



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

July 24, 2024

Dear Friends of Second Church,

Even though we are well into the time of staff and family vacations, there are still a few things we wanted to make sure you heard about happening here on campus and in the community.

With the hydrangeas beginning to turn in the garden, it's plain to see that summer is entering its next stage.

Soon, parents will start their ahem-ing about summer reading and those math packets (I'm delighted that they hadn't been invented yet when I was in school)...and LL Bean will send out that catalogue with everyone in their canoes with their dogs, gazing at leaves on the far shore of some remote lake and wearing a new fleece.

However, we are not there yet.

Meanwhile, another week of significant political news is surely thrilling for some, disappointing for some, and just plain exhausting for some — certainly along the same street, and perhaps even under the same roof.

But before you throw up your hands, grab the dog, and head for your canoe on that remote lake, remember that through every time and season, God is always with us, and the church is always eager to remind us of the many reasons to stay and keep at our remarkable invitation to join him in building the kingdom.

The hydrangeas may be turning, but His love never is.

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 this summer...

Now through August 25, children are encouraged to meet in the nursery from 9:30-10:30 a.m. 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



During the summer, Neighbor to Neighbor provides weekly additional food supplies to families with school-aged children who would otherwise rely on the free and reduced lunch program at school.

Please consider donating to their Summer Supplement food drive. Every donation directly supports families in need.

A collection bin is placed outside the 2CC nursery room door. Most needed items include canned meat, cereal, canned fruit, canned vegetables, and shelf-stable milk.

We had a busy week!

Ladies Night was a huge success! Thank you to the Hostess with the Most-est, Kathy Singleton & all that attended.



**Save the date for our next 2CC on Friday, August 16 at 6:00 p.m.
Details to follow...**

*Sunday was beautiful so coffee hour was outside.
Thank you to the Deacons for the beautiful yellow "friendship flowers" in honor of
July being Friendship Month!*



The kitchen was buzzing while everyone prepared another delicious meal for Pacific House.



Around Town...

Running Start Program at the YMCA

Helping Local Children Start The School Year With Confidence

Running Start is a program aimed at providing local school children with the opportunity to go **back-to-school clothes shopping**, empowering them to the start the new school year with confidence. This program is directly aligned with our commitment to nurture the potential of every child and teen.

As a volunteer, you will serve as “personal shopping assistants” for the program participants. It would be great to have members of the our local non-profits and community agencies participate; It is a wonderful opportunity to connect with families in a fun way to build and deepen connections.

Volunteering to help bring a local child back to school shopping is one of the best ways you can support our Running Start program. By volunteering your time, you can be an essential part of this transformative experience and create memories that will last a

Click here to learn more or volunteer for Running Start 2024



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

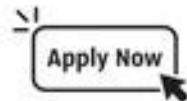
10AM-4PM

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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