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Bayside United Methodist Church Newsletter

Bayside Vision WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday Morning English Worship 10:00 AM Korean Worship 11:30 AM Sunday School- Living thru the Bible Kids Youth - Living thru the Bible Youth College and Young Adult- Worship Early Morning Worship Monday - Friday 6:30 AM Wednesday Prayer 8:30 PM 11:30 AM 11:30 AM 11:30 AM

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Rev Dr YongBo Lee

",...they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation; neither shall they learn war any more; but they shall all sit under their own vines and under their own fig trees, and no one shall make them afraid, for the mouth of the Lord of hosts has spoken." (Micha 4:3-4)

Dear Bayside United Methodist Church Families, As we remember every September since 2001, September 11th, 2001 is a day that forever changed and each and every one of us. As the years pass we won't forget.... "We learned that Loss is worth remembering. Sacrifice is worth honoring. Freedom is worth defending. Faith is our refuge. Hope sustains us. Love endures all." (I forgot where this poem comes from.)

There are two kinds of stories in our daily lives. There are stories that give us life. Encouraging, loving and positive stories energize us. There are stories that destroy us, too. Stories that deal with war, hate and prejudice destroy us. These stories destroy our bodies, minds, and souls.

The people of Israel have maintained their nation through the story of the Exodus. They lived and live with hearing and telling the Exodus story thousands of times from generation to generation. It is in the remembering that they make a firm decision not to live like their ancestors.

We read about a dream and new song of the prophet Micah. The prophet Micah used a poetic image. The prophet Micah says, "They will hammer their swords into ploughs and their spears into pruning-forks. Everyone will live in peace among his own vineyards and fig trees, and no one will make him afraid. The Lord Almighty has promised this." This word of God from the prophet Micah must be our new story and our new song in our daily lives. Let us sing a song about peace and tell it to one another in our homes and in this church and in our community.

As the prophet Micha dream and sing a new song: "they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks," let us dream a dream and imagine a new story and sing for peace as we remember Sunday, September 11th 2022.



News from the Long Island West District

Greetings,

August 29, 2022

District News

Grace and Peace Clergy and Friends of the LIW,

It is with great joy that I greet you in the name of Jesus Christ, who is our rock and our redeemer. I am thrilled to serve as your District Superintendent. I welcome the six (6) other clergy that are also new to this district, and I look forward to spending some time with you, as well as all of you.

This Summer has been a whirlwind of activity, moving, getting settled, attending District Superintendent School at Lake Junaluska, and contracting COVID while there. After isolation, I did get to spend some time with the family on high seas of the Atlantic.

I welcome you to this new correspondence that I hope will be useful and full of information that will be sent out on Monday morning. It will include commentary from me. I also invite you to share any ministries opportunities or events that your charge/cooperative parish are hosting that you would like for the district to share in with you through attendance and or prayer. It will also include any opportunities for resources, training, or other ministry opportunities.

I know that this conference year has already tested our faith, inspired our creativity, and prayerfully deepened our faith. Be on the lookout for dates for my visit to each Cooperative Parish. This will also serve as my one on one with the clergy. Attached you will find the one-on-one form: his is the long version, please complete it as fully as possible in an effort for me to become better acquainted with you.



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> New York Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church

Charge/Church

Conferences this year which will be held by Cooperative Parish, the schedule is forth-coming.

In Long Island West our unity in Christ makes us stronger! Peace and Blessings, The Rev. Elizabeth C. Abel District Superintendent

What's Happing in the District

 Share with our Administrative Assistant by Thursday 12 noon, for Monday's Newsletter

What's Happening in the Conference

- A Night of Jazz: https://nyjfon.kindful.com/e/ny-jfons-night-of-jazz
- RESET REBOOT: Thriving as the Post-Pandemic Church Information: register here
- Leadership Lessons: Healthy Transitions for Appointments and Cooperative Parishes in September 2022

New appointments and changes in the Cooperative Parish have happened. Now, what's next? The Healthy Transition class is a four-part series to give church leaders the tools to navigate the transition process. This year, Healthy Transitions classes are open for ALL church leaders, clergy and lay, who are leading their congregations, Parish Council, or a new Cooperative Parish through a transition. Join Rev. Doris K. Dalton for a four-part series on how you can lead a healthy transition now and in the future. The first class will be on September 8, 6:30-8:30. All clergy and laity in leadership roles are welcome! For details and registration: <u>https://www.nyac.com/healthy-transitions</u>

Cooperative Parish Resources available on NYAC website. The Cooperative Parish Resource page has been updated to include several materials you can share with your congregation and Cooperative Parish. <u>https://www.nyac.com/cooperative-parish-resources</u>

These resources include:

- Cooperative Parish FAQs
- Cooperative Parish Roles and Responsibilities
- A Bulletin Insert with a brief overview of Cooperative Parishes
- and much more!

The NYAC Commission on Religion and Race

"In a racist society, it is not enough to be non-racist, we must be anti-racist." - Angela Y. Davis

As part of our commitment to become an Anti-Racist Annual Conference, the NYAC CORR is offering several educational opportunities for productive engagement to encourage and equip leaders and laity with the knowledge and tools to becoming a real agent of change.

Below please find the subject and dates of the upcoming trainings:

- "Dominating White Ways Workshop: Exploring the Commonplace Nature of White Supremacy and its Power to Co-opt Us All"
 - Dates: August 31 September 1, 2022
 Time: 1:30-5:00pm
 Virtual Event Registration is limited to 30 attendees
- Introduction to Systemic Racism Workshop
 - September 7-8, 2022
 1:30pm -5:00pm
 Virtual Event *Registration is limited to 30 attendees*

Preaching Anti-Racism, 4REALS for White Preachers

- September 8, 15, 22 and 29 and October 6, 2022
 6:00pm 8:00pm Virtual Session
- October 14-15, 2022
 10am 12pm <u>In-Person Session held at the NYAC Conference Center</u> Registration is limited to 30 attendees

To find out more about all three of these opportunities, please visit https://www.nyac.com/ccorr-training-events

Kimberly Brown District Administrative Assistant

Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors.

Busy as usual in Bayside

We are in the home stretch of summer. A very hot, humid and trying summer. We've been chugging along here at Bayside. Church isn't just Sunday worship. It's an all-week long endeavor providing services for our congregation and Bayside Community. My wife Sun and I volunteer on different jobs a few times a week. She helps out wherever needed on the VBS Living Through the Bible Kids and I do some custodial chores. Aside from the actual work I perform, it just gives me great pleasure seeing all the children just being kids and swarming around enjoying themselves. The teachers and volunteers do have their hands full but are always in control and for a start-up program, it runs pretty well. I am sure that, lessons learned on how to make it all run better.

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these" (Mark 10:14) Jesus said that in rebuking His own disciples who thought them bratty kids would bother Jesus and I suppose, in those days' children had no place with grown-ups. In fact, Jesus told those following Him, "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven" (Matthew 18:3–4; Mark 10:15). Though, I might be getting to be a curmudgeon in my old age, we can't deny that our children are our future. It is therefore incumbent on us to foster their lives in Christ-like thinking and behaviors.

That said, as of this publishing in this newsletter, VBS-Living Through the Bible Kids would have completed its first go round. As I hear and see, it's been a success. Of course, as I mentioned before, it can and will be tweaked here and there to get where Director Pastor Hong wants it. He's a perfectionist and I do commend him for that. Can't wait until next year when our facilities and spaces will be upgraded for the next batch of kids!

On the August 21st Sunday service, sisters Jodie and Joanne Tsai were baptized in our sanctuary by Rev. Lee. It was a wonderful ceremony that fills all Christians hearts with hope and promise. Reverend Lee asked the congregation to remember their own baptism as we witnessed the Tsai sister's baptism. I remembered mine. Picture this, 1966, the South Bronx, an old movie house under the "El" converted into a Church, Juan 3:16 (John 3:16). Elevated on the stage was a giant glass partitioned cistern of water. Hundreds of people attending, a dressing room offstage and a line into the staging area where the priest snatched you and dunked you almost in the same motion. It was truly memorable. So, watching the proceedings here at BUMC bought a smile to my face. Jesus was baptized by John the Baptist in the River Jordan. So, baptism is an important part of Christian life. "So, in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ." (Galatians 3:26-27) The Noah's Ark school has ended its stay on our property and we are now keen to renovate and get it ready for its next use for the Glory of God. They left a mess. Well, we now havta un mess it. Pastor Romin has plumbers and electricians lined up to start work. The Trustees and other Committees will be fully involved with the work projects. It'll be costly, no doubt. We, can help in keeping some of the costs down by volunteering in the various jobs and projects needed. As we did in our beautiful Fellowship Hall. The Church will buy the paints and supplies and we will roll up our sleeves and paint a few walls. It is very satisfying work, because you can see what your hands have wrought in real time. I walk into the Fellowship Hall and think, "I painted that wall". So anyhow, please be ready for the call up. "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms." (1 Peter 4:10)

Our Bayside United Methodist Church is a very vital part of our Bayside Faith Community. Besides the various worship services we provide, we offer community and our Bell Blvd. business neighbors' reasonable access to our property. AA meets here twice a week; our local police precinct has had functions here also. Our gym is always in use. Boys Scout troop 662 will use our Church as a staging area for back-to-school supply donations. Our Church office hours are Mon-Fri 9:00am – 3:00pm. Also, our Pastor, Reverend Yongbo Lee is available to any who need spiritual console or would like to volunteer or something. He can be reached at 718-864- 6682. If an emergency, leave text message. Also, if anyone would like to reach out to me to talk or correct me on some of my writings, please feel free to email me at jcinturon63@gmail.com. I do look forward to hearing from you.

God Bless Us All!



Jose Cintron – Lay Leader

BAYSIDE UMC

Happy Birthday September

8th Eliot Moran 12th Lily and Olivia Stephen 18th Lori Gagliardo 25th Marilyn Blair 26th Jason Mcmaster (Moran)

* Please let us know if we have left your birthday out.



BAYSIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

HOLY COMMUNION

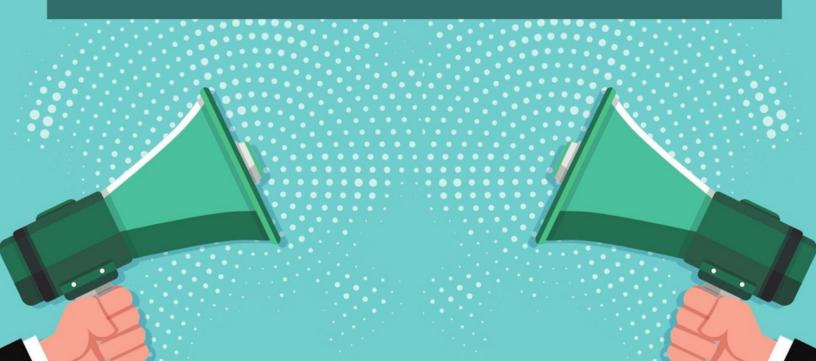
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7 10Am

ANNOUNCEMENT

Starting September 11, Sunday Service

There will be some additions to the worship order.

Processional Hymn, Joys & Concerns



BAYSIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Garden Service

JOINT SERVICE BAYSIDE UMC & BAYSIDE KUMC

SEPTEMBER 18, 10:30 AM

WHERE: FRONT LAWN OF THE CHURCH BARBECUE AFTER SERVICE

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE





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STARTING SEPTEMBER THROUGH ZOOM PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION

You will be able to gain a much deeper understanding of the word of God and apply these scriptural truths to your everyday life.

BAYSIDE UMC

EARLY

MORNING

SERVICE

6:30AM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY THRU ZOOM WWW.BAYSIDEUMC.ORG CLICK ON THE EARLY MORNING SERVICE TAB

2022 Living Through the Bible Reading Chart

[July – September]

July [Grace]			A	August [Mission]			September [Recovery]		
1	Ecclesiastes	1-3	1	Jeremiah	1-3		1	Daniel 1-3	
2	Ecclesiastes	4-6	2	Jeremiah	4-6		2	Daniel 4-6	
3	Ecclesiastes	7-9	3	Jeremiah	7-9		3	Daniel 7-9	
4	Ecclesiastes	10-12	4	Jeremiah	10-13		4	Daniel 10-12	
5	Song of Solomon 1-3		5	Jeremiah	14-17		5	Hosea 1-3	
6	Song of Solomon 4-6		6	Jeremiah	18-21		6	Hosea 4-6	
7	Song of Solomon 7-8		7	Jeremiah	22-24		7	Hosea 7-9	
8	Isaiah	1-3	8	Jeremiah	25-28		8	Hosea 10-12	
9	Isaiah	4-6	9	Jeremiah	29-31		9	Hosea 13-14	
10	Isaiah	7-9	10	Jeremiah	32-34		10	Joel 1-3	
11	Isaiah	10-12	11	Jeremiah	35-37		11	Amos 1-3	
12	Isaiah	13-15	12	Jeremiah	38-41		12	Amos 4-6	
13	Isaiah	16-18	13	Jeremiah	42-45		13	Amos 7-9	
14	Isaiah	19-21	14	Jeremiah	46-48		14	Obadiah 1	
15	Isaiah	22-24	15	Jeremiah	49-50		15	Jonah 1-4	
16	Isaiah	25-27	16	Jeremiah	51-52		16	Micah 1-4	
17	Isaiah	28-29	17	Lamentatio	ns 1-5		17	Micah 5-7	
18	Isaiah	30-32	18	Ezekiel	1-4		18	Nahum 1-3	
19	Isaiah	33-35	19	Ezekiel	5-8		19	Habakkuk 1-3	
20	Isaiah	36-38	20	Ezekiel	9-12		20	Zephaniah 1-3	
21	Isaiah	39-41	21	Ezekiel	13-16		21	Haggai 1-2	
22	Isaiah	42-43	22	Ezekiel	17-20		22	Zechariah 1-2	
23	Isaiah	44-46	23	Ezekiel	21-24		23	Zechariah 3-4	
24	Isaiah	47-49	24	Ezekiel	25-28		24	Zechariah 5-6	
25	Isaiah	50-52	25	Ezekiel	29-32		25	Zechariah 7-8	
26	Isaiah	53-55	26	Ezekiel	33-36		26	Zechariah 9-10	
27	Isaiah	56-58	27	Ezekiel	37-39		27	Zechariah 11-12	
28	Isaiah	59-60	28	Ezekiel	40-42		28	Zechariah 13-14	
29	Isaiah	61-62	29	Ezekiel	43-44		29	Malachi 1-2	
30	Isaiah	63-64	30	Ezekiel	45-46		30	Malachi 3-4	
31	Isaiah	65-66	31	Ezekiel	47-48		31		