

CHURCH ON THE CAPE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
March 16, 2025



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Church on the Cape
United Methodist Church
Rev. Greg Smith

HYMN SING

Susie Goodwin

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Thank you Graceanne Barbour and Joan Cole for hosting Coffee Hour today.

WE GATHER

PRELUDE

“Just As I Am”

Joe Utterback

SHARING THE PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP (adapted from Psalm 27)

Leader: The Lord is...

People: My light!

Leader: The Lord is ..

People: My salvation!

Leader: The Lord is...

People : The stronghold of my life!

Leader: This is what I ask of the Lord...

People: To behold God’s beauty!

Leader: This is what I ask of the Lord...

People: To meditate in God’s temple.

Leader: Everyday that I live,

People: I believe that I will see the goodness of God!

Leader: I will always seek God’s presence,

People: Because God is not hidden, God is right here!

Leader: Wait for the Lord!

People: I am strong, I am courageous, and I will wait for the Lord!

*HYMN

“The God of Abraham Praise”

UMH #116

PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Lillian Bartlett
Alice Bruton
Judy Cadieux
Julie Chase
Sharon Collins
Mary Heather Cookson
Risha Deary
Jose Duddy
Henry Dynia
Bob & Sally Ewton
Bethany Hessel
Lesa Kraft Angelos
Emily King

Brett LaCour
Nicholas LaCour
Charity Perry Liutai
Chloe McLaughlin
Charles E. Moss Sr.
Marybeth Munroe
Rich & Debbie Parsons
Luverne Preble
Nancy Russo
Lettie Samuel
Eric Schoener
Lois Small
Ryan Sullivan
Chuck Wildes

Please keep the family of Scott Beppler in your prayers as they grieve his passing.



MARCH

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| 1 | Elizabeth Erickson |
| 2 | Sharon Miesel |
| 5 | Sheila Matthews |
| 7 | John Hall |
| 14 | Bob Ewton |
| 18 | Tom Muse |
| 19 | Dan Erickson |
| 20 | Michael Schoener * Sharon Collins |
| 21 | Nonie Freeman |
| 26 | Judy Oppert |
| 27 | Jane Murray * Janet Wade |
| 31 | Helen Farnsworth |

If you would like to add someone to the birthday list, please call the office
207-967-5787.

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Sunday March 16	9:45 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Hymn Sing Worship Coffee Hour
Monday March 17	10:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Chimes Church Council
Tuesday March 18	11:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 2-4 p.m.	Picnic Lunch (Bring Your Own Food) Disciple Bible Study Cargo Shop Open
Wednesday March 19	10:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 4:15 p.m.	Knitters Education Committee Senior Moments Bon Appetit
Thursday March 20	2-4 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Cargo Shop Open Worship Committee Meeting Choir Rehearsal
Saturday March 22	10-12	Cargo Shop Open

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday March 23	9:45 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Hymn Sing Worship Coffee Hour
Monday March 24	10:00 a.m.	Chimes Rehearsal
Tuesday March 25	11:30 a.m. 2-4 p.m.	Picnic Lunch (Bring Your Own Food) Cargo Shop Open
Wednesday March 26	10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	Knitters Senior Moments
Thursday March 27	2-4 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Cargo Shop Open Choir Rehearsal
Saturday March 28	10-12	Cargo Shop Open

PARISH NEWS

BON APPETIT—COMMUNITY MEAL PROGRAM

Wednesday, March 19th is Church on the Cape's day to volunteer at Bon Appetit. Volunteers arrive at 4:20 p.m. @ 19 Crescent St. Biddeford.

DAILY DEVOTIONS FOR LENT

Pastor Greg has prepared daily devotionals for Lent, Monday- Friday. Just click on the link each day. An email will go out weekly with a link to each day's devotion. Please check your inbox, our website, or our Facebook page for updates.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING RESCHEDULED

Please note the Worship Committee Meeting will meet on Thursday, March 20th, at 4:00 p.m.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE REPRESENTATIVE NEEDED

Last year Bruce Donath was our Lay Member for the Annual Conference meeting. With Bruce's move, we need to find a new person who is willing to go to Annual Conference to represent our church. The dates this year are June 19-21. This is an important job that we need to fill as soon as possible. Please speak to Rev. Smith if you are willing to volunteer or if you want more information.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

If you would like to be a volunteer in a Sunday School program for our children, please speak to Rev. Smith. We would like to provide a program, but it will depend on having willing adult volunteers.

FROM THE CARGO SHOP

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED ON TUESDAYS

The Cargo Shop is need of help on Tuesdays, from 2-4 pm.

Please reach out to Susan Hathorne at
207-985-5665 or skhathorne@aol.com



Senior Moment's Spring Concert

Please join us for an afternoon of
Musical Merriment...

Wednesday, May 7 @ 4 p.m.

**Church on the Cape,
Kennebunkport**

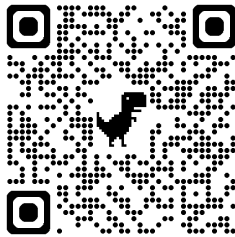
**Admission is FREE
Donations Appreciated**





Everyone is welcome at Church on the Cape, UMC, without exception. What matters most to us and what unites us as a vibrant, compassionate community of faith, is the assurance that we are all beloved children of God and of sacred worth to our Creator. Come as you are and join us on our faith journeys as we seek to make followers of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

*Join us from wherever you call home:
If you like what you see here, we post our worship, music, children's messages and sermons online - you can find them via our website : www.churchonthecape.org*



CHURCH ON THE CAPE STAFF

Rev. Greg Smith	Pastor
Paul N. Stephan	Music Director
Ivan Collazo	Custodian
Jen Murray	Office Administrator
Mike Kelly	Streaming Coordinator
Jean Baracco	Head Usher
Adrien Baracco	Assistant Usher