



Join us for Worship Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

June 12, 2024

Dear Friends of Second Church,

Be sure to remember that, as of this weekend, we shift to our summer schedule for worship: only one service, held in the air-conditioned Chapel at 9:30 a.m.

Childcare is still available.

We look forward to seeing you there!

By way of kicking off the summer, this Sunday we will welcome Khaleigh Laicher as our preacher — if you haven't met her yet, she lives on campus in the Mead House apartment (along with her wife, Julianna), and serves as the first Director of Regional Youth Ministry, which is being pioneered by 2CC and First Congregational Church of Old Greenwich (along with other partner churches) as a new, collaborative youth group.

For those heading off to beloved other places or various new adventures: godspeed and traveling mercies for you.

Of course, while we hope that churchgoing is a regular source of inspiration and comfort for people, we know that some people see taking a break from church as part of the freedom of going on vacation.

I won't ask, and you don't need to confess or seek forgiveness if that's where you've come down on the issue.

Instead, I'll affirm from my own experience that there's always something to be learned in visiting a different church, even if it's only once.

I've also found that I still need God, even when I'm on vacation. At the start of each day, there are still things that seem likely to be hard, and the end of the day leaves me aware of things done and undone that I would have wished otherwise. God is here to help with that...even when we're somewhere else.

It's also important to read something that inspires you, play music that delights you, and catch one sunrise—these may not be “religious,” per se, but they are often holy—different and deeper than the usual sights and sounds of our days. Certainly, the rest they offer is real.

Drop us a line if you have a moment, and we'll see you when you get back.

Otherwise....

See you in church,

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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 this summer...

Starting June 16- August 25, children encouraged to meet in the nursery from 9:30-10:30am for a very special summer worship experience for infants to school age children entering grade 5.

This is in alignment with our Summer worship schedule.

Children's Chapel this summer will include worshipping outside, special guests, crafts, games, scripture lessons, prayer, and worship services designed with young hearts and wiggly bodies in mind.

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...

It is estimated that half of everyone's life is spent in transition. Nevertheless, change is still the most feared and dreaded crisis confronting people, regardless of age.

COPING WITH CHANGE

**Saturday, June 29
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

Waterman Chapel at Second Congregational Church

Women's Fellowship is sponsoring a Saturday Morning Seminar entitled, "Coping with Change." Designed and moderated by the Rev. Dr. Lynne Kramer, the three-hour workshop will examine the challenges posed by change — physical, emotional, familial, occupational, financial and societal — and the many ways that faith enables us to reimagine and rebuild our lives.

This seminar is open to men and women of all ages. Join us!

Childcare available

Email: Pam@2cc.org to RSVP

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Another great Tent Weekend at 2CC!







[Click here to see more pictures on our website](#)

Around Town...

YOUNG WOMEN'S INITIATIVE (YW-I)



ABOUT OUR WORKSHOP

- Join us and be part of a diverse and inclusive community committed to making a difference!
- Engaging sessions on advocacy, self-esteem, legislative advocacy, and leveraging your voice
- Interactive breakout sessions and networking opportunities

**SAT, AUGUST 10,
2024**

10AM-4PM

**YWCA Greenwich
259 E. Putnam Ave, Greenwich
06830**

FEATURED SPEAKERS

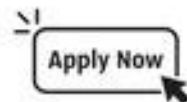
- Executive Director, The Campaign School at Yale, Patti Russo
- Vice President of Government & Public Relations at CCADV, Liza Andrews
- Community Partnership Liaison for the State of Connecticut's Paid Family, Nicole Sanclemente
- Women elected officials and more!

**Deadline
July 20th, 2024**



APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- You must be between ages 16 and 20.
- We welcome people who identify as women and are passionate about civic engagement and equity.
- We welcome applicants from all backgrounds and we strongly encourage young women of color to apply



**Each participant selected to attend the workshop will receive an award of \$150
Lunch & Refreshments will be provided**

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