Our Church's Life and Ministry for the week beginning October 19, 2025 Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m.

THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE WEEK AHEAD Psalm 98 Matthew 14:22-38

Ministry of Prayer

The Deacons Ministry has an active Prayer Ministry that is willing to pray for anyone who is in need of prayers. Email your prayer request to: jhsmith19@gmail.com.

Anchor Bay Greenwich – Walter Cole Brookdale Assisted Living (S.K.) – Janice Dinonsie Brookdale Assisted Living (Coventry) – Paul and Margaret Pierce, Bert Tanner

So. Co. Rehab(Lakeside) – Bill Thompson **Continued prayers for** – Dennis Bell, John LeSuer, Beth and Warren LeValley, Lynn Stanton, Carol Stuart, Sue Thompson, Jay and Yayin Wang,, Barbara Juliano

PRAYER REQUESTS-October 12, 2025

<u>Gayle L</u>-Strengthen the Search Committee and be their guide in finding a new Associate Pastor, help us to find the right person, thank for the blessings in her life <u>Pastor Tim</u>- Traveling mercies for Pastor Clay and Beth as they travel home

<u>Cathy H</u>- Several members and friends are dealing with illnesses, remind us to pray for these people, help us to be a blessing for those who are ill and scared, be with them, heal them and help them

Jeff S- Thank you for this congregation, the fellowship and a place to come for support Sue V- Be with those who are not with us today, strengthen them and remind them they aren't alone and that you are there, thank you for the blessing in her family that they accomplished what was needed to be done

"YOU MATTER!" DON'T BE LEFT IN THE DARK! JOIN US FOR Medicare Information LUNCH! Monday, 10/27 at Noon.

Bring your Medicare questions!

Big changes are ahead beginning January 2026. Some plans even eliminated.

Our guest expert will answer Medicare questions, nopressure. Friends and regular attendees welcomed! Sign-up helpful so we know how much to cook, but all welcome! See you then!!



The following items are in high demand at Jonnycake Center:

-Rice (Brown or White) -Cereal

-Canned Veggies -Healthy Snacks

-Jars of sauce -Soups

-Canned fruit in 100% juice

If you can help with any of these needs the Red Wagon is waiting.

Other non-perishable foods are always welcome!

Thank you for your support in all Mission Projects!

Upcoming Meetings, Events, etc.:

Thursdays 3:45 pm Choir Rehearsal Mon. 10/20 2:30 pm Study Group Wed. 10/22 3:15 pm-Mission/Discipleship Thurs. 10/23 2:30 pm Introducing Jesus Bible Study

Mon. 10/27 12 Noon Luncheon – Medicare Changes

Tues. 10/28 3:00pm Ministries Council

Bible Study

Twelve Ordinary Men study group continues until the end of October on Mondays, 2:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Clay and Beth have returned from vacation! Welcome back! Our sincere thanks to Rev. Tim Chesser, who has been our guest preacher on both Sundays that Clay was away.

Postponements

The luncheon with the Deacons that was being planned for **October 23**rd is being postponed. Watch for a new date in the upcoming new year!

The VASA (Quahog Lodge-Swedish group) Tag Sale will be held next Saturday, October 25 from 9 am to 1 pm. in Fellowship Hall. Postponed from 10/18.



Introducing... Jesus Reflections on the Gospel of John Thursday afternoons at 2:30

Who is Jesus, and why does he matter? Come and see! All are invited to join us for prayer, reflection, and conversation as we listen to the Apostle John introduce Jesus to all who open his Gospel and read it in faith. This study will run up until Thanksgiving. At that point we'll take a break for the holidays, then resume early in the new year. For more information, speak to Clay.



BOOKS FOR KIDS In the narthex you will find some books for kids. Pick a few books to look at during worship. Feel free to take one home with you.



Jewelry for Mission

Our table displaying costume jewelry will remain in Fellowship Hall for a few more weeks. Take whatever pins, necklaces, bracelets, earrings, or watches you can use, and leave a donation in the box which will go to South County Habitat for Humanity.

The table will then be filled with Christmas cards and items that might be used for gifts. All donations go to mission projects.



We are looking for volunteers to host Fellowship Hour. Please let Julie, Dian, or Sue B. know if you would like to host for any Sunday from October26th on.

STAFF

Dian Arnold......Church Admin. Assistant

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WORSHIP SERVICES INFORMATION

Our services are live streamed on YouTube. Bring up YouTube and search for Wakefield Baptist Church RI. You can watch live on Sunday morning or bring up past services

Important –Please remember to respect privacy and confidentiality by using first names only, and refrain from sharing personal medical information when sharing your prayer concerns. Please get the permission of the person concerned before sharing any information.



Your offerings to the church will help us continue to strengthen and expand our ministries here, throughout our community and around the world. Envelopes are available in the pews and offering plates are conveniently placed at the front and rear entrances of the sanctuary if you wish to make a donation. Thank you!