



Worship with us on Sunday at 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

March 27, 2025

Dear Friends of Second Church,

I'm delighted to share some of the activities happening at 2CC in the next few weeks.

It's also not too early to begin thinking about Holy Week, and particularly our Maundy Thursday evening service (on April 17th), followed by the prayer vigil (with hourly slots through the night and next morning), and a combined Good Friday service held jointly at First Congregational Church of Old Greenwich.

These are all terrific services that will help you celebrate Easter Sunday on an even deeper level.

In the meantime, there are many opportunities to gather and learn from one another.

See you in church,

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.

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 to 5th grade 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 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

Mark your calendars...

**Winter-Spring Yoga
Friday mornings until April 18**

Cost is \$20/week (drop-ins welcome).

Nursery care & scholarships available upon request.
Caring & certified instructors each week can modify for
beginner to advanced.

**Email Jenny for more information about Yoga
classes**

2CC Ladies Invite you for

Coffee & Conversation

“How Smart Women Care for It All”
with Kathryn Sollmann, Author of the “The 4 Jobs Club”

Saturday, April 5

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

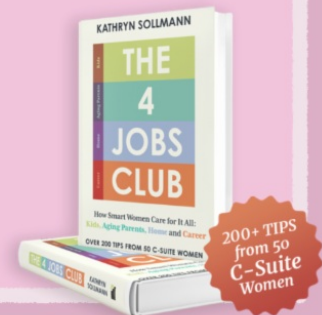
Discussion moderated by Jennifer Roth
in the Chapel followed by Q&A

\$35 per person, includes copy of the book

Visit 2CC.org for payment

Scholarships and childcare available
by contacting Jenny@2cc.org

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**Reserve your spot for Coffee & Conversation in
April**

Women's Fellowship invites you to tour the

THE
CULINARY
INSTITUTE
OF
AMERICA®



Wednesday, April 9
9:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

(We will carpool from the church)



We will have lunch at the Ristorante Caterina de'Medici.

There will be time to visit the gift shop before our tour at 2:30.


Cost: \$30 Prix Fixe lunch (plus beverage, tax and service charge) and \$15 tour.

Sign up with Pam in the church office - space is limited.

RSVP to Pam for April 9 Event

Easter is coming...


Holy Week 2025



Palm Sunday

April 13

10:30 a.m.



Maundy Thursday

April 17

7:00 p.m.




Good Friday

April 18

7:30 p.m.

First Congregational
Church in Old Greenwich



Easter Sunday

April 20

6:07 a.m.

Sunrise Service

10:30 a.m.

Festival Service

Second Congregational Church of Greenwich: 2CC.org

Holy Week Prayer Vigil Following the Maundy Thursday evening service on April 17.

Our overnight prayer vigil will begin, and will continue until 3:00 p.m. on Friday, April 18. A feature of Holy Week at 2CC for the last 22 years, the vigil offers a powerful experience for private prayer in the Sanctuary, which is illuminated by a single light, focused from the base of the cross. Some come with a plan for their prayers, some read Scripture or find other devotional reading and go where it takes them, and some simply sit and “listen for God” in the silence. Most find that the hour passes quickly, and that Easter is more powerful as a result. Join us!

A deacon will also be available to help people sign up after the 10:30 Worship service or to sign up online, email Pam@2cc.org.

GOOD FRIDAY VBS



GOD'S LOVE IS EVERYWHERE!

Friday, April 18
9:00 a.m. - 11:30

A special Good Friday
Vacation Bible School
including feet washing,
a swim at the YMCA
pool & a pancake
lunch!

K-Grade 5: \$25
Children under 5:
must be accompanied
by a guardian
Grades 6-12:
welcome to attend as
CITs and for High
School
service hours
Scholarships
Available

Drop off and pick up
at the
Greenwich YMCA
(50 East Putnam Ave)

Our Minister of Care
and Connection,
Jenny Byxbee,
looks forward to
seeing you there!

RSVP no later than April 15
Email: Jenny@2cc.org

[VBS Payment](#)

[Register for VBS](#)

Sunday was busy at 2CC...

Everyone enjoyed the Irish Dancing before the St. Patrick's Day Parade & another successful meal prepared by the Pacific House Team!



Our efficient cooking team—Paula Saunders, Annette Grieco, Diane Mays and Gordon Ng—chopped, sauted, boiled, assembled the meal and cleaned up in time to attend the town St. Patrick’s Day parade. We were graced by the presence of Rev. Max who provided words of encouragement and entertained us with his lively raconteur during the meal preparation.

Thanks to Gail Covney, Lisa Wilson, Diane Mays, Paula Saunders and Jamie Cahill who baked enough cookies to give each client two each.

Bob Willett rejoined our serving team on Monday, being careful not to reinjure his foot. Chris Starr, our trusty van driver, brought us to and from the shelter safely. The team of Bob W, John Perry, Mary Alice Schulte and Chris Starr served over 50 meals. Judy Weeks-Padgett was our “roamer” filling in wherever needed. Kitchen helper Sylvie Michelle dished out the meal with speed and efficiency. Even though the shelter clients were engrossed in the Women’s NCAA game, they graciously stopped for a short prayer before the meal was served. Many thanks to our caring and energetic group of volunteers. See you in April!



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