

## CHURCH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

**SUNDAY - October 11**  
8:30 Worship, Cheryl Anderson preaching  
10:00 Worship, Cheryl Anderson preaching  
11:00 Jr. Choir Rehearsal

**MONDAY - October 12**  
**No Bible Study due to Mission Trip**  
7:00 Boy Scouts (Stage/Jerusalem/Gym/Emmaus)  
7:30 AA Meeting (Library)

**TUESDAY - October 13**  
3:30 Tai Chi (Stage)  
7:00 Ministry Meetings

**WEDNESDAY- October 14**  
10:00 My Bother's Keeper (Jerusalem)  
11:00 Staff Meeting (Office)  
1:30 Weekly Construction Status (Library)  
7:00 Handbell Rehearsal  
7:00 Play Rehearsal (Stage)  
7:30 AA Step Meeting (Library)

**THURSDAY - October 15 – CRIER DEADLINE**  
10:00 AA (Library)  
5:00 Chime Choir Rehearsal  
7:00 Choir Rehearsal

**FRIDAY - October 16**

**SATURDAY - October 17**  
**Mission Trip Returns**  
9:00 AA/AI-Anon (Bethlehem/Jerusalem/Library)

**SUNDAY - October 18**  
8:30 Worship, Rev. Barnes preaching  
10:00 Worship, Rev. Barnes preaching  
11:00 Jr. Choir Rehearsal  
12:30 CROPwalk registration, at Town Hall  
12:30 Pack 72 (Stage/Gym)  
5:00 Play Rehearsal (Stage)

**OFFICE HOURS** You can reach our office manager Tom Evans at the church office at 537-5189. Office hours are Monday through Thursday from 10:30 am–3:30 pm. Email is [colchesterfederate@sbcglobal.net](mailto:colchesterfederate@sbcglobal.net) (note: no second “d”). Rev. Linda Barnes' email is [Lubarnes6@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Lubarnes6@sbcglobal.net).

## **“POLTER-HEIST” ~~~ A Spooky Mystery-Comedy**

### ***TICKETS ARE SELLING FAST!***

Tickets on sale now after both services and through the church office. Please see any member of Fundraising, the cast or Tom in the office for tickets.

**Sat., Oct. 24 at 6:00 p.m.: Show, Dinner and Dessert**  
**PRE-SALE ONLY:** We encourage you to purchase tickets early for this show, as there is limited seating.

**Adult: \$20.00/ Children (12 and under): \$10.00**  
**Child-care will be provided.**

**Sun., Oct. 25 at 2:00 p.m.: Matinee, Pie & Ice Cream  
Dessert**

**Pre-Sale & at the Door: Adult: \$12.00/Children: \$6.00**

### **11-14-09 – Annual Challenge Day!**

We are scrambling to pull our Holly Fair together and so pleased for those who have come forward; including people new to our church. We always appreciate new ideas.

Some of the popular items that sell well are:

- Home-crafted table runners, place mats, wall hangings, quilted projects, hand-painted items, scarves/hats/mittens.
- Wreaths, sprays (interior or exterior), bluebird/bat/butterfly houses would be a welcome addition to support our wildlife
- Items for the silent auction

Look for further information in the coming weeks.

### **Cards for Davida's Husband**

If anyone would like to send cards or notes to Davida's husband who is going through cancer treatment, here is his mailing address:

David Hindinger  
707 Nevers Road  
South Windsor, CT 06074



BENEDICTION *(Please join in a circle around the sanctuary.)*

POSTLUDE 3rd movement from "Concerto #1" Walther

*\*Indicates that all who are able may stand.*

# Colchester Federated Church

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**Worship 8:30 a.m.**  
**October 11, 2009**

WORSHIP AT THE COLCHESTER FEDERATED CHURCH

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**October 11, 2009**

**10:00 a.m.**

TOLLING OF THE BELLS (*Prayerfully prepare for worship*)

PRELUDE Allegro from "Concerto #1" Walther

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE The peace of Christ be with you

INTROIT For the Life That You Have Given

CALL TO WORSHIP Deborah Howard, Deacon of the Month  
One: God brought us safely through birth, and protected us when we were tiny babies.

**All: We praise you, O God, our loving Creator.**

One: From the day you were born, we have been in God's care.

**All: We praise you, O God, our loving Creator.**

One: We know that God hears us when we cry; God does not stay at a distance, but comes near to us.

**All: We praise you, O God, our loving Creator.**

One: With people everywhere, let us worship and give thanks to the God who created us and loves us still.

**All: We praise you, O God, our loving Creator.**

\*OPENING HYMN **Gather Us In** Insert

PRAYER OF CONFESSION FOR WORLD FOOD SUNDAY

One: God, Creator, Provider: You have made this wonderful world and filled it with good things. Yet people go hungry; forgive us, God,

**All: and teach us how to share.**

One: Sometimes we waste food by throwing it away or eating too much; forgive us, God,

**All: and teach us how to share.**

One: Sometimes we share only things we don't like, our "leftovers"; forgive us, God,

**All: and teach us how to share.**

One: Sometimes we eat food that is not good for us, that wastes money and damages our health; forgive us, God,

**All: and teach us how to share.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

One: Know that God hears us when we pray, forgives us when we repent, and helps us to live in new ways.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

\*GLORIA PATRI **No. 579**

CHILDREN'S TIME Cheryl Anderson  
*Children go downstairs for Sunday School activities.*

ANTHEM O How Amiable Vaughn Williams

SCRIPTURE Amos 5:6-7, 10-15  
Psalm 90:12-17; Mark 10:17—31

SERMON Cheryl Anderson

\*HYMN **Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated** #391

JOYS & CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, THE LORD'S PRAYER (trespass)

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY (*tune of #591*)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise God all creatures here below.**

**Praise God above ye heavenly Host.**

**Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen**

UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**God among us, you show us who you are by what you give us. What we give others is a sign of who we are, too. Bless our gifts, that they may do your work, in Jesus' name. Amen.**

\*HYMN            **Lord I Want To Be A Christian**            **#372**

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## **CROPWALK - Oct 18th**

**CROP Walk** - CROP stands for Communities Responding to Overcome Poverty. It is neighbors from different faiths, cultures, and ages walking together to raise awareness and funds for international relief and development, as well as local hunger relief agencies. All ages are welcome as well as dogs and strollers (no bikes please).

The CROP Walk will be held Sunday, October 18th, at the Colchester Town Hall at 1:00pm with registration beginning at 12:30. We will begin to hand out pledge sheets on 9/27. For pledge sheets at the 8:30 service please see Avis Hull and Karen Wheeler, at the 10:00am service please see Marycia Malloy (537-0849), Michelle Neri-Lorette, or Pat Moon.

Whether you've walked multiple years or this is your first year we would love to have you join us for this special annual event. This is an interfaith walk so feel free to invite your friends or neighbors to walk. 25% of the funds raised go to the Colchester Food Bank and the other 75% goes to Church World Service. Church World Service is a cooperative ministry of 35 Protestant, Orthodox, and Anglican denominations working to eradicate hunger and poverty – providing sustainable self-help and development, disaster relief, and refugee assistance in some 80 countries (including the USA) All are welcome.

### **Goods And Services Silent Auction**

**AT THE HOLLY FAIR!** The Fundraising Committee will again be sponsoring a Goods and Services Silent Auction at the Holly Fair on Sat., Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>. We know that some of you may like to work on a special painting, craft, woodworking or other creative project for this event and realize that this involves some time and planning. Also, be thinking about any service you may like to offer such as holiday baking, holiday music, babysitting, spring gardening or cleaning---these services have

been very much appreciated in the past!

Please speak with anyone on Fundraising if you would like to make a donation to the auction. Proceeds will support the ministry and missions of the church. Thank-you!

*The Fundraising Committee: Diane Capasso, Jen Clarke, Pat Culhane, Kerry Hathaway, Shelly Hirsch, Nancy Knapp, Carol Plecan and Joann Riddell*

### **Hospice Volunteers**

At Middlesex Hospice and Palliative Care, volunteers are an integral part of our interdisciplinary team, reaching out to patients and families as they cope with the challenges of terminal illness. Volunteers can choose to work in homecare, on the Weiss Hospice Unit or in bereavement support after completing 40 hours of classes and a 12-hour mentorship. Training runs from late January to April each year, and is held primarily on Saturdays and evenings. For more information and to begin our fall application process, please contact Barbara Standke, Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, at (860) 358-6955 or [Barbara\\_Standke@midhosp.org](mailto:Barbara_Standke@midhosp.org), at your earliest convenience.

### **\*\*\* In Appreciation \*\*\***



**Greeting today at 10am** are Karen Monteleone and Karen Partington.

Karen and her husband, Ray (both originally from CT) moved to Colchester in Nov. 2006, after living in FL for 30 years. Ray passed in 2008. Karen is retired from the Nielsen Co. in Palm Harbor, FL, and the State of CT. She enjoys visits with her family, traveling, theatre, reading, gardening and making friends. She is co-chair of the Ministry of Church Life, a member of My Brothers Keepers, and is active in many church groups and activities. She is a member of Mystic Seaport Museum, and loves taking family and friends to visit the Seaport.

Karen and Bob Partington have been married for 47 years. Karen worked for 14 years at South Congregational Church, East Hartford as office manager. Karen is now retired. Karen & Bob have 2 daughters Kelley and Tracy. Kelley works in Detroit, Michigan and Tracy owns



Tracy's Tunes, a music store here in Colchester. Karen and Bob have been members of CFC since 1996, and Karen was assistant treasurer for three years. Karen enjoys sewing, quilting, fall fairs, counted cross stitch, beading, and traveling to quilt shows all over the northeast and PA. Karen is also a member of My Brothers Keeper (MBK), and makes scarves and mittens for MBK. She volunteers for the Red Cross and does charity work for the Clamshell Quilt Guild.

**The Ushers** today at 8:30 are Mary Tomasi, and at 10 Frank Tomlinson and Pat Dooley.

Chords: Gm/Bb, Dm, C, Am7, D

brought here to you in the light of this day.  
 called to be light to the whole hu-man race.  
 call us a - new to be salt for the earth.  
 now is God pres - ent, and now is the day.

Chords: A, C/G, D/F#, G, A, C/G

Gath - er us in, the lost and for - sak - en; gath - er us in; our  
 Gath - er us in, the rich and the haugh - ty; gath - er us in, the  
 Give us to drink the wine of com - pas - sion; give us to eat the  
 Gath - er us in and hold us for - ev - er; gath - er us in and

Chords: D/F#, G, A, D, A/C#, C, G

spir - its in - flame. Call to us now, and we shall a - wak - en;  
 proud and the strong; give us a heart so meek and so low - ly;  
 bread that is you; nour - ish us well, and teach us to fash - ion  
 make us your own; gath - er us in, all peo - ples to - geth - er,

Chords: Gm/Bb, Dm, C, Am7, D, C/D, Bb/D, D

we shall a - rise at the sound of our name.  
 give us the cour - age to en - ter the song.  
 lives that are ho - ly and hearts that are true.  
 fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

## 649 Gather Us In

Unison D A/C# C G Gm/Bb Dm

1 Here in this place, the new light is stream - ing, shad - ows of doubt are  
 2 We are the young, our lives are a mys - tery; we are the old, who  
 3 Here we re - ceive new life in the wa - ters; here we re - ceive the  
 4 Not just in build - ings, small and con - fin - ing, not in some heav - en,

Chords: C, G, D, A/C#, C, G

van - ished a - way. See in this space our fears and our dream - ings,  
 yearn for your face. We have been sung through - out all of his - tory,  
 bread of new birth; here you shall call your sons and your daugh - ters,  
 light years a - way, here in this place the new light is shin - ing;