her phone number is (860)429-4160.

MID-WEEK RECHARGE

We believe it is important to provide a mid-week avenue for all believers to come together to grow in friendship and to seek the Lord in prayer. Additionally, there have been some in the church that expressed a desire for more opportunities to fellowship with one another and we desire to help cultivate that.

Schedule

This ministry will take place twice a month on the **2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month from 6:00-8:00 PM**. From 6:00-7:00 PM food will be provided and individuals and families may come at any time during that hour to eat and spend time together. Beginning at 7:00 PM the focus will shift to a time of prayer, facilitated by an Elder, Pastor, or other servant-leader in the church. This is an opportunity for prayer, fellowship, and to invite others outside of PCC to come and enjoy a meal and spend time together. The next Mid-Week Recharge will be **September 14th**.

Kids Bible Club

Along with food, fellowship, and prayer, a kids bible club led by Mark Popovitch will also be available for children grades k-5th. Kids club will begin at **7:00 PM** and is a ministry that provides opportunity for young people to grow in friendship with other children, receive instruction and lessons from God's Word, and enjoy singing praise to the Lord.

If you have any questions regarding this ministry, please contact Pastor Will or Mark Popovitch (860.742.7222).