EVENTS AT THE HARBOR CHURCH Sunday, August 27, 2017

SUNDAY 8/27:

10:00 AM Worship

11:00 AM Coffee Hour

4:00 – 10:00 PM International Student Center (daily except Saturday)

7:00 PM MNP-Block Island (Ministerios Nuevo Pacto) Worship

MONDAY 8/28:

5:30 PM Leadership Board

TUESDAY 8/29: Office hours 10:00 – 1:00 PM

8:00 AM A Time for Prayer (Parlor)

1:00 PM Bridge Group

6:30 PM International Student Dinner

WEDNESDAY 8/30:

11:00 AM Counseling (Parlor)

THURSDAY 8/31

5:30 PM Bible Study: Philippians: Joy, Humility & Breaking with the Past

7:00 PM MNP (Hispanic) Worship

FRIDAY 9/1: Office hours 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

1:00 PM Bridge Group

6:30 PM International Student Dinner

SATURDAY 9/2:

7:00 PM Common Ground Coffeehouse - Mark Kelso

AA Schedule

4:30 PM Sundays NA
7:30 AM Mondays Al Anon
5:30 PM Mondays AA
8:30 AM Tuesdays AA
12:00 Noon Wednesdays AA
8:30 AM Thursdays AA
7:30 AM Fridays AA
7:00 AM Saturdays AA

5:30 PM Saturdays AA

SUNDAY 9/3 10:00 AM Worship & Communion 11:00 AM Coffee Hour 7:00 PM MNP–BI Worship Please join us for a **Coffee Hour** in the Fellowship Hall following the service.

Our preacher this morning is Kyle Wilkinson, our summer intern from Yale Divinity School. Kyle is from North Stonington and attended Gordon College. He spent two years in the Peace Corps in Cameroon, then attended UConn Law School. He is an attorney practicing in CT and RI, and served with the National Guard, including a stint in Germany with the JAG office. Kyle and Pearl were married on August 11, and will be leaving the island later today. Their classes resume on Wednesday.

This is the last week that **The International Student Center** will be open, every day except Saturday from 4:00 to 10:00 PM in the church basement. Suppers with the international students are served on Tuesdays and Fridays at 6:30 through August. The youth group from Zion Lutheran was a big help with last Tuesday's dinner. If you'd like to help serve the suppers, just show up at 5:30 or 6:00. Tuesday we are serving cheese tortellini and Friday night will be a cookout with hamburgers and hot dogs.

Thursday night Bible study resumes on Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. with Steve Hollaway leading a three-week reading of Philippians, looking at the themes of joy, humility, and breaking with the past. If the 5:30 time is not good for you but you'd like at participate in Bible study, please let Steve know.

This week we are moving Common Ground Coffeehouse to Saturday, September 2, at 7:00 p.m. *Mark Kelso* will return with a new performance of his musical "Luci: Fall of the Bright Morning Star" starring Chelsea LeSage (a professional model and actress) as Luci, with other cast members including Steve as a cleric. The musical imagines the fall of Lucifer (here female) as a broken love relationship with God and the consequences when Luci goes to the earth. Donations—and even investments in the show as it hopes for off-Broadway—will be welcomed.

Next Sunday morning's service will be a Worship Celebration of Music and Communion. We will have two fantastic pianists: Mark Kelso will be staying over to perform some of his songs and Sharon Kuhlewind will be playing her dramatic hymn arrangements. What fun! Steve promises there will be no sermon, just a brief meditation before the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

On Friday, September 8, 10:00 am to 12:00 noon, we are hosting Jeff Johnson from ABC-USA who will be leading a workshop called **Got Style?** He will help us understand how different personality types can authentically share their faith in Christ. The 6 types are assertive, analytical, storytelling, relational, invitational, and incarnational. Which type are you? How can you share faith?

August 27: Strengthening our Faithful Future....Today!

A number of Harbor Church members and friends have included our church in their wills. That way their contribution to God's work on Block Island continues after they go to heaven! Want to join them? See Bill Penn for more information. (Note: The Harbor Church does NOT give tax advice. Please consult your tax preparer for options specific to your situation.)