

TERRYVILLE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER



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PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Members & Friends of TCC:

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May is here! We have been blessed with beautiful weather! Take time every day to be thankful and to give thanks to God in prayer, in song, in word, and in action!

We have been blessed with wonderful attendance at church and I want to take a moment to thank our new music director, Paul Bilodeau, who has done and continues to do an amazing job!

Here's what's coming up at church:

Thursday, May 4, 12pm: National Day of Prayer Service (outside on the front lawn, or inside Sanctuary if inclement weather).

Thursday, May 18, 6pm: Deacons' Potluck Dinner & Meeting (Activity Room).

Sunday, May 7: Communion Sunday!

Saturday, May 13, 5pm: Dinner for the residents of Gosinski Park

Sunday, May 14: Happy Mother's Day!

Sunday, May 21, 11am: Congregation Meeting after worship to change By-Laws (we are voting on increasing the number of voting Deacons from 3 to 5).

Sunday, May 21, 12pm: Art Teacher Lori Little will be with us for lunch, fellowship, and special art project. \$10/person. Call the office to reserve your spot!

Sunday, May 28, 10am: Memorial Day weekend worship at Plymouth Congregational Church (outside).

And save the date for our church fair! Saturday, June 10th!

In case you missed it: Recently during worship our Outreach Committee (and many helpers) was honored during worship by the Board of Directors of Gosinski Park for the many years of ongoing meals that we serve to

the residents of Gosinski Park. Great job, Outreach Committee! We also have to be thankful to Thomaston Savings Bank Foundation which has awarded us a yearly grant to help serve these meals.

As we get into warmer weather, please be sure to support our community garden and all the great work that Rich Sauzedde does to tend to the garden; as a reminder, all of the fresh produce from this garden goes to the Plymouth Community Food Pantry. Rich is always looking for helpers to help water the garden or do other tasks. Thank you, Rich!

This coming year, I will be serving as the Chair of what is called the Committee on Ministry (COM). The COM is a regional committee that covers 13 churches in our region: us, Bristol, Burlington, Canton, Granby, Avon (2 churches), Simsbury, Farmington, East Hartland, Plainville, East Granby, and Unionville. The committee covers the following: new ordinations, new students studying to be ministers (we call that "member in discernment" - used to be called "student in care"), new church hires, resignations, transfers, support and care for the 13 pastors, and church conflicts. I was previously on the committee for the maximum term of 6 years and, after taking a one-year break from the committee, the committee asked me to come back and start a new term. In addition to everything mentioned above, the committee is also working to bring more innovation, ideas, educational workshops, and other guidance to our 13 churches. One of the things that we are working on for the coming year is a church consultant - which normally costs many thousands of dollars but will be subsidized by the committee- to work with our 13 churches on how to be as active and thriving as we can possibly be. I will have more information about this over the summer and this fall. Another thing that the committee is working on is a mission trip that will also be subsidized by the committee. We cannot do a mission trip with Simply Smiles at this time because Simply Smiles is not quite ready to bring back volunteers post-covid; they may be ready in another year or two, but not at the current time. We are looking to do a mission trip with a UCC organization building homes in Kentucky. I will also have more information about this over the summer and fall. What normally might be an expensive trip - because it is being subsidized by the committee - should be affordable for anyone in our church who would like to attend. More info coming!

As we like to say around here, "See you in church!"

With Christian Love,
Rev Zack

WEEKLY CHURCH WORSHIP ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION

Date:	*In- Person Attendees:	Online Attendance:	Notes:	Collection (offering)
Sunday, Apr. 2	92	444	Communion	\$2,169
Sunday, Apr. 6	43		Maundy Thursday	N/A
Sunday, Apr. 9	135	238	Easter	\$1,500
Sunday, Apr. 16	97	186	(2) Baptisms	\$1,616
Sunday, Apr. 23	60	293		\$1,451
Sunday, Apr. 30	96	197		\$2,931

*In-person attendance is an estimate. The number can be affected by people coming late, leaving early, in the restroom, etc.

**Online attendance includes Facebook and YouTube. Online attendance is an estimate, too, as the online platforms do not tell us how much of or how long someone viewed the video. Also, the number can grow over time because the videos remain online and can be viewed at any time.

Special Events Celebrated During April 2023

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
Dick & Gail Foote	April 1	60 th Anniversary
Susan Kozikowski	April 4	Birthday
George Wartonick	April 5	Birthday
Kelsey Kozikowski	April 8	Birthday
Holden Waldron	April 8	10 th Birthday
Sharon Paradis	April 10	Birthday
Tyler Hawes	April 15	Birthday
Crista Furtado	April 19	Birthday
Melissa Mabe	April 20	Birthday



Note: Anyone who may want their Special Event listed in our Monthly Newsletter, please call Mary-Alice at 860-583-3910 or our church secretary, Tracy at 860-589-0182.

PLYMOUTH **SENIOR OUTREACH GROUP** *NOW ORGANIZED*



ALL ARE WELCOME!!!
BRING FRIENDS, FAMILY, NEIGHBORS
Residents from Neighboring Towns are
Welcome Too!

MEETING AT:
Terryville Congregational Church
(Activity Rm)
233 Main Street Terryville, CT 06786

MEETINGS ARE HELD ON:
3RD THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT
TIME: 1p.m.

(LIGHT REFRESHMENTS ARE SERVICED)

For more information contact: The Church Office (860) 589-0182 (M-F, 10am – 2pm), Fran Swierczynski (860) 485-5585, or
Millie Perry (860) 906-7041

OUR PRAYERS GO TO



PRAYER LIST

Marian McLam (Cook Willow), John Layton (Cook Willow), Denise O'Donnell, Rachel Reynolds, O'Leary Family, Lowd Family, Emery Austin, Lawton Wood, Betsy Caswell, June Lozewski, Lee Grela, Karen Reilly, Wayne Kamens, Janet Waldron, Buddy Hawes, Dacey Pratt, Wayne Hotchkiss, Jean Mariano. **Friends and Family:** Bob & Jackie Fox (friends & neighbors of Wayne Kamens) Family & Friends of Frank Beecher (friend & neighbor of Jake Armbruster), Joel Cerniglia (Jessica Hawes father), Julio Mariano, Maria Kelley (mother of Peggy Witocy & Hedy Kelley) Wayne Trudeau (Tracy Fitzpatrick's Uncle), Sandy Rinaldi (Millie Perry's daughter), , Christine Post (at the Pines of Bristol/Mother of Rebecca Cyr), Dave and Marie John (friends of Terri Faragher), George Badey (Barbara Benson's father), Randy Wagoner (son of Mary Mitchell and brother of Russ Wagoner), Carmela Heuschkel (Pam Eggleston's mother), Charlie Collier (Larry & Sylvia LaFreniere's brother-in-law), Family of Marty Sandshaw, Carole Kozikowski (Curt & Mary-Alice Wilbanks' daughter).

Nursing Facility/Assisted Living/Independent Living/Home: Ann Krampitz (Sheriden Woods), Bill Hawes (Sheriden Woods), Lois Douyard (Apple of Avon), Rae Link (LiveWell, Plantsville), Juney Cushman (Farmington Station), Edna Kirkby (Middlewoods, Farmington), Doris Bondeson (Brandywine, Litchfield), Mary Mitchell (home), Roland and Ellen Anderson (home). **Military:** Derek Thibodeau.

WE SUPPORT OUR MILITARY: The church continues its support of service men and women in the Town of Plymouth. Donations are welcome in the church Narthex or they can be mailed or dropped off at the church office. To date contributions total \$1,169.10. Currently we are researching our options on how to best put the donations to use in our community. We will keep you posted. Thank you!



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COFFEE HOUR IS NOT TRIVIAL



A very important part of Sunday worship come, interestingly enough, *after* the worship service, in the fellowship time which follows. This is the *ministry* we call *Coffee Hour*.

By offering coffee, juice, etc. people hang around and it is during that time that significant things can take place. A visitor can be properly welcomed and we begin to build new friendships. It can also be a time for members to connect with each other and share in joyful celebrations or offer support to each other during times of struggle.

We can also connect with “ministry representatives”, that is, members of our various boards and committees. This accomplishes two (2) very important things: 1) it gives each board and committee a chance to “show off” its work by setting up a display and be available to inform people “what you are all about”. A time to brag about your accomplishments, describe your short and long range goals, etc. 2) it gives you an opportunity to “network” and develop interests in your committee and hopefully fill vacant slots that occur or create a list of individuals who may be interested in helping with scheduled projects.

Coffee hour should be viewed as a great seed – planting opportunity rather than a drudgery; a blessing rather than a burden.

Enjoy those coffee hours!!!!

Coffee Hour 2023

<u>Month:</u>		<u>Committee:</u>
<i>January</i>	⇒	<i>Deacons</i>
<i>February</i>	⇒	<i>Council</i>
<i>March</i>	⇒	<i>C&E</i>
<i>April</i>	⇒	<i>Music</i>
<i>May</i>	⇒	<i>Trustees</i>
<i>June</i>	⇒	<i>Outreach</i>
<i>July</i>	⇒	<i>Deacons</i>
<i>August</i>	⇒	<i>At Plymouth Congregational Church</i>
<i>September</i>	⇒	<i>C&E</i>
<i>October</i>	⇒	<i>Council</i>
<i>November</i>	⇒	<i>Music</i>
<i>December</i>	⇒	<i>Trustees</i>

Terryville Congregational Church

Coffee Hour Instructions



What you need to bring with you:

Package of cookies, cheese and crackers or pastry
Half and Half for coffee and Milk for Tea
Ginger Ale
Fruit Juice
Bag of Ice

Coffee:

You will need to prepare 60 cups of coffee. You should start to percolate it before service starts so it will be ready by the time service is over. Coffee is in a can in the cabinet to the left of the sink. You will need 3 cups of grounds to 60 cups of water (fill to #60 line on large silver percolator). Plug it in and let it brew.

Hot Water

Fill the small silver electric hot water tea pot with water. Plug it in the outlet on the counter in the social hall near the water fountain (make sure pot is pulled out from under cabinets).

Cups

Styrofoam cups should be in the same cabinet with the coffee. Use about 50 for coffee and 10 for tea. Place 25 cups on the left of the coffee hour table and 25 on the right. Place 10 cups on the counter near the hot water tea pot.

Sweeteners, Stirrers and Milk

You need to prepare three containers with a combination of sugar, Sweet N Low, Equal and/or Splenda packets. You will find them on the shelf under the cabinet in the kitchen closest to the small refrigerator. Two containers will go on the coffee hour table. One container will be placed next to the hot water. Pour the milk and half n half just before coffee hour begins. Two pitchers of half n half should be on the coffee hour table (one on each side) and one container of milk should be placed with the hot water. Empty pitchers can be found in the kitchen under the cabinet where the coffee pot is plugged in. Place four spoons on the coffee hour table and one placed with the hot water. Don't forget to put out a basket or container with the tea bags in it.

Cookies, pastry, cheese and crackers

Cookies or other snack items should be placed on a platter and put on the same table as the punch.

Punch/Juice

Use the covered punch/juice dispenser (found on the counter) and empty one container of fruit juice to one half to two thirds of ginger ale. Just before everyone comes down from service, add the bag of ice. Punch cups are located in the upper cabinet all the way to the right of the sink.

Miscellaneous

You should put out napkins on the coffee hour table, the punch table and the counter with the hot water for tea. Please remember to put out a basket for donation.

2023

USHER/GREETER'S DUTIES

1-Always greet people attending church service in a warm and friendly manner.

2-Hand them a copy of Sunday's Bulletin, the current Newsletter if they don't have one and answer any questions they may have.

3-Once the service starts and during the first hymn, please take the attendance. It is easier to do this from upstairs in the balcony. Count each adult, child and participant in the service.

4-During the Offering, take the plates from the minister and pass them to each pew in the congregation. Bring them back to the altar during the playing of the Doxology. At the close of the prayer, hand them to the minister.

Note: Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. The elements are to be prepared and distributed by deacons.

Following is a list of participants scheduled to serve during the services specified. If you cannot serve on the date listed, please call me prior to the date so a substitute can be assigned. Thank You
Mary-Alice Wilbanks, (860)583-3910

May 7, 2023

1. Ray Zalaski/SU
2. Pam Kamens/SU
3. Alison Reed/CU
4. Holly Zemak/CU

May 14, 2023

1. Peggy Witecy
2. Ruth Rideout

May 21, 2023

1. Carol Barbieri
2. Crista Furtado

May 28, 2023

1. Jean Goodwin
2. Gail Beale

LAYREADER GUIDE

PREPARATION

Review the printed **Order of Worship (Bulletin)**

- Arrive and meet with the Minister in the Narthex at least 15 minutes prior to the start of Worship. As may be needed, clarify with him/her the pronunciation of any unfamiliar biblical names/places. (You may also talk during the week leading up to Sunday if needed).
- Proceed to the Altar with the Minister at the start of worship.

WORSHIP SERVICE

- Following the musical prelude and the Minister's opening statements, introduce yourself & ask for any announcements, prayer requests and celebrations from the congregation.
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- Read your parts – which will usually be one or two scripture readings.
- Help as needed with any special events that may be happening that day, such as a Baptism.
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- Stand beside the Minister during the Benediction and proceed to the Narthex with him/her.

LAY READER SCHEDULE/SIGNUP: (Contact: Curt Wilbanks (860) 583-3910 to signup)

May 7 – Rich Sauzedde
May 14 – Russ Wagoner
May 21 – Bob Grosof
May 28 – Curt Wilbanks

June 4 – Tom Zalaski
June 11 – Hedy Kelley
June 18 – Paula Anderson
June 25 – Pamela Kamens

PROPOSED BYLAWS CHANGES

Submitted By Curt Wilbanks, Bylaws Manager

The following proposed Church Bylaws changes have been, reviewed by the Church Council and will be presented to the Congregation for action at a Special Congregational Meeting on May 21, 2023.

Item #1 Article E-1 Diaconate
Increase the of number of elective members to 5 from 3.

Basis: Requested by the Diaconate to provide greater opportunities for participation in the care of the Church family.

Item #2a Article F-7 Communications Committee
Delete from the initial paragraph the wording, “plus the Clerk as Chairperson.”

Item #2b Article F-8 Clerk
Delete paragraph 1; “Act as Chairperson on the Communications Committee”; and renumber all successive paragraphs accordingly.

Basis: These elements have become extraneous and are no longer applicable to the clerk position.

LOST & FOUND ITEMS:

The following items have been found in the church:

- Red Umbrella
- Target Bag with 3 Brand New Large T-Shirts Inside
- Navy Blue Boston Red Socks Baseball Pullover Hoodie (no size on tag – young adult size or small adult)
- Heather Blue XL Zip Up Hoodie (Logo: Established 1845 USA Florida)
- Women’s Non-prescription Sunglasses (black [top] & clear [bottom] frames)
- Women’s Non-prescription Sunglasses in a black quilted case
(Tortoise shell frames & bubble wrap in the case)



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Please contact the church office at (860) 589 0182 to claim your lost items. Any unclaimed items will be donated to the thrift store at the 1st Congregational Church of Plymouth on May 31, 2023.

ELECTED OFFICERS, LAY-LEADERS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS

***Moderator** - Gerald Wunsch

***Vice Moderator** – Barbara Benson

***At-Large Council Members** – Jim Hannon, Sandra Kamens

***Spiritual Group Leader - Rich Sauzedde**

Diaconate – Ray Zalaski Jr., Holly Zemak, Scott Scholl

Music Committee – Diane Pratt, Sandi Ehmer, Betsy Dixie

Christian Education Committee – Charlotte Audet, Robin Bilodeau, Cari Vieira

***Business Group Leader – Jake Armbruster**

Finance Committee –Robert Grosf, Wayne Harnish, Jackie Merchant, Wayne Waldron, Dave Nichols

Assistant Treasurer – Alison Reed

Collectors – Millie Perry, Donna Wunsch

Trustees Committee –Eric Armbruster, Dave Morrell, Tom Zalaski,

Communications Committee – Church Secretary, Committee Event Members/Volunteers (Temporary)

Clerk – Samantha Lowd

***Service Group Leader – Vacant**

Outreach Committee – Crista Furtado, Carol Barberi, Sharon Paradis

Fellowship Committee – (1) Vacancy, Judy Harris, Jean Mariano

***Church Council Members**

Council Appointed Positions

By-Laws Manager: Curt Wilbanks

Safe Conduct Advocate: Wayne Kamens

Personnel Committee: 1. Donna Wunsch
2. Holly Zemak
3. Vacant

Church Historian:

Historical Committee: 1. Vacant
2. Dick Foote
3. Donna Wunsch

Audit Committee: 1. Sylvia LaFreniere
2. Vacant

Updated: February 19, 2023

Plymouth Community Food Pantry

Most Needed Items (plymouthfoodpantry.org 04/28/23):

Cereal & Oatmeal (healthy) Canned ravioli/SpaghettiOs
Pancake mix Macaroni (not spaghetti)
Canned fruit Applesauce
Baked Beans Boxed Potatoes
Coffee
Baking Products: cake/brownie/muffin mixes, flour, sugar, etc.,
Condiments: ketchup, mustard, mayo, salad dressing, etc.,
Personal Care Items: deodorant, shampoo, bar soap, adult diapers (large/extra-large), etc.

HOURS:

Monday – 12 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Wednesday – 4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Friday- 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.

To volunteer contact the food pantry at (860) 584-1750 for details.

Please help us to support our Food Pantry by remembering to bring non-perishables each week. You can place your food donations into our “food pantry wagon” when it is pulled down the aisle during morning announcements.

2023 Food Collected for \$1.70/POUND
Food Pantry by TCC

<u>Month</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
January	^264	\$448.80
February	^151	\$256.70
March	^256	\$435.20
April	^174	\$295.80
May		
June		
July		
August		
September		
October		
November		
December		
2023 Total:	845	\$1,436.50

*As reported by the food pantry. This does not include produce from the community garden.

^ reported by Rich Sauzedde.

COMITTEE NEWS & UPDATES!

MUSIC COMMITTEE NEWS

Committee Members: Diane Pratt, Sandi Ehmer, Betsy Dixie

Next Meeting: May 8, 2023 at 6:30PM

If you are interested in attending a meeting contact a member of the committee for the next meeting schedule.

OUTREACH COMMITTEE NEWS

Committee Members: Carol Barbieri, Sharon Paradis, Crista Furtado

Meeting Schedule (church members are welcome to attend): The committee usually meets when they serve Outreach dinners. If you are interested in attending a meeting contact a member of the committee for the next meeting schedule.

Update: See Outreach Committee News on page 12

TRUSTEE COMMITTEE NEWS

Committee Members: Eric Armbruster, Dave Morrell, Tom Zalaski

Meeting Schedule (church members are welcome to attend): 1st Tuesday of Each Month 7pm in the Office (no meetings in July or August with some exceptions, see below)

Next Meeting: May 9, 2023, at 6pm

Trustee of the Month 2023

May 2023 - Jake Armbruster

June 2023 - Ray Zalaski

CE NEWS

Committee Members: Charlotte Audet, Robin Bilodeau, Cari Vieira

If you are interested in attending a meeting – contact a member of the committee for the meeting schedule.

DIACONTE NEWS

Committee Members: Ray Zalaski Jr., Holly Zemak, Scott Scholl

Meeting Schedule (church members are welcome to attend): Last Wednesday of the Month at 6pm.

Next Meeting: June 28, 2023

Next Deacons Potluck: May 18, 2023 at 6pm

FINANCE NEWS

Committee Members: Robert Grosf, Wayne Harnish, Jackie Merchant, Wayne Waldron,

Meeting Schedule (church members are welcome to attend): Contact Bob Grosf for the meeting schedule

Next Meeting: May 18, 2023 6pm

COUNCIL MEETING

Council Members: Gerald Wunsch, Barbara Benson, Jim Hannon, Sandra Kamens, Rich Sauzedde, Jake Armbruster

Meeting Schedule (church members are welcome to attend): 4th Wednesday of the Month at 6pm in the Chapel

Next Meeting: May 24, 2023 at 6pm in the Chapel

Outreach Committee News



Outreach Committee: Carol Barbieri, Sharon Paradis, Crista Furtado

Outreach Committee happenings

Terryville High School Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) Project Graduation

Received a thank you for our donation.

On behalf of The Terryville High School PTSA, thank you for your generous donation. As you know, the THS PTSA is committed to providing a CELEBRATE GRADUATION... CELEBRATE LIFE all night drug, alcohol and substance-free celebration for the class of 2023. Donations are extremely important in helping to make this event happen and we are truly grateful. Let's give our kids the gift of a safe celebration!

Dinner Schedule for 2023 - Outreach Committee will be serving "to go style" dinners to residents of Eli Terry and Gosinski Park communities on the following dates:

February 25 - Eli Terry	March 25 - Gosinski Park
April 22 - Eli Terry	May 13 - Gosinski Park
June 17 - Sundaes at Eli Terry	October - Eli Terry
November - Gosinski Park	December - Eli Terry

Schedule of Events for 2023

January - Submission for Annual Report, Budget review

February – Supported Music Committee Pasta Dinner; Dinner at Eli Terry

March - Dinner at Gosinski Park - Donation to Terryville High School After Grad

April - Dinner at Eli Terry - Donation to Community Garden

May - Dinner at Gosinski Park

June - Ice Cream Social at Eli Terry - June Fair Tag Sale

July - no events

August - Back to School - Town Human Resources

September - no events

October - Dinner at Eli Terry - Donation to Susan B. Anthony Project

November - Dinner at Gosinski Park - Donations to Food Pantry (Thanksgiving)

December - Dinner at Eli Terry - Donations to Simple Smiles and Small Wonders Holiday

If you are interested in more information on upcoming Outreach events or helping the Committee, please contact any of our members. We'd love to have your support and ideas!

Crista Furtado



Supporting 13 open loans - total of 144 supported - \$3,610 loaned
Paid in Full

Emmanuel - Congo - Primary/Secondary School costs

This loan helps families afford school fees and related expenses, like uniforms and textbooks. Emmanuel is grateful for this loan to help support his children's education. His three children were able to finish the school year well, thanks to the loan he received. Emmanuel continues to support his children's schooling with Kiva loans. By supporting this loan, we have helped Emmanuel's three children attend school and purchase supplies.

New Loans

Amy - Solomon Islands - Farming

This loan is special because its goal is to reach financially excluded and underserved people.

Amy is a 45-year-old woman who is married and has five children. She and her family live in the rural community of Papangu, which is outside of Honiara, the capital of the Solomon Islands. Amy has a small retail business selling vegetables and fruits at the market so that she can earn a living. She has been in this business for 10 years. Amy requested a loan to buy a wheelbarrow, sprayers, and fertilizers, and pay for labor so that she can continue her business. She will use her profits to meet her family's financial needs and continue growing her business.

Amy's loan is being facilitated by South Pacific Business Development (SPBD) – Solomon Islands. SPBD opened in 2012 and provides microfinance services to impoverished communities in the Solomon Islands. SPBD provides loans to help low income women start and maintain successful small businesses. In addition to loans, SPBD offers other financial and non-financial services including voluntary savings plans, payment protection insurance, life micro-insurance, financial literacy and business training. Kiva shares SPBD's goal to provide microfinance services to underserved and hard to reach populations. Funding on Kiva allows SPBD to expand their services in the Solomon Islands, where access to microfinance institutions is extremely limited.

If you are interested in more information on Kiva visit their website at [Kiva.org](http://www.kiva.org), view our lender page at <http://www.kiva.org/lender/terryvillecongregati3466> or if you would like to help in deciding our next loan recipient, please contact us!

Crista and Justin Furtado

Tag Sale

Annual Church Fair - Tag Sale Saturday, June 10, 2023

ITEMS NEEDED

Items that are clean and in good condition such as glassware, books, puzzles, children's toys
Anything you no longer use or need that could be someone else's treasure

EXCEPTIONS

No clothes, stuffed animals or anything bigger than will fit in a car trunk

OTHER NEEDS

Helpers for setup, cleanup and working the day of the sale to assist customers.

SET UP and DROP OFF TIMES - Social Hall

Tuesday, June 6, from 4 to 7

Wednesday, June 7, from 5 to 7

Thursday, June 8, from 5 to 7

TAG SALE HOURS

Early Bird buyer sale - \$1.00 per person from 9:30 to 10

\$5 Bag Sale will start at 2

Cleanup and bagging will begin at 3 for vendor pickup at 4

QUESTIONS?????

Contact an Outreach Committee member - Carol Barbieri, Sharon Paradis, Crista Furtado (email - CFurtado419@gmail.com)

FLOWER DONATIONS FOR THE ALTAR



If you would like to donate flowers to beautify our altar in someone's memory, in honor of, or to congratulate someone on any given Sunday, please contact the church office and give your information to the Secretary.

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PRAYER SHAWLS – **6** Donated in the Month of **APRIL 2023**



Knitters & Crocheters: just a reminder we are always in need of prayer shawls

We have some lots yarn here that you are welcome to use for the shawls.

Please contact the Church Office with any questions.

Hour: Monday – Friday, 10am - 2pm

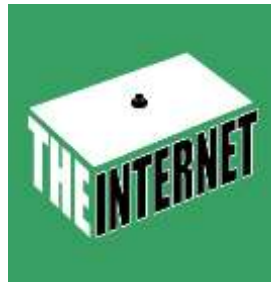
Thank you to all knitters & crocheters past, present, & future!

SPECIAL DONATIONS FOR PER COST OF WINDOWS: We would like to suggest to anyone who would like to, to donate whatever amount they feel they can to go toward payment of a new window. The cost per window is \$400, but a partial donation would be fine. We would like to put name plates under each window that has a donation.

The next newsletter will be in *June 2023*. Special announcements, articles or events provided by *May 26, 2023*, will be published in the *June, 2023* issue. Please email to: Terryvillechurch@hotmail.com

We now have online giving on our church website. It is a secure system through pay pal. Go to www.terryvillecongregationalchurch.org and click on “donate”. You can make a one-time donation or a recurring donation/pledge. Thank you.

HELP WITH ADVERTISING CHURCH EVENTS



Our communications committee is looking for members to assist the church secretary with advertising different events for the church. If you are interested in volunteering to help with advertising church events, please contact the church office 860-589-0182. If you would like posters to be hung up and/or advertising put on radio, newspapers, etc. for a church event, please email the church office with your info at terryvillechurch@hotmail.com or call the church office. Be sure to always include YOUR contact information and the event you are working on.

SPECIAL!!! \$12.00 ONLY

**INCLUDES: A TCC Buddy the Beefalo T-Shirt, TCC Reusable Bag,
& TCC History Book (while supplies last).
Contact the Church Office to Purchase**