

STAFF AND LAY LEADERSHIP

Ministers	The Entire Congregation
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<i>Administrative Assistant</i>	Danielle Wilson
<i>Music Ministry</i>	Marilyn Simoncini
<i>Musician</i>	Jeff Allard
<i>Custodian</i>	Ingrid Murphy, Peggy Codner, Dean & Barbara Fortin, Bob Marseglia, Lee Ducharme, Mark Gentry, Jean Rousseau
<i>Lay Leaders</i>	Mike Sherry
<i>Church Council Chair</i>	Steve Shangraw
<i>Trustee Chair</i>	Glenn King
<i>Finance Ministry Team Chair</i>	Audry Sherry
<i>Staff Parish Relations Chair</i>	Lucille Gallagher
<i>Nursery Coordinator</i>	Laural Plourde, Ingrid Murphy, Tina Beauchaine, Melanie Bagaglio
<i>Children's Ministry Team</i>	Audry Sherry
<i>Feeding Our Flock</i>	Jim & Joyce Gallagher
<i>Blue Bag Ministry</i>	Barbara Fortin
<i>Communion Ministry</i>	Jean & Sela Rousseau
<i>Visitation Ministry</i>	Ray Talke
<i>Webmaster</i>	



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: We offer programs for preschool through high school. Preschool, Grades K & 1, and Grades 2 & 3 meet downstairs, below the sanctuary. Grades 4 & 5 meet in the Activity Room, below Faith Hall and the middle school class meets in Faith Hall. Please watch for announcements regarding meeting times and locations for high school. All classes begin following **A Time for the Child in All of Us**. Visitors are welcome any time.

Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Email: BVUMC@blackstonevalleyumc.org

Website: www.blackstonevalleyumc.org

Mailing address: PO Box 55, Whitinsville, MA 01588

Pastors Sabbath Day: Tuesday

Pastors Office Hours: Wednesday – Friday, 10:00 -1:00 or by appointment

Serving Today: September 25th

Welcoming Ministry:	Karen Albright and Lucille Gallagher, Greeters Dick and Roberta Trier, Ushers
Liturgist:	Ray Talke
Acolyte:	Sera Mazzone
Nursery:	Murphy Ladies

Serving Next Week: October 2nd

Welcoming Ministry:	Merrill McNelly and Ed Simoncini, Greeters Doug Farley and Vicki Viana, Ushers
Liturgist:	Bob Clark
Acolyte:	Sam Warner
Nursery:	Lucille Gallagher

STEWARDSHIP OF OUR FINANCES AND PRESENCE

September 18, 2011

Worship Attendance:	97
Offering:	\$4,320.67
Year-to-Date:	\$153,408.24
Current Mortgage Debt:	\$179,821.58

THIS WEEK AT BVUMC

MONDAY, September 26th

7:00 PM Board of Trustees meeting – Activity Room

TUESDAY, September 27th

7:00 PM AA meeting – Old Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, September 28th

7:00 PM Church Centennial Committee – Activity Room

THURSDAY, September 29th

6:30 PM Music Ministry rehearsal – Sanctuary

SATURDAY, October 1st

7:30 AM AA meeting – Old Fellowship Hall

UPCOMING EVENTS AT BVUMC

- October 2nd Blue Bag Sunday**
- Prayer Shawl ministry**
- October 3rd Church Council**
- October 4th AA meeting**
- October 5th Church Centennial Committee meeting**
- October 6th Music Ministry rehearsal**
- October 8th AA meeting**
- Open house**
- Centennial Dinner**
- October 9th Church Centennial service**
- October 11th AA meeting**
- October 12th Finance Committee meeting**
- October 13th Music Ministry rehearsal**
- Blackstone Valley Gardeners**
- October 15th AA meeting**

Blue Bag Sunday: October 2nd

For the month of October, collected food will be going to the *People First Food Pantry* in Uxbridge. **Items needed:** pasta, tomato sauce, rice, rice dished, canned soup, vegetables and beans, Paper goods and personal items.

Confirmation 2012

Rev. Michele is planning to hold Confirmation classes for all Middle School Youth beginning in October. Confirmation will take place on Pentecost Sunday, May 27, 2012. **If you are interested please see Rev. Michele as soon as possible.**

BVUMC Prayer List

Peg Hanny	Ellie Lloyd	Gale Stevens
Paul Wheeler	Doug Farley	Ruth Anderson

Anita Lombardo (mom of Robert Lombardo)
 Dorothy Wheat (step-mom of Dixi Talke)
 Rob Spearin (Joyce Gallagher's grandson)

Our "At Home" members and friends

In the Community

The Blackstone Valley Crop Hunger Walk will be Saturday, October 15th, at 9:00 AM, at Trinity Church. Registration starts at 8:30 AM. The three-mile walk ends with a luncheon at the Community Hall by the Uxbridge Town Common. Check out the materials in Faith Hall.

Whitinsville Christian School, Preschool through grades 12, is holding its ***Annual Dutch Apple Pie Sale*** September 23rd through October 12th. For more information or to place order please call 508-234-8211 ext. 20 or go online at www.wcs.mec.edu/appliepie.cfm. Thank you for your support!

NORTHBRIDGE ASSOCIATION OF CHURCHES OUTREACH

<u>Blackstone Valley Free Medical Clinic</u>	508 234-9356
Open 2 nd Monday of the month 6:00 - 8:00 pm.	
<u>Peace of Bread Community Kitchen</u>	
BVUMC contacts	David Nadreau 401 475-0354
	LuAnn Belseth 508 278-7221
<u>Northbridge Food Pantry</u>	
Community Coordinator	Kelly Lariviere 508 234-8446

Volunteers may contact the person listed.