Dennis Union Church

Making a Difference

Sunday, April 15, 2018

FLOWERS – Given by Gordon Bellemer "In loving memory of my mother, Gertrude, and my father. Royal Bellemer."

DEACON OF THE DAY - Peggy McAloon

<u>USHERS -</u> Ralph & Nancy Aceti, Barbara Lussier

THIS WEEK AT DENNIS UNION CHURCH

SUNDAY, April 15

10:00 - Worship

11:00 - Fellowship

1:00 - Eventide reh.

MONDAY –April 16

PATRIOT'S DAY - OFFICES CLOSED

6:30 - Eventide

TUESDAY - April 17

8:30 - Auction pick ups

5:00 - Social Concerns

6:30 - Eventide

WEDNESDAY – April 18

9:30 - Clergy

5:15 - Bells

7:00 - Choir

THURSDAY - April 19

6:30 - Eventide

7:30 - Al-Anon

FRIDAY – April 20

SATURDAY - April 21

8:30 – "We Are the Men" reh.

3:00 - Eventide

PRAYER LIST - April 15, 2018

Nursing Home

Edith Conti – Liberty Commons

Robert Darling - Wingate of Brewster

Health Concerns

E. Kenney Baker (ex husband of Rachel Simons)

Richard Burnham

Anthony Coccio, Jr. (son of Tony Coccio)

Bob Colpitts (brother of Nancy Aceti)

Ann Johnson

Ruth Johnson

Kennedy Joy (member of the Cerbone Family)

Kim and her family (friends of Fiscus family)

Geri Noble

Elizabeth Peterson (niece of Laura & Blair Jasie)

Bill Springer (brother of Earl Springer)

Others to Support with Prayer

Service men and women serving at home and

abroad

Colombia mission project.

NEWSLETTER SIGN UP

You can sign up to receive our monthly newsletter, The Steeple Bell, and our Friday e-mailing on the church website, **duchurch.org**. On the right side of the home page, you can easily find the place to sign up. Our Friday e-mailing is very important. It provides updates on the life of the church.

IT'S JAR TIME!!

Please save your recyclable MASON JARS... PINTS AND HALF PINTS...NO QUARTS! We can use as many as we get in the Country Store. You can drop them off in the Music Library or in the office with Nancy. Thank you!!

AUCTION NEWS

We picked up a superb Drexel Heritage dining room set. It is currently up on the stage in Fellowship Hall. We are attempting to pre-sell it



before the auction. Leave your name with the office if interested. Also, spring cleaning time is a catalyst for donors to our Auction. We are still looking for volunteers

for Tuesday morning pick ups. Men or women. We are also in need of garage space to store items that are being gathered. In either case, please contact Ralph Aceti at 508 619 7724.

APRIL TARGETED DONATION

The final total of our Change for Children collection has not yet been tallied, but it appears that your generosity made the total about \$1,000.00.

During the month of April, we will be collecting granola bars for the Hands of Hope Food Pantry AND the Dolphin Fund of DY High School. Granola bars are a good source of nutrition.

ACTIVITIES

A fun way to get to know your Dennis Union Church friends is to share a meal with them. Your Activities Committee is making this possible in two ways – one for those who prefer a noon-time brunch, and one for those who are available for an evening dinner and fellowship.

The Brunch Bunch is looking for hosts/hostesses for the upcoming months of April through October. If interested, please call Ruth Lund at: 508-362-0180.

Let's Do Dinner – These evening dinners are scheduled for Friday, April 27, and will take place in HOSTS' homes. We invite you to sign up as a HOST or a GUEST during coffee hours on three Sundays in April – the 8th (today), 15th, and 22nd. HOSTS open their homes to GUESTS who bring part of the meal (the HOST provides the beverages and the entrée). Last year we had 7 hosts and 33 guests who enjoyed an evening of good food and fellowship. Let's do it again! Be sure to watch for the sign-up table in Fellowship Hall in April, or call Betty Boothe at 774-330-2191.

PARKING

If you are able, please leave the parking spaces close to church for those who have difficulty walking. Thank you!

EMERGENCY LIST

If you come to worship alone or live alone, you might choose to fill out an Emergency Contact Form. Forms are available by the Guest Books. The Deacons keep the completed forms so that the church will know whom to contact in case of an emergency.

FRIENDLY VISITOR

Would you like to be a "Friendly Visitor"? To expand the ministry of the church, we are hoping to enlist volunteers who would be willing to make one visit



each month. Please be in touch with the church office to volunteer.

We are also creating a list of volunteers willing to drive church members to medical appointments on occasion. Rides are also available through the Senior Centers in both Dennis and Yarmouth.

If you are willing to be on either list, please contact Nancy, in the church office, to be added! Thanks!

COMING UP THIS WEEK

Tomorrow, April 16, is Patriot's Day. In observance, the church offices will be closed.

On Thursday, April 19, the church will close early. Both Terry and Nancy have unavoidable doctor appointments. We will close around 1:30. If you have any church business, please come in early!

CANDLE HOLDERS

The candle holders on the communion table today were turned on a wood lathe by the Rev. Sarah Carpenter. They are fashioned from wood harvested from olive trees in the Middle East, in the area around Jerusalem. They have been finished with a mixture of olive oil and bees wax. Thank you, Sarah, for sharing your talents with your church.