

Lyall COMMUNITY CHURCH

ANNOUNCEMENTS 9/22/24

Scheduled Events

September

September 24	Yoga, 11:00
September 25	CARs, 2:30
September 29	Homecoming Sunday Barbecue following services
September 29	Larry Ham & Friends Jazz Concert, 4:00

October

October 1	Yoga, 11:00
October 2	CARs, 2:30
October 2	Bible Study, 11:00
October 3	Lyall Lunch, 11:30
October 8	Yoga, 11:00
October 8	Leftover Lunch, 12:30
October 9	Bible Study, 11:00
October 9	CARs, 2:30
October 10	Lyall Lunch, 11:30
October 15	Yoga, 11:00
October 15	Leftover Lunch
October 16	Bible Study, 11:00
October 16	CARs, 2:30
October 17	Lyall Lunch
October 22	Yoga, 11:00
October 22	Leftover Lunch
October 23	Bible Study, 11:00
October 23	CARs, 2:30
October 24	Lyall Lunch, 11:30
October 29	Yoga, 11:00
October 29	Leftover Lunch
October 30	Bible Study, 11:00
October 30	CARs, 2:30
October 31	Halloween
October 31	Lyall Lunch, 11:30

November

November 5	Yoga, 11:00;
November 6	Bible Study, 11:30
November 6	CARs, 2:30
November 7	Lyall Lunch
November 12	Yoga
November 13	CARs

November 14	Lyall Lunch
November 17	New Member Orientation
November 19	Yoga, 11:00
November 20	CARs, 2:30
November 21	Lyall Lunch

December

December 3	Yoga, 11:00
December 4	CARs
December 5	Lyall Lunch
December 8	Community Choir Christmas Concert at Lyall
December 10	Yoga, 11:00
December 11	CARs, 2:30
December 12	Lyall Lunch
December 15	New Member Sunday
December 17	Yoga, 11:00
December 18	CARs, 2:30
December 19	Lyall Lunch

Prayers:

Pastor Thom receives prayer requests from members of our church family, our community, the country, and world. Please pray for the family and friends of Louise Miller, Trish Adams, Corey Phillips, Margaret Gowara, Charlene Gay, Guy Lavallo, and Anne VanVlack, and Vincent Pizzimenti. We also pray for the healing of Rebecca Lyczkowski D'Alessio, Fran Barndt, Colleen Kleinganz, Bernadette Lancevich, Jeremy and Teresa Gould, Joe Credle, Dorothy Myler, Donna Cervoni, Jean Armstrong, Marion Bennett, Charles Drew, Sharon Topp.

We pray for Rebecca Lyczkowski D'Alessio, who is undergoing tests.

Marion Bennett has moved to Maryland. Her new address is:

Marion Bennett
Brookdale at Woodward Estates
14997 Health Center Drive
Room 106
Bowie, MD 20716

Pastor Thom is wondering: when you think of a church, what is a hard no? And, when you think of a church, what must happen?" Jot down your thoughts and drop them in the offering plate, or on the table in tack of the sanctuary. Thanks!

Homecoming Sunday, September 29

Our annual Homecoming will be held next Sunday following worship. Weather permitting, we will set up outdoors. We will need volunteers to set up the tables and chairs, organize the food, paper plates, etc., operate the grill, and help clean up afterwards. We will also, of course, need food. There is a white board set up in the back of the sanctuary. Please indicate what food(s) you will bring. And don't forget, Larry Ham and his quartet will be playing for us that afternoon in the sanctuary at 4:00 pm. Fun day!

Choir Practice

Choir Practice is held on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 pm.

Anti-Racist Study Group

The Anti-Racist Study Group is reading *Please Stop Helping Us* by Jason L. Riley. The group meets via Zoom on Mondays at noon. If you are interested in joining, please contact Cat Greenstreet at catgreenstreet@gmail.com or Pastor Thom.

Food for Folks:

For the month of September, our Food for Folks Pantry would like to stock up on Peanut Butter & Jelly.

Diane Moretti, (845) 242-6508.

Celebration Bags for Food Pantries: The congregation continues to be generous to the children of our area by providing birthday bags that include cake mix, frosting, and sprinkles. A friend of Lynn's is providing a birthday card for each child. Our intent is to continue this as a year-round effort.

Meals on Wheels:

Meals on Wheels is seeking kitchen volunteers and drivers to help deliver meals. If you would

like to know more, please contact John Hummel: (845) 677- 4235. mealsonwheels@lyallcommunitychurch.org.

Exercise Class, CARs:

Wednesdays at 2:30 pm, in the Gathering Room (new wing). Join us for one class, or all four. Wear comfortable clothing. We will stand or sit as we are able.

Chair Yoga:

Classes begin at 11:00 am on Tuesdays

Chair Yoga is one of the most gentle forms of yoga. This class is accessible for everyone. No previous yoga experience is necessary. You can enjoy its many benefits without having to get up or down from the floor. Benefits include increased balance, strength, flexibility, range of motion and stress reduction.

Our instructor, Rachel Baez, will be traveling during the month of October. We will continue to hold the Tuesday morning Yoga class, but will use a YouTube video, and guide ourselves through our postures. We may not be perfect, but we'll keep moving!

Looking ahead... *As we move toward our 100th Anniversary, please look around for any old photographs you have of Lyall Church and our congregants and friends, events, and memories. It's a good time to gather them and we'll put together a Lyall memory album.*

Contact Information:

I am planning to up-date our Contact List. Please fill out the form we've placed on the table in the back of the sanctuary. Even if you've been here at Lyall forever, it is possible that your contact information has changed – or not. So please fill out the form and leave it for me, give it to me, or send it to me. We do have an obligation under Section 501(c)(3) to keep an up-to-date list of our membership, so lets get this done. Thanks! Alice

Quaker Meeting every Sunday morning at 9:00 am, there is a Quaker meeting at the Nine Partners Meeting House. Everyone is welcome for an hour of quiet contemplation before worship.