

## STAFF AND LAY LEADERSHIP

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### Serving Today: March 20<sup>th</sup>

Welcoming Ministry:	Melanie, Jovianna, and Elena Bagaglio, Greeters Penny Cates and Charlie Thompson, Ushers
Liturgist:	Donna Moody
Acolyte:	Jovianna Bagaglio
Nursery:	Audry Sherry

### Next Week: March 27<sup>th</sup>

Welcoming Ministry:	Randy and LuAnn Belseth and Hester Kosiba, Greeters Dan Wheeler and Paul Wheeler, Ushers
Liturgist:	Audry Sherry
Acolyte:	Sam Hall
Nursery:	Murphy Ladies



Welcome to the Blackstone Valley United Methodist Church. We gather each week to praise God and celebrate God's presence in our lives before we begin a new week. We seek to support one another in prayer, and to challenge one another to grow in our faith and to live as God's people wherever we go and in whatever we do.

**Nursery care** for both infants and toddlers is available during the service every Sunday following **A Time for the Child in All of Us**. The nursery is located downstairs to the left of the stairway.

### **Sunday School**

Our program offers classes for Preschoolers through Grade 6. Preschool, Grades K & 1, and Grades 2 & 3 meet downstairs, below the sanctuary. Grades 4 – 6 meet in the Activity Room, below Faith Hall. All classes begin following **A Time for the Child in All of Us**.

### **STEWARDSHIP OF OUR FINANCES AND PRESENCE**

February 13, 2011	
Worship Attendance:	92
Offering:	\$8,119.10
Year-to-Date:	\$39,770.71
Current Mortgage Debt:	\$195,865.61

### **THIS WEEK AT BVUMC**

#### **TODAY**

**After service Children's Choir - Old Fellowship Hall**

#### **MONDAY, March 21<sup>st</sup>**

**6:30 PM United Methodist Men – Faith Hall**

#### **TUESDAY, March 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**7:00 PM AA meeting – Old Fellowship Hall**  
**Lenten Study – Faith Hall**

#### **WEDNESDAY, March 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**10:00 AM Lenten Study – Faith Hall**

#### **THURSDAY, March 24<sup>th</sup>**

**7:00 PM Music Ministry rehearsal – Sanctuary**

## SATURDAY, March 26<sup>th</sup>

7:30 AM AA meeting – Old Fellowship Hall

9:00 AM Women, Work and Worship – Faith Hall

**Children's Fellowship** – Saturday Night Bowling on **March 26<sup>th</sup>** at **6:00 PM** at Sparetime Lanes in Whitinsville. Cost is \$8.00 per person for one string of bowling and show rental. Extra strings and arcade games are an additional cost. Please see Tina Beauchaine for the sign-up list if you'd like to join us. Grown-ups are invited too!

### **The Green Ministry: Stewards of God's Creation**

We are excited to introduce The Green Ministry to BVUMC! Join us on **March 28<sup>th</sup>** at **6:30PM** in the Activity Room and discover the simplicity and goodness of “green” living. Together, we will learn how to incorporate the basic principles of sustainable living – reduce, reuse, recycle - to our daily lives. We will review various topics, discuss easy ways to make change, and maybe even implement a program or two to support our mission..

### UPCOMING EVENTS AT BVUMC

March 27<sup>th</sup>

Liturgical Dance Ministry

March 28<sup>th</sup>

Board of Trustees meeting

The Green Ministry

March 29<sup>th</sup>

AA meeting

Lenten Study

March 30<sup>th</sup>

Lenten Study

March 31<sup>st</sup>

Music Ministry rehearsal

April 2<sup>nd</sup>

AA meeting

April 3<sup>rd</sup>

Blue Bag Sunday

Children's Choir

April 4<sup>th</sup>

Church Council meeting

April 5<sup>th</sup>

AA meeting

Lenten Study

April 6<sup>th</sup>

Lenten Study

April 7<sup>th</sup>

Music Ministry rehearsal

April 9<sup>th</sup>

AA meeting

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

*April 17, 2011*

Palm/Passion Sunday

10:00 AM

*April 21, 2011*

Maundy Thursday

Service of Tenebrae

7:00 PM

*April 22, 2011*

Good Friday Ecumenical Service

Musical Meditations

Blackstone Valley United Methodist Church

12:00 Noon – 3:00 PM

### BVUMC Prayer List

Dick & Peg Hanny

Darlene LaBonne

Bernice Andrews

Ellie Lloyd

Marie Tucker – Steve Tucker's mother

Emma Caroline Sherry – niece of the Mike and Audry Sherry

Christine Thies – Bonnie Mochun's Friend

People of Japan

*Christian Love and Sympathy to Ed Simoncini on the death of his mother Dorothy Ann Simoncini this past week.*

### In the Community

**Whitin Community Center's** 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Kids Fair & Eggstravaganza. on April 16<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 1 PM. Everyone is welcome to attend this FREE event. For more information, call 508-234-8184 or visit [www.whitincommunitycenter.com](http://www.whitincommunitycenter.com)

#### NORTHBRIDGE ASSOCIATION OF CHURCHES OUTREACH

Blackstone Valley Free Medical Clinic

508 234-9356

Open 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month 6:00 - 8:00 pm.

"Peace of Bread Community Kitchen"

(BVUMC contacts)

David Nadreau 401 475-0354

LuAnn Belseth 508 278-7221

Northbridge Food Pantry

Community Coordinator

Kelly Lariviere 508 234-8446

**Volunteers may contact the person listed.**