



First Congregational United Church of Christ

An Open and Affirming, Just Peace,
Multiracial/Multicultural Congregation

Worshiping Sundays 1:00 PM at 4th & E Streets, NW., Washington, DC

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The Weekly Email Newsletter for Sunday October 23, 2011

This Sunday's Highlights:

Sermon Title: "Take a Breather? You Got to be Kidding"

Adult Nurture on Human Trafficking at 2:30 pm

This Weekend

Sunday, October 23

12:00pm - Bible Workbench

1:00pm - Worship Service

Preaching: Sid Fowler

Sermon Title:

Take a Breather? You Got to be Kidding

Scripture Readings: Isaiah 58:3, 6-7, 13-14;

Hebrews 4:1, 4, 9-11

2:00pm - Fellowship Hour – Hosts: Randy Herrick-Stare, Jessica & Scott Prentice, Suzanne Snyder

2:30pm – Adult Nurture: Sojourners in our Midst: Human Trafficking Today

Next Sunday, Oct. 23, The Social Action Commission arranged for speakers from the Polaris Project in Washington D.C. to meet during the Adult Nurture, sharing ways we can support this important effort for our community. Hope to see everyone there!

Named after the North Star that guided slaves towards freedom along the Underground Railroad, Polaris Project has been providing a comprehensive approach to combating human trafficking and modern-day slavery since 2002.

Preview

Thursday, October 27

7:30pm - Choir Rehearsal

Saturday, October 29

Washington, DC AIDS Walk

Sunday, October 30

12:00pm - Bible Workbench

1:00pm - Worship Service

Preaching: Bonnie Hardy

Worship Leader: Lucas Cacoza

2:00pm - Fellowship Hour – Hosts: Liz Warren, Kristy Goodfellow, Barbara Hayes, Priscilla Waters

5:30pm – Cluster dinner at the home of Susan Anderson and Family, 9815 Parkwood Drive, Bethesda, 20814. Contact Liz Warren at redlady@yahoo.com or at [301-341-1934](tel:301-341-1934) to RSVP.



Food Day is October 24.

For more information please visit :

<http://foodday.org/>

October 29 - The Washington AIDS Walk

The Walk is 5k walk and timed run for all ages benefitting and produced by Whitman-Walker a non-profit community based health organization which provide dependable, high quality comprehensive and accessible health care to those infected with or affected by HIV/AIDS.

We look forward to seeing you the morning of October 29th at Freedom Plaza (13th, E & Penn) near Metro center. To register go to www.aidswalkwashington.org and look for The First Steppers team. If you want to be virtuous and go virtual you can pledge support to one of us or register as a "sleepwalker."



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2011
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November 6 Coffee Hour Hosts:

John Smeltzer, Nick Benton,
Susie Hayward, Gail Sonnemann