

WLCC Weekly Newsletter 1.29.23

This Sunday, January 29th at 10am, Community Engagement Director of COVER, Jeff Dumont, will be coming to speak about the mission of COVER Home Repair during our worship service. His message will be preceded by the reading of Isaiah 61:1-4. We also welcome local singing group the VTones, who will sing for us during the service. Following worship we will have our annual meeting in the sanctuary. We hope you can join us in the sanctuary or on Zoom!



Reminders: Masking is optional. We recommend wearing a mask. If you are entering the sanctuary, we ask you to practice physical distancing, use good hand hygiene and stay home if you are not feeling well. We thank you for your cooperation.

New Traffic Pattern

Please be aware there is a new traffic pattern. We will enter the sanctuary through the rear door, that way people can get out of the cold as they make their way to a seat in the sanctuary. The guest book, collection plate and bulletin will be inside the rear door on a table just as up front. This will keep the warmth inside the sanctuary.

Calendar for January 28- February 4

January 28- *Candy Bar Bingo 3 PM*

Worship Service 10:00 AM

January 29- *Annual Meeting after Worship*

January 31- *Handbell Rehearsal 5:30 PM*

February 2- *Women's Fellowship 9 AM*

Vocal Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM

Upcoming Events

February 11- *Valentine's Day Crafts* 1 PM

February 13- *Game Night* 5:30 PM

Letter from Brian Trottier's Family

Dear WLCC Church Family,

Brian Trottier's family would like to thank our church family for their support during and after Brian's illness. Your cards, prayers, food and visits all meant so much to us. We especially want to thank Rev. Daniel Adam for his visits and for leading such a meaningful service for Brian. We are grateful to Aaron for his time and effort to putting the program together and for playing and singing at Brian's service. Thank you to Susan Schwarz for making the Zoom possible for those who could not attend the service. As well as our appreciation to the Women's Fellowship for hosting the reception and those who contributed food. Thank you to Donna Stender for getting the church ready for the service. Our family is so grateful that we are a part of the wonderful WLCC Church Family. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

In Christian Love,

Patty Trottier, Sara, Connor and Braedon Rice and Abby, Charlie, and Carson Spina

Candy Bar Bingo

Come and join us this Saturday from 3pm-5pm for "Candy Bar Bingo," where the prizes are candy bars! This is a free event and all are welcome.



Valentine's Day Crafts

Join us for an afternoon of Valentine's Day themed fun on Saturday, February 11th from 1pm-3pm.



WLCC Game Night

Join us on the **second and fourth Mondays each month** when we'll informally get together at **5:30 pm in the Kilton Room** and play games for an hour or two. Some will be playing cribbage, but it's not restricted only to cribbage, and folks are encouraged to also bring other card or board games that they enjoy.

The next Game Night will be on **Monday, Feb 13th at 5:30 pm in the Kilton Room**. Feel free

to bring any snacks or drinks to share, the only requirements are to bring yourself and a sense of



**JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF
PLAYING CARD GAMES
+ BOARD GAMES!**

BRING A GAME TO SHARE!

**2ND + 4TH MONDAYS
OF EVERY MONTH
5:30PM**

**WEST LEBANON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
18 MAPLE STREET, WEST LEBANON, NH 03784**

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Movie Matinee

Join us for our “Movie Matinee” on March 11th from 3pm-6pm. This is a free event with refreshments and pizza provided. The movie will announced at a later date.



Neighborhood Party

Growth Committee is organizing a neighborhood (and beyond) party on June 10th. We are hoping other committees will share our enthusiasm for this event!

In order for this event to be a success, we will need participation from lots of folks! We envision some combination of segments be included that individual or multiple committees will hosey.

We are open to your ideas! Following have been suggested:

Food
Entertainment
Games
Yard sale
Church/parsonage open house tours with historical education (maybe on the hour for a couple of hours).

Please discuss with your committees and let someone on Growth Committee know if there is an "activity" from this list or something different your committee is interested in hosting.

Thank you,
Your Growth Committee
Donna
Meghan
Sarah
Jackie
Justine

From Your Collector's Desk

I will send an acknowledgement to all of you who have pledged for 2023, as well as the giving statements for 2022. This will take me a little bit of time and I am sorry for any inconvenience this might create for you.

Thank you,

Christine (collector)

Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship meets at 9 AM on Thursday mornings. . Come join us for coffee and conversation! Save **October 21, 2023** for our Christmas Bazaar!

Little Food Pantry

Thank you to all who have contributed food, but we are still in urgent need of food for our pantry! Some items that go quickly are peanut butter, cereal, ramen noodles and coffee, also shelf stable milk. **Now that the temperature can be below freezing, we are only accepting items that are not in jars or cans for placement outside.** Food can also be put inside the Food Bin in the sanctuary which is taken to the Haven or LISTEN. Thank you to all who have contributed. Please pass the word on about the availability of food in the Little Food Pantry.

WLCC Giving Options

We have instituted several new electronic (credit/debit/ACH) giving options. Note that these are in addition to the conventional giving methods. **If you are comfortable with the giving method**

you currently use there is no need to change. The intent of adding these electronic options is to make giving more convenient, which will hopefully increase our revenue. Note that the church is charged a nominal processing fee with each electronic transaction, so please consider covering that fee if you use an electronic option. The electronic options will allow you to specify where you would like your gift to go (e.g. general fund, memorial gift, missions, etc.). You can access these options by going to the WLCC home webpage (<https://westlebcc.org/> **and clicking on the "Give" tab along the top, or go directly to the Giving page** <https://westlebcc.org/give/>). If you have any questions or problems, please see Aaron in the WLCC office or our co-collectors Christine Kidd or Laurie Tostenson.

Faithfully
Aaron Richter
for WLCC