

***Prayer of Confession**

God of compassion and grace, you call us to follow you and to listen to the sound of your voice. But we want to go our own way, listening only to the sound of our desires. You give us food that will fill our souls, and water that will satisfy our thirst for you. Still, we wander away, looking for greener grass in other places. You long to comfort our wounds and protect us from harm. Forgive us when we run towards danger, refusing to accept the good gifts you offer. Amen.

***Gloria Patri (Hymn 579)**

Anthem My Shepherd arr. by Anna Laura Page

Scripture Lesson Deuteronomy 11:16-23

Sermon **Teaching Our Children** Rev. Shawn Garan

Offertory Anthem Hallelujah, Amen! Richard Donn

Offertory

***Doxology**

Prayer of Dedication *(said in unison)

Compassionate Shepherd, accept these gifts as signs of our gratitude for the generous gifts you give us— gifts flowing from the eternal stream of your grace. Amen.

Joys & Concerns/Lord’s Prayer

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: *And also with you.*

Leader: Let us pray.

Pastoral Prayer

(A time for silent personal reflection.)

Silent Prayer/Pastoral Prayer/Lord’s Prayer (“debts”)

Hymn 423 *Jesus Shall Reign Where’re the Sun

***Commissioning and Benediction**

Postlude Marche De Triomphe Robert H. McHiver

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() Please stand.*

Deacon in Charge: Jim Marmon

The **Chancel Flowers** today are from the Hayden and Lee families. They would like to honor Ellen’s mother, Evie, and grandmother, Erna; Michael’s mother, Helena Marsh, and father, Frank Case. Jim’s father, James Joseph, and brothers Artie and David - with their fondest memories and love.

Coffee Hour – There is a sign-up sheet in Fletcher Hall for those who would like to bring baked goods for “Sunday Morning Coffee Hour.” We recommend that you bring approximately four dozen bite-size items. The church will continue to supply fruit and beverage. **You can also sign-up by emailing pam@2cc.org.**

Second Congregational Church - Upcoming Events

Date	Time	Event	Location
Sunday, May 12	11:45 a.m.	Men’s Rehearsal	
Monday, May 13	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts	Cottage
Tuesday, May 14	11:30 a.m.	Women’s Fellowship Luncheon	
Wednesday, May 15	1:00 p.m.	Calendar Meeting	Fletcher Hall
	4:15 p.m.	Primary Choir/K-5 grade	Brush Hall
	5:30 p.m.	Youth Choir	Brush Hall
	7:30 p.m.	Bible Study	Parlor
Thursday, May 16	7:00 p.m.	Greenwich Moms	Fletcher Hall
Friday, May 17	5:00 p.m.	Youth Group/MS	
	7:00 p.m.	Hilltop Rehearsal	Chapel
Saturday, May 18	2:00 p.m.	Primary YC/ Beauty and the Beast	Greenwich High
	5:00 p.m.	Evensong	Chapel

May Music Schedule

May 19 - Youth Choir

May 26 - Soloist





In June, we will recognize graduates from all high schools, colleges and universities, as well as professional schools, diplomas, bachelors, masters, doctorates and certificates of course completion. We want to recognize and thank God for those who have put the effort into their education.

Please email Gloria at gloria@2cc.org with the name of the graduate and with the information concerning any future educational or professional plans that graduate might have, no later than Wednesday, June 5.



SECOND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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May 12, 2019

Prelude Joyous Day! John Leavitt

Welcome

Introit

One Faith, One Family

Music & Lyrics by Alexander Constantine

Primary Choir

*Call To Worship (*Psalm 78*)

Leader: Give ear, O my people, to my teaching; incline your ears to the words of my mouth. I will open my mouth in a parable; I will utter sayings from old, things that we have heard and known, that our ancestors have told us.

People: We will not hide them from their children; we will tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord, and his might, and the wonders that he has done.

Leader: He established a decree in Jacob, and appointed a law in Israel, which he commanded our ancestors to teach their children; that the next generation might know them.

People: Let us rise up and tell this to our children, so that they should set their hope in God, and not forget the works of God, but keep his commandments.

Leader: We your people, the flock of your pasture, give thanks to you forever; from generation to generation we recount your praise.

*Hymn 142

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

The Rite of Confirmation - The Rite of Confirming One's Baptism

Invitation

Questions of the Candidates

The Act of Confirmation

Unison Prayer

Almighty and compassionate God, may your hand be ever over your children. Bless especially this day your children Anne Virginia Roth, Morgan Cassidy Kennedy, and James Mark Wailgun who affirm their faith before You and this congregation. Lead us and them in the knowledge and obedience of your Word that they may serve you in this life and dwell with you in the life to come; through Jesus Christ. Amen.



**Second Congregational Church
Women's Fellowship Luncheon
Tuesday, May 14
11:30 a.m.**

GREENWICH WATER CLUB

\$40
**RSVP TO GLORIA IN THE CHURCH OFFICE:
GLORIA@2CC.ORG**



Performing Arts Camp 2019

JULY 8-12

Act I: 9:00-12:00
Grades 1-4

Movement for Kids, Group Singing, Beginning Improv, Two Small Group Lessons (per student), and Special Guests

Act II: 1:00-4:00
Grades 5-12

Improv Warm-Ups and Games, Musicals, Dance, Singing, Private Voice Lessons (15 minutes each, two per student). Audition Prep, Musical Theatre Show of the Day, and Special Guests

Finale: End-of-the-Week Showcase for Act I & II

Cost: \$300.00 for the week per student (Discounts For Siblings, Scholarships Available). All classes/activities take place at Second Congregational Church, 139 East Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, CT

For more information please visit 2cc.org

Greenwich Moms' Group

Moms' Group
Tuesday at
9:30 a.m.

June 4

Moms' Night
Thursday at
7:00 p.m.

May 16
June 13

Contact Jessica@2cc.org for more information



join us!

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME

2CC GAME DAY AFTER CHURCH

Mets vs. Tigers

Sunday, May 26th

Gametime is at 1:10

We'll meet at the church at 11:45am and carpool to the game.

RSVP

Cost is \$65/ticket

Pay via cash, check, or card swipe at the church.

You can give your payment to Rev. Shawn or put it in his church mailbox.



SECOND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
GREENWICH, CT

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2019



June 24-28

Ages 4-5th Grade
9:00 a.m. - noon daily

FOR MORE INFORMATION & SIGNUP PLEASE VISIT 2CC.ORG OR EMAIL: VBSCAMP@2CC.ORG