Our Church's Life and Ministry for the week beginning October 26, 2025 Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m.

THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE WEEK AHEAD Matthew 5:1-12 Revelation 7:9-17

#### **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: <a href="mailto:jhsmith19@gmail.com">jhsmith19@gmail.com</a>.

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, Barbara Juliano, John LeSuer, Beth and Warren LeValley, Lynn Stanton, Carol Stuart, Sue Thompson, Jay and Yayin Wang,

#### PRAYER REQUESTS-October 19, 2025

<u>Barbara J</u>- Prayers for her friend, Mary, who is 84 and has cancer, she fell and broke her arm and dislocated her shoulder and is now in rehab at Roberts Health Center

<u>Sue B</u>- Thankful for the prayers for her father who had surgery and continued prayers as he recovers in rehab

<u>Nancy B</u>- Many have family discord and struggles with family members, help each other as we go through these struggles, give us wisdom and compassion, allow us to become closer to each other and to you

<u>Jeff S-</u> Prayers for his granddaughter who is having seizures, prayers for his brother who is a ward of the state and having rehab for behavioral issues, prayers he'll get the help he needs

## "YOU MATTER!" DON'T BE LEFT IN THE DARK! JOIN US FOR Medicare Information LUNCH! Monday, 10/27 (tomorrow!) 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!!



Fill the wagon with everyday food needs.

Donations will go towards filling the shelves at

# JOHNNY CAKE FOOD PANTRY and URI OUT POST

(Please see back of this page for info about speaker on Sunday, November 2)

ALL kinds of foods are needed and welcomed.

Thank you for your support in all Mission Projects!

#### **Upcoming Meetings, Events, etc.:**

Thursdays 2:30 pm Introducing...Jesus Bible Study

Thursdays 3:45 pm Choir Rehearsal Mon. 10/27 2:30 pm Study Group Mon. 10/27 12 Noon Luncheon – Medicare Changes

Tues. 10/28 3:00pm Ministries Council
Sat. 11/1 8 am Men's Breakfast
Sun. 11/2 -All Saints' Day (see other side)
-Barbara Sweeney from
URI Outpost Speaks during Fellowship

#### Bible Study

**Twelve Ordinary Men** study group has its last session TOMORROW, Monday, at 2:30 pm. We will resume the study for 3 more sessions after the first of the year.



### 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.

### **Celebrating All Saints: November 2**

November 1 is officially All Saints' Day, though we will celebrate the feast with communion on Sunday, November 2 during our morning worship service. Our worship will remind us of the communion we still keep with those now at rest in the Lord's presence, gathered in peace enjoying eternal communion with him. We will specifically remember those from our congregation who passed into glory over the past year.

We invite you to bring photographs of those in your life who have died in the Lord and now live in his presence. These don't just have to be pictures of immediate family. They could include those who led you to the Lord, mentored or impacted your faith, or represented the Lord to you through their life-lesson and example. We will display these pictures at the front of our sanctuary to remind us that "we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses" (Hebrews 12:1). And at the Table, we'll celebrate that mysterious reality that we continue to keep communion with them in the Lord.

Also on Sunday 11/2, join us during Fellowship time to hear what Barbara Sweeney is doing at the URI Out Post.

This is an on-campus food pantry serving many International students.

A mission in our own back yard.



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 November 2nd on.

#### **STAFF**

Dian Arnold.......Church Admin. Assistant
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Catherine Holloway....Minister of Music (choir)
Jim Paulhus......Sexton
Julie Wardwell......Minister of Music

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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!