



Join us for Worship Sunday at 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

October 17, 2024

Dear Friends of Second Church,

This Sunday, we are delighted to welcome Rev. Dr. Lynne Kramer to preach and preside at the 8:30 and 10:30 services. I hope you'll make it a point to be there!

Also, a big thank you to Treasurer Gordon Ng for his Moment For Mission last Sunday, kicking off the Annual Stewardship campaign — and to Alicia Tiberio, the chair of Christian Education, for standing up this weekend to make the case for your support.

Below, you'll find helpful information about upcoming programs here at 2CC and in the community.

See you in church,

Please note that Rev. Dr. Lynne Kramer will be preaching at both services on Sunday, October 20.

Sermons are always
available online:
[2CCSermons](#)

If you can't make it in person, join us
via [Livestream for our 10:30
a.m.](#) Sunday service.



The damage assessment from Hurricanes Helene and Milton through Florida and of the mountain South is only just beginning, but it is already clear that many communities will be rebuilding for weeks or even longer. The United Church of Christ has a long tradition of disaster relief and support. In most instances, we arrive after the initial work of rescue and basic repair has concluded, and a community's

focus turns to its future. Accordingly, while other (excellent) organizations work to be sure. Accordingly, while other (excellent) organizations work to be “first on the scene,” we are known for being one of the ***last to leave***.

[Click here to donate](#)

Children's Chapel at 2CC

Infant and toddler nursery care is open 10:15 a.m.-11:45 a.m., and little ones are also welcome with their parents in the sanctuary. Families are encouraged to join in the worship experience as makes sense for each individual child.

Deacons can help direct you to our nursery room.

Children ages kindergarten and up are encouraged to start worship with their parents at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Those who wish may depart for Children's Chapel and Choir with Jenny at about 10:45 a.m.

For more information please contact Jenny@2cc.org

Registration not required but helpful for us to best know and love your child.

[Register for Children's Chapel](#)



On Sunday, October 20 our Lego Workshop is Back in Children's Chapel!

We will be continuing our monthly series, "Building a Unique Life with God" brick by brick this Sunday, October 20.

"You also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus"
Peter 2:5

Join our Elementary & Youth Choirs!

Rehearsals are each Wednesday

Elementary Choir (Grade K-4)
4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Youth Choir (Grade 5 & Older)

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Email Brigid for more information about our Choir Programs



Our Cherub Choir did a GREAT job on Sunday!

Join us for Chancel Choir this Fall

Our chancel choir is back for another season of singing during our 10:30 services. If you are interested in joining us this year, please consider the following:

- You are not required to sing each month.
- We rehearse after the 10:30 service for 45 minutes.
- You don't have to sing like Pavarotti, just a desire to sing!
- Singing with the choir is a fun, social experience.
- You can try us out before you commit!
- No auditions, just show up and we'll sign you up!



October

20 Choir Rehearsal
27 10:00 Rehearsal,
10:30 Service

November

10 Choir Rehearsal
17 Choir Rehearsal
24 10:00 Rehearsal,
10:30 Thanksgiving Service

December

8 Choir Rehearsal
15 Choir Rehearsal
22 Choir Rehearsal
24 5:30 Rehearsal, 6:30
Christmas Eve Service

Email: Alexander@2cc.org for more information

Regional Youth Ministry...

For all high schoolers



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INTRO
CLASS

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leigh@
fccog
.org

108 Sound Beach Ave in
Greenwich
FREE! FREE! FREE!
Oct. 20 @ 5 pm

Click here to learn more about Regional Youth
Ministry

Mark your calendars...

Fall back into Yoga with Miranda!



Friday Mornings
October 18 - November 22
9:00-10:00 a.m.

Miranda is a Kaia Yoga instructor. Her classes are fun, creative & designed to allow each of us to connect with our presence.



\$20 per class
Drop-ins welcome
Scholarships available
For more information contact
Jenny@2cc.org

Second Congregational Church - 139 E. Putnam Avenue
Enter the door closest to the Church Office

Mom's Night In!

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25
6:00 - 8:00 P.M.

Decadent S'mores,
Festive bites, and Fall
Beverages.

Hosted by Karen Wieman and
Jenny Byxbee

Comfy clothes and a lawn chair
encouraged. RSVP to
Jenny@2cc.org for address.

Need a sitter? Feel free to let us
know, we have some leads!



RSVP to Jenny for S'mores!

HALLOWEEN HAUNT

Sunday October 27

11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Second Congregational Church
Mead Lawn next to Coffee for Good
Music, Crafts, and Special Guests!

The GEMS "Spooky Ambulance" will be there too!



Costumes Encouraged
For more information
contact: Jenny@2cc.org



*We are hosting our Halloween Haunt on Sunday, October 27!
Any and all candy donations to help make the day extra sweet for the children
would be appreciated. In the chance there are leftovers, we will be sending out
"Candy for the Troops" with the non-profit, Soldiers Angels. A collection bin will be
left outside the nurse room starting Sunday, October 13.
Thank you so very much for any donations you might be able to make!*



Save the dates!

Join these inclusive social events at Coffee for Good...

The Coffee for Good Teen Board is hosting the
following inclusive social events:

Sunday, October 27 - Bingo
Sunday, November 24 - Karaoke

*Each will be held from 3:30-5:00 p.m. at Coffee For Good
Come one, Come all!*

Looking ahead to November...

We are all on God's Team!

vacation bible school

Tuesday, November 5

School is OUT but VBS is ON!

9:00-11:30 a.m.

\$25 per Child

**8:00-9:00 a.m. breakfast bunch option
(scholarships available)**

Seek his will in all
you do, and he will
show you which
path to take
Proverbs 3:6



Use QR code to register



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VBS](#)

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2CC Women's
Fellowship
Invites you for
The Great Estates of
Greenwich

Tuesday, November 12
11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Fletcher Hall

Lecture by Davide Strackbein
from The Greenwich Historical
Society who will be speaking
about the
Great Estates of Greenwich

Lunch Immediately Following
\$20 per person
RSVP: Pam@2cc.org

**RSVP to Pam for Great Estates of
Greenwich**

2CC Ladies Night!

Sip and Shop at Splurge!

Thursday, November 21

6:00-8:00 p.m.

Join us for a night of wine, cheese, and a sneak peek of holiday must haves. No purchase necessary. 10% of all purchases will be donated back to 2cc.

Splurge is located at 39 Lewis Street
Greenwich, CT 06830

SplurgeGifts.com

RSVP'S helpful: Jenny@2cc.org

RSVP to Jenny for event at Splurge

Around Town...

The Undies Project is thrilled to announce its upcoming fundraiser event, "The Magic of Giving," set to take place on Saturday, October 19, from 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM at the Fish Church, aka First Presbyterian Church, located at 1101 Bedford Street in Stamford.

This enchanting evening will feature the incredible talents of magician, mentalist and comedian Gary Ferrar, promising a night of awe-inspiring entertainment and wonder. Charismatic Kim Berns will be the emcee for the night. Guests will also enjoy delicious hors d'oeuvres and desserts by renowned Aux Délices, ensuring a delightful culinary experience. Attendees will also enjoy complimentary



THE UNDIES PROJECT

PRESENTS

THE MAGIC OF GIVING

WITH



GARY FERRAR



MC KIM BERNS

OCTOBER 19TH
7-10PM

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF STAMFORD

1101 BEDFORD ST.
STAMFORD, CT

FOR TICKETS

[HTTPS://MAGICOFGIVING.GIVESMART.COM](https://magicofgiving.givesmart.com)

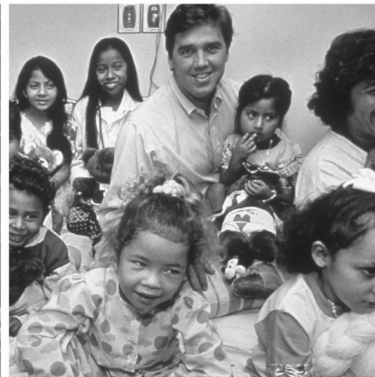
beer & wine throughout the evening.

In addition to the mesmerizing magic and gourmet food, the event will include a silent auction with exciting items up for bid.

All proceeds from the event will go towards supporting our 55 partner agencies by providing them with new underwear for those in need, promoting dignity and self-esteem.

The Undies Project is a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing new underwear to men, women, and children in need, improving their lives by providing a necessity that is overlooked.

[Click here for Magic of Giving Tickets](#)



**HEART CARE INTERNATIONAL
30TH ANNIVERSARY GALA**
HEALING HEARTS GLOBALLY • OCTOBER 26, 2024 • 6:30PM
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[Click here to learn more about Heart Care International](#)

[Click here to purchase tickets](#)

Carve out a
new tradition.

Give Blood!



There is a severe blood shortage in our community for all of us! Donate now!

Interfaith Blood Drive

Sign Up for:

Saturday, November 2, 2024

8:00 am – 1:30 pm

First Presbyterian Church
1 West Putnam Ave., Greenwich, CT

**Sponsored by Congregation Shir Ami, First Baptist,
First United Methodist, Second Congregational, and First Presbyterian
Churches**

For an appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org Use Code FPCG
Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).



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Click here and enter code FPCG to reserve your spot!

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