

CHAPEL BY THE SEA MAY 2021 NEWSLETTER



**Greetings from Chapel by the Sea, Pacific Beach/Moclips WA
Worship continues online via Zoom Sundays at 10:30 am
Email pastor@chapelbytheseawa.org for the Zoom link**

**MAY 9, 10:30 AM
THE CHAPEL RE-OPENS
FOR WORSHIP!**

THE CHAPEL IS READY TO WELCOME YOU BACK! Alleluia!

A mitigation plan is in place.

- Please self-screen for signs and symptoms of COVID-19 *before* you arrive.
- At 50% capacity in Phase 3 the chapel can accommodate 60 people.
- Masks will be required even if you have been vaccinated and we can smile with our eyes as well.
- As you enter you'll need to give your name and phone number to our Covid Response Team member at the main door.
- Pews have been roped off for required distancing.
- Households may sit together with a maximum of 15 individuals seated together.
- Singing is permitted with masks (3-ply).

- Windows will be open to the sea air - bring your coat and blanket.

At this time we are not able to offer food and beverages:(

In honor of Mother's Day ALL may take home a flower:)

After worship choose one from the table outside as you leave.

NEW MEMBERS! - A DISCOVERING MEMBERSHIP CLASS
was offered on April 17 and five new members will be
presented to the congregation on MAY 9 during worship:
Please welcome: John Broten, Sean Northcutt,
Ashley and Gabriel Taylor, Kris Williamson to the beloved community.



Ashley, Gabriel, Joann, Linda, Kris, John, Sean, Connie, Ed, Margaret
top right, Dianne and Wally.

May 2, 2021 at 10:30 am - Communion Sunday via Zoom

Prepare your elements ahead of time. We will partake together via Zoom.

Our plan is to continue to offer Zoom during worship from the chapel.

May 2, God willing, will be our last Zoom only worship!

Celtic Christian Spirituality continues on Zoom
Thursdays via Zoom from 4 - 5 pm led by Pastor Linda
The book study is Philip Newell's *Christ of the Celts*
(Email pastor for the Thursday Zoom link)

Session Highlights - our regular meeting was postponed.
(Session meets on May 2 to finalize the COVID-19 mitigation plan)

Chapel Kitchen Painting Project - continues...

Painting of the kitchen cabinets has been completed by our awesome volunteer painters - thank you! Cabinet doors will be rehung and new hardware will be installed. Now on to Phase 2, the kitchen sink!



60th Anniversary funds are being put to good use to refurbish the kitchen, and install a wi-fi extender in the chapel so that when we return to in person worship, our attendees on Zoom can continue to join us.

Community Outreach

Hunger Action Team (HAT) a ministry of Chapel by the Sea met on April 11 and voted to continue servicing the food banks: the North Beach food bank at Fire Station #8 on the third Tuesday of every month



Pastor Linda, Kat, Jennifer serving the NB Food Bank



Thursday food boxes at the chapel

Thank you to our volunteers for making this happen.

and **the new drive through food bank in the Chapel by the Sea parking lot on Thursdays. In April the chapel distributed 253 food boxes!**

The drive through food bank in the chapel parking lot will continue **in May every Thursday** from 2 - 4 pm. Our thanks to the North Beach Senior Center in Ocean Shores for making these food boxes available



Stewardship - The Rev. Dr. Rob Hagan was a guest preacher last month. Rob is our regional Ministry Relations Officer (MRO) with the Presbyterian Foundation.

As we grow Rob is a great resource to lead us down the path to financial sustainability. He is available to help with legacy giving, endowments and other donations to fulfill the chapel's mission. PresbyterianFoundation.org/MRO

Online giving is an option by going to our website www.chapelbytheseawa.org and click the GIVING button. There is still time to make a tax-deductible gift if you have planned IRA withdrawals you must take.

Special Offerings - The Pentecost Offering is one of our four special offerings each year. We will celebrate Pentecost on May 23 this year in person in the chapel! The Pentecost Offering unites us in a church-wide effort to support young people and inspire them to share their faith, ideas, and unique gifts with the church and the world. Offering envelopes will be in the pew racks.


Benevolence Fund is available for those in emergency need.
Call the pastor or chairperson Lee Marriott.

Presbyterians Today May/June issue is available in the chapel.

Spiritual guidance available by appointment:
Call the pastor at the church office: 360.276.8143

A Monthly Calendar of chapel activities is attached for your reference.

Pray always - let us know how we may pray for you or join me for
midday prayer in the Chapel on Fridays (mask required) noon-12:30 pm



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Three wishes I ask of the Good God
when I arise today:
may I be healed of anxiety;
may my heart be at peace within me;
may I go forth
in the courage of your Spirit.

Three graces I ask
of the Bright Ruler of All:
may I be healed
of all that holds me back;
may I walk in strength and love;
may I do your work upon this earth.

Read more in
Celtic Prayers for Times of Crisis,
available from Anamchara Books & Amazon

Chapel by the Sea Prayer List

... pray without ceasing... 1 Thess. 5:17

THE COVID CRISIS:

Vaccines are working and so is mask wearing: over 130M now vaccinated in the US.
Healing for those infected, protection for their families, those who care for them,
our front line workers and chaplains. Comfort for those who have suffered loss
Help for countries like Brazil and India where COVID variants continue to spread out of control.

Dianne Burton's family: Cousin's son-in-law, Jerry Rodriguez, passed away Oct. 21 Prayers requested for his wife Yvette and their children.

Family of Staysha Lea (aunt's extended family) missing since 8.11. Remains found. POI in custody, other on the run.

- * Patti Courtright - healing and pain relief from herniated disc.
- * Gabriel Taylor - continued healing
- * Victoria Cook - health concerns
- * Bobbi Ray diagnosed with MS
- * Lee Marriott - health concerns, at home after emergency room visit.
- * Adkins, Jim and Penny (Jim's gene-targeted therapy is working)
- * Jeff, son-in-law of Phyllis Shaughnessy
- * Suzanne discerning future treatment options
- * Suzanne's grandson Seth (Marine)
- * Ron, Doug & Betty, Tara, Angelina,
John Franks, John Broten

Recovering from Surgery: Stephanie Allestad.

Mission Partners: Hagar's Church in the Washington Correctional Center for Women.

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) and North Beach Senior Center Food Bank in Ocean Shores with the Chapel's Hunger Action Team (HAT)

Ministers of the Chapel: All of you!

In Christ's Ministry

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