



The Cornerstone

First Church is an Open and Affirming Congregation of the United Church of Christ

JUNE 2014 WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Join Us!

Summer Worship Service: 9:30 am in the Sanctuary

June 1

Final Sunday of Easter

Worship including Holy Communion

Scripture 3:20

“We Are Called”

Dr. Erica Nierendorf preaching

Farewell Reception to follow

June 8

Pentecost including the Welcoming of New Members

Acts 2:1-21

“Other Tongues”

Rev. Dianne Arakawa

Members are encouraged to wear red for Pentecost.

June 15

First Sunday after Pentecost

1 Timothy 4: 11-14

“Teaching With Your Life”

Rev. Kevin Weikel

High School Seniors leading worship today

June 22

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Dr. Robert Evans, Guest Preacher

Director of Plowshares Institute

June 29

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Matthew 10:40-42

Rev. Dianne Arakawa

Including Baptism of Grace Elizabeth,
daughter of Christopher and Darcy Mauke



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Out of office Fridays

A message from Rev. Dianne Arakawa, Transitional Senior Minister

Dear Friends,

This being June I am keenly aware that our congregation is starting to go in different directions – for graduations of children and grandchildren, summer vacations close to home, on the ocean or in the mountains, and travels to places near and abroad. Americans are a people, who in general work hard and play hard. Needless to say, family and leisure quality time is important to our physical health and spiritual well-being. We'll also look forward to seeing you at 9:30 am worship!

With the completion of Erica Nierendorf's one-and-one-half year ministry with us, some might think that we are also going in different directions with our ministerial programs. While we will deeply miss Erica's spirited presence and her significant ministry amongst us, we have already begun conversations to adapt to the new situation without a one-half time ministry. The ministerial program staff and lay leaders will clarify what stays and what will have to be let go. Open-mindedness, creativity and dedication, I believe, will see us through.

In this regard, I wish to thank the faithfulness and hard-work of this past year's officers—Melinda Westbrook as president, Jim Trimble as vice-president, Ron Patterson as treasurer, and Bill Ketchabaw as clerk. It has not been an easy tenure in the life of the church, what with Jonathan Morgan's departure last July, the resignation of three office staffers, the hiring of a transitional senior minister and three new staffers, the departure of an acting associate minister and unexpected occurrences. Melinda and other lay-leaders have led with clear heads, sensitivity and compassion in order to move us in a common direction – always seeking after the best interests of a diverse church, where we see some members many times during the week and others but rarely.

Now in June I wish to welcome, on behalf of our congregation, our newest leaders—Jim as president and Cindy Braunlich as vice-president; again Ron and Bill, as well as our Board and Committee chairs. Already I sense a willingness to hold us on a common and healthy course. I have discussed the results of our transitional questionnaires with several interested members and will offer a final session in June. Our Executive Council will vote on a slate of men and women to form our Search Committee, which will engage in “forming” this summer—learning about the process, getting better acquainted with each other in order to work together more effectively, and addressing the demographics. (It was Betty Warner, a former Search Committee member, who used this term so well to describe the different stages of the Search process, along with “storming, norming and performing.”)

So, rest assured as you rightly go off in different directions this precious summer that there will be a center that will hold us together in the semblance of order, confidence and faith. God will guide First Church, as God has throughout the three hundred and seventeen years of the church's history, and we the People of God will try to assist as able. For this, I give grateful thanks, send blessings, and wish you a wonderful restful summer!

Grace and peace,

Dianne

A Message from Rev. Kevin Weikel, Youth & Young Adult Ministry

“For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat...” Matthew 25:35a

First Church feeds the hungry. We serve meals at South Park Inn, Immaculate Conception and South Church shelters in Hartford. We work at the Community Farm to provide organic vegetables to clients of Gifts of Love. We support the Walk Against Hunger, participate in 30-Hour Fasts, volunteer at Foodshare in Bloomfield, and conduct gift auctions in support of Heifer International. And we go on mission trips where we feed the hungry. In just a couple of weeks, for example, the PF Youth Group will be traveling to Washington, DC, for an Urban Pilgrimage (a.k.a. Mission Trip), where they will serve the hungry in our nation’s capital.

Interestingly, every effort to feed the hungry that I’ve listed above serves those away from our church, outside of Simsbury, outside of the Farmington Valley. That we would spend our energy feeding those outside of Simsbury is not a bad thing nor terribly surprising. Simsbury is, after all, an affluent town, and there are fewer hungry folks here than in most other places.

But last year, the First Church Mission and Outreach Board wondered if there might be more hungry people in Simsbury and the Farmington Valley than we might think. They contemplated how First Church might serve those who are struggling right here in our midst. And so, the board coordinated with Foodshare to host a Foodshare Food Truck in our very own church parking lot twice per month. And now, for the first time, the hungry of Simsbury and the Farmington Valley can come and be fed, they’ve been doing so for over a year.



Last Monday, I went out to observe the operation. The truck itself is impressive; it is a converted beverage truck that carries highly nutritional foods such as fruits and vegetables. And the line of people was 80 deep. That’s right, 80 deep.

I must say, after serving at so many soup kitchens with our youth over the years, in Hartford and beyond, I stood there in shock as so many people lined up right here in our church parking lot. I am sorry that our economic system is one in which so many people need to get in line at a food truck, but I am grateful that the Mission and Outreach Board took this on. Praise God for their vision!

In Christ,
Kevin



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Out of office Wednesdays



Dr. Erica Nierendorf
Acting Associate
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A Message from Dr. Erica Nierendorf, Your Acting Associate Minister of Parish Life

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you...May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

2 Corinthians 13: 11, 13

Dear Friends,

My last day with you will be Sunday, June 1st. This congregation has provided a loving faith home to my family and me since 1985. Also, during this past decade, you have been supportive and insightful as I sought to answer God's call through my seminary studies and many experiences preaching and teaching at First Church. For this, I am profoundly grateful. Finally, during these past eighteen months, it has been a privilege to serve as your Acting Associate Minister for Parish life. We have shared many meaningful and poignant moments and I thank you for sharing your faith and commitment to Christ and First Church with me. You have inspired me in many, many ways. First Church is indeed in a transition, but let us remind ourselves that God's work continues to unfold here each day in fruitful ways! Also, I would be remiss if I did not thank the wonderful people with whom I've worked this past year and a half: Dianne, Kevin, Mark, Cindy, Kristin, Eileen, Cathie, Stacey, and Joe, and of course, Jonathan, Ann, Darlene and Nancy before their departures. Working with each of you has been an honor and privilege every day. Thank you for so generously sharing your commitment to First Church.

At this time, I feel a bit like I am leaving for college because I am truly leaving my faith home and it brings with it many bittersweet feelings. As many of you know, I will be serving in a one-year residency for chaplaincy at Hartford Hospital, beginning in August and I am very much looking forward to this opportunity! I will learn much more about chaplaincy as a specific form of ministry, but will also grow in pastoral skills that would be beneficial should I answer a call to church ministry after the residency is completed.

Lastly, it is important to mention that when ministers leave a church, it is required that they sever communication for one year. This is for the benefit of the congregation and clergy, but of course, it is not easy. There is an exception to this in my case, however, when I hope to have my Ecclesiastical Council this fall at First Church, in order to present my Ordination Paper to our entire community. This is the final step toward ordination, before answering a called position in ministry. It is an open gathering and all are invited, including lay people and clergy from the Farmington Valley.

Until then, you will be in my prayers and I ask for yours. Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell... May God continue to bless this wonderful community.

Yours in Christ,

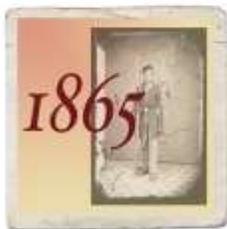
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Mark Mercier, Music Ministries

An extraordinary concert in our sanctuary featuring the return of the internationally known...



Friday, June 13, 7:30 pm



www.anonymous4.com

Ruth Cunningham
Marsha Genensky
Susan Hellauer



Jacqueline Horner-Kwiatek
With special guest Bruce Molsky
(singer, fiddle, banjo, guitar)

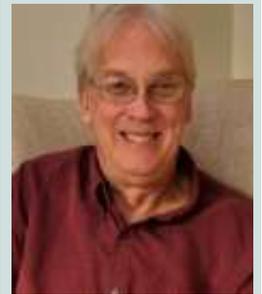
Anonymus 4 commemorates the 150th anniversary of the end of the Civil War with **1865**, their third program of American music. **1865** tells the poignant story of the personal experience of men, women, and children from the North and from the South toward the end of the Civil War, as told in songs originally written for the stage and parlor, and in tunes from the hills and back roads of America. These songs were sung constantly during the terrible war years, having been passed down from generation to generation, and all are etched into the history of both North and South.

Some featured songs: *Home Sweet Home*, the single most popular song during the Civil War, accompanied by the minstrel banjo; *Aura Lea* – a Northern favorite and the source of the melody for the Elvis Presley hit, *Love Me Tender* – for two voices and guitar; the Southern favorite *Sweet Evelina*; five-part harmonies on the Stephen Foster gem, *Hard Times, Come Again No More* and the 1860's bestseller, *Weeping, Sad, and Lonely*; the high lonesome sound on folk songs like *Bright Sunny South* and *The True Lover's Farewell*; and the four-part a cappella singing of Anonymus 4 on the anti-war song *Tenting on the Old Camp Ground* and the memorial song for Abraham Lincoln, *The President's Grave*.

Of special note: After nearly 30 years of international touring and over 20 recordings, Anonymus 4 has sadly decided to make the 2015-16 season its last. This will be our only remaining opportunity to hear this remarkable group as they sing their final program.

Adults – \$12.00; Students/Seniors – \$10.00. Family pricing available.

Tickets available in the First Church office, or at the door on the day of the show, depending on space available. Call 860-651-3593 ext 21 for details.



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Out of office
Tuesdays

Sunday June 15th

On June 15th,
we will celebrate
"GRADUATION SUNDAY."

If you are graduating from
high school or any institution of
higher learning, please contact the church office
by June 10th with the following information:

- ◇ **Name, degree and school**
- ◇ **What you are doing next year**
- ◇ **A way or two in which you plan to continue being a disciple after graduation**

We look forward to acknowledging your accomplishment!



How Can We Help?



The Board of Trustees is interested in what we can do to make the Church more welcoming to members, friends and family members who are disabled. How can we make access easier or are you satisfied with the current situation? We would love to hear from you!

Email us @ Garrett.Caponetti@gmail.com

Kids Investigating Divine Stories at First Church

Visit www.firstchurchsimsbury.com to see the church school schedule, videos, and information about what the kids are doing at First Church.

Summer Church School Program Parables and Miracles of Jesus:

Students age 4 & up begin in church and are dismissed to the 2nd floor kid's library after the children's message.

June 1: *The Parables*—The Talents, The Rich Man and Lazarus, and The Two Sons

June 8: *Build upon a Rock* - Build upon a rock, Beatitudes

June 15: *Prodigal Son*

June 22: *Kingdom of Heaven* - The Sower and the Seed, the Wheat and the Tares, and the Parable of the Ten Virgins

June 29: *The Lost is Found*—The Lost Coin and the Lost Sheep



Children's
ministry
news

Upcoming events for your Calendar

June 1: Summer Sunday school programs begins

June 23-26: Vacation Bible School (see VBS information for additional dates of VBS events)

August 24, 2014 Back Pack Blessing
9:30 Service, Continental breakfast to follow the service.

Vacation Bible School: Workshop of Wonders Information

Volunteer Training: June 22 at 11:45 am or 7pm at SUMC

VBS dates: Monday, June 23 - Thursday, June 26, 9am-noon at SUMC

VBS Sing and Party, June 26 at 7pm

VBS First Church of Christ Group Picture:

Leave a few extra minutes in your schedule on June 22 for a group picture in SUMC meeting hall. Bring your children to the hall at 12:05.

First Church of Christ VBS Students Pool Party and Potluck Lunch:

On Sunday June 22 after looking at the weather, we will set the date for the Pool Party and Potluck. See Cindy on Monday June 23 for further information.

VBS snack supplies:

We are looking for donations of the following supplies for snack: 8 boxes of Rice Krispy type cereal, 3 jumbo containers of Gold-Fish, 4 boxes of honey graham crackers, 400 snack size paper plates, and 600 plastic drinking cups. Drop supplies of the children's ministry office.

VBS Mission Project: Global Ghana Youth Network School:

In Ghana, families must pay for their students' education. The GGYN is a free school for 150-200 students. The school holds classes under a mango tree. They learn on wooden benches and tables with donated supplies. The kids at First Church and Simsbury United Methodist church will be donating money for school supplies during the opening at VBS.



Fall Church School Registration:

This year we are re-registering all students in the church school program. Students will not automatically be moved up to the next grade.



This past year we had a large number of students on the class lists who did not attend church school. This affects the quantity of items purchased for the church school program and staffing of volunteers. Therefore, we are asking you to register your children before the fall.

Please go to the website (<http://fccsimsbury.org/childrens-ministrieschurch-school-registration-form/>), download the registration form, and sent it to ccole@fccsimsbury.org or drop it off at church to register your children for the fall session.

Church School Volunteers Needed for Fall Session 2014

The church school is a co-operative program where parents work together to teach their children about their faith. Please contact ccole@fccsimsbury.org to volunteer.

Fall Nursery: Lacey Cabral, Kim Tawney, **substitute needed**

Kindergarten: Patti Scanlon and Theresa Carlson

Preschool teachers: Suzanne Osborne, Jennifer Petron, Jess Buckle

Rotation Program Grades 1-5 Shepherds: Shepherds meet their students in the chapel each Sunday, take attendance, hand out name tags, etc. They lead the students to class and are in charge of monitoring class room behavior, building relationships, and assisting the teacher as required.

Grade 1 & 2: Erin Naspo

Grade 4: Shepherd needed

Grades 3 and 5: Jackie Brook

The rotation teachers: Teachers remain in the classroom teaching the same unit lesson to the different grades as they rotate into the room. Two teachers are assigned to each workshop and they decide which teacher is going to teach on a given Sunday.

Computer room: Sarah Guasta and Dave McElligot

Cooking room: Sarah Leathers, **1 additional teacher needed**

Art room: JoAnn Hogan, **1 additional teacher needed**

Pre-Confirmation class: Sixth and seventh graders participate in a two year program that reviews the major stories in the Bible. The program uses videos, and workbooks with games and activities. Students participate in the church school mission projects, Church School Advent Service, and the Palmer Hall large group activities that occur throughout the school year.

Teacher: Bryan Tawney

Shepherd needed:

Substitute teacher Needed:



Junior Fellowship Schedule

Friday, June 6, 11:15 am-1:30 pm
(Early Closing)... Last JF of the school year,
Picnic at Penwood Park, CT. Come Hungry!

Pilgrim Fellowship Schedule

Sunday, June 1, 6-9pm
PF Closing Picnic at Penwood State Park.

Sunday, June 8, 7-9pm
Pilgrimage (a.k.a. Mission Trip) Pre-Meeting #1
for Students and Parents in Palmer Hall.

Sunday, June 15: Morning
High School Senior Sunday! Our seniors will be
leading worship. **Evening**, no PF (Father's Day)

Thursday, June 19:
Pilgrimage (a.k.a. Mission Trip)
Pre-Meeting #2 for Students in Palmer Hall.

Sunday, June 21-28, Pilgrimage
(aka Mission Trip) to Washington, DC.

**REV. KEVIN WEIKEL—Youth and
Young Adult Ministry**
PLAY, DISCUSS, WORSHIP, GROW, SERVE, LOVE...

Confirmation

Saturday June 21—Saturday June 28
Optional Youth Mission/Immersion Trip.

Youth & Young Adults PILGRIMAGE...



**An intentional journey for
spiritual growth to Washington, DC**

June 21—28, 2014

Safe travels to the youth and young adults as they embark on a week of serving and learning, playing and worshipping. Together we work with and learn from the hungry and homeless living in our nation's capital. It will be an unforgettable week! For more information scroll down to the end of our youth page web site @

www.fccsimsbury.org/youth-and-young-adult/pf-youth-group-grade-9-12/

From the Committee for Endowment Development

Recently the annual dinner for Andrew Robe Society members was graciously hosted by Ruth and Dick Meyer. Aside from the very congenial atmosphere and friendly conversation around the dinner tables, a highlight was a short talk by our fellow church member and member of this committee, Len Clough who is an ordained minister and who at one time served as the planned giving officer for the UCC National Headquarters in Cleveland.

Len talked about a number of personal experiences involving inspiring and sometimes surprising situations where people came around to make significant planned gifts to the UCC and their local churches. He particularly stressed the advantages of creating a charitable gift annuity for the church because the donor can have the use of the income while living. The amount of income is higher the older you are when the gift annuity is put into place, and is far greater than the pitiful return from a money market account or a CD. For example a single donor age 70 would receive an annual payment of 5.1%. At the same time, part of the income is tax free and you get a charitable income tax deduction on a major part of the initial contribution.

With the stock market at an historic high, it may be very attractive to contribute shares of an appreciated stock to fund a gift annuity. By doing so you will not have to pay a capital gains tax, you get a significant charitable deduction on the amount you pay in, you get a good income stream, part of which is tax free, and the church benefits. Think about it!

If you would like more information please contact Len or another member of the committee.

Len Clough, Bob Lyle, Ruth Meyer and Bruce Powell

Annual Meeting Highlights

President Westbrook reviewed the highlights of her report as contained in the Annual Report. She noted that the year 2013 had been a time of transition and change at First Church with the resignation of Reverend Morgan; the search for and call of our Transitional Senior Minister Dianne Arakawa; and the financial shortfall confronting the fiscal year 2014 budget. In her parting comments she challenged the congregation to assume a positive intent of others and that now is the time to reenergize our suspended Church Governance study and make recommendations for improvement.

Vice President Trimble commented on his report that “you should never follow someone better” and complimented retiring President Westbrook for her service during a challenging two years of leadership! Jim overviewed briefly his strategy to establish a Search Committee to seek our next settled pastor, noting that the committee should be diverse and inclusive of all congregational demographics. He asked that those with interest in serving contact him. He intends to invite all to an overview of the search process commitment, followed by personal interviews. He challenged the congregation to become “fishers of the community” and to spread the good news of First Church programs and worship.

Reverend Arakawa noted in her comments that she feels hope and momentum within First Church going forward. She noted that First Church needs to address how it will strengthen our ministry by introducing a variety of fresh, innovative strategies for growth, with compliments to Chris Morken for his initiative and development of membership recruitment and contact with departed members. All of the challenges confronting us as we move forward as a congregation will depend on a faithful, mutually supportive response to change and rising above any “us versus them” mind-sets. Dianne commented that her survey results have been shared with two congregational focus groups and plans another in the near future. She expressed her appreciation to the Executive Officers; to the members of the Executive Council; and to the Ministerial and Administrative staff for their support since her arrival at First Church.

Treasurer Ron Patterson commented that the Church is on a sound financial footing following a difficult 2014 budget development and recent congregational approval. Our endowments are

underwriting our financial shortfall but he cautioned that a capital fundraising will become necessary in the not too distant future. He commented that the Historic Grant process underway is contributing in a major way to our financial planning and will probably become a strategy of support to our buildings and grounds.

Elected as Officers for July 2014 through June 2016 were President Jim Trimble; Vice President Cindy Braunlich; Treasurer Ron Patterson; and Clerk Bill Ketchabaw.

Bill Ketchabaw
Clerk of the Congregation
May 16, 2014

May Executive Council Meeting Highlights

Reverend Arakawa highlighted in her report special words of appreciation to Erica Nierendorf for her service to First Church since this will be her last Executive Council meeting. Dianne noted that two of her Focus groups on Transition have been held with a third scheduled for May 7th. It was suggested that she consider scheduling an evening session. She noted that feedback from the sessions to date highlighted the importance and positive aspects of our small group meetings, and that it would be important for the called minister to have strong administrative leadership. It was suggested that we consider moving new members into a small group to assist in their integration into First Church.

Erica Nierendorf highlighted from her report that a one day Women's Retreat will be planned for this coming fall and that the participants have been overwhelmingly positive. Small group ministries such as this are meaningful and effective for our congregation. Due to the small turnout for the Good Friday Labyrinth, Erica noted that this is a large undertaking and that for next year a larger group be brought together for preparation and that there is a need for increased advertising of the event to the congregation and the community.

Reverend Weikel commented that going forward we have to consider ways in which our youth programs and the adult members of the congregation can be better integrated into forms of worship, especially the parents of our youth participating in their youth programs. He noted that very few of the parents participate in formal worship services and that the Sunday evening programs are viewed by the youth as their Church and that the Youth Room literally transforms into a Sanctuary – a Church within a Church!

Treasurer Ron Patterson presented a preliminary Profit and Loss Budget versus Actual report through April 2014. He noted that overall we are running ahead of budget to date with income exceeding expenses by \$34,393. With regard to expenses we are experiencing appropriate overruns in Building and Grounds, and that we must carefully monitor expenses in that category.

President Westbrook had earlier distributed a first draft Grants Committee Charter outlining the Purpose; Objectives; Membership; and Meetings/reports. A second draft will be worked on. Following discussion it was agreed that the Grants Committee would become a subcommittee of the Board of Finance.

Reverend Arakawa commented that the membership initiative being led by Chris Morkan is in the process of formation and that referrals of names to join the initiative are needed.

President Westbrook and Vice president Trimble led discussion on Church Governance with a resulting decision that Stewardship would become a subcommittee of the Board of Finance. Jim commented that he has a definite strategy for Stewardship for this fall. President Westbrook commented that she is in discussion with possible volunteers to form the Heritage Committee. Cindy Braunlich commented that the Board of Elders is in discussion with respect to changing the name of the Board and the timing of their meetings.

It was moved; seconded; and carried that Richard Derr be ratified to become a member of the Board of Trustees.

Bill Ketchabaw
Clerk of the Congregation
May 15, 2014

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FELLOWSHIP HOUR SCHEDULE

June 2014

6/1/14	Erica Nierendorf Farewell Sunday
6/8/14	New Member Sunday Board of Finance
6/15/14	Board of Trustees
6/22/14	Board of Mission & Outreach including Care Bags
6/29/14	Board of Elders

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June 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:15 AM Adult Study Group, Classroom 29 8:30 AM New Members Class, Parson's Study 9:30 AM Summer Worship Service, Sanctuary 10:30 AM Fellowship Hour Set-Up 7:00 PM PF Youth Group, Youth Room	2 10:00 AM CCC 1:00 PM American Red Cross Blood Drive 4:30 PM Book Club, Parlor 7:30 PM Executive Council Mtg., Parsons' Study	3 11:00 AM Valley Saxophone Quartet, Library 6:30 PM Zumba Palmer Hall 7:00 PM Youth Advisor Meeting, Kevin's Office	4 9:00 AM Music Together of W. Hartford, Room 29 9:30 AM Hay Stack, Rm 28 4:00 PM Women's Praise Choir, Music Room 7:00 PM Farmington Valley Chorus, Palmer Hall	5 6:00 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal, Room 29 6:30 PM Troop 76 Boy Scouts Mtg., Palmer Hall/Kitchen 6:30 PM Troop 76 Leadership Mtg., Parsons' Study 7:00 PM AA-Alcoholics Anonymous Mtg, Rm 28 7:30 PM Chancel Choir/Music Room 7:30 PM Troop 76 Adult Committee Mtg., Parsons' Study	6 9:00 AM Sunday Bulletin Proofreaders 11:15 AM JF - Picnic, Penwood State Park	7 10:30 AM Maryann Virgie
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