

CAMP MEETING 2018

Our theme: "You Belong"

August 3 – 12, 2018

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love." John 15: 9-10

Program Committee: John Wolcott (Chair), Martha Babcock, Lee Welkley, Wendy Scott, Mary Brown, Connie Schenenga, Joe Vile, Tricia Apy. **Advisory:** David Bohy, Heidi March, Lea DeGuilo

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3

6:00 p.m. Potluck Supper in Dining Hall - BYO plates & silverware & serving utensils

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4

7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
7:45 Breakfast
8:15 **Registration** begins at the Hospitality Table, the Preachers' Stand
9:00 Annual Meeting, presided by Association President, Connie Schenenga
12:30 Lunch
1:00 YPI Registration
1:00-2:00 Historical Center open
1:00-2:00 Helping Hand Country Store opens
2:00 Helping Hand Society Annual Meeting
4:00-5:30 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
6:00 Dinner
7:30 Concert – Prism of Praise
Fellowship at the Preachers' Stand immediately following

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5 - HERITAGE DAY

7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
7:45 Breakfast
9:00 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
10:00 Sunday Worship Service – Rev. Dr. Jonathan Malone
12:30 Dinner
1:15-2:15 Helping Hand Country Store open
2:00-3:30 Archives Presentation: "140 Years of Volunteering at Camp" - Historical Center
5:15 Vespers Service, Fairview Park – Sue Donnelly
6:00 Supper
6:45-7:15 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
7:30 Evening Service – Panel Discussion led by Rev. Lee Welkley

MONDAY, AUGUST 6

6:30-7:30 Sunrise Yoga, VBS cottage
7:00 a.m. Rising Bell

7:45 Breakfast
8:30 Morning Prayer, Lounge
9:00-11:30 Vacation Bible School (Ages 4-10)
9:00-10:15 Bible Study with Lee Welkley: **"You Belong"**
10:15-10:30 Coffee Break
10:30-11:45 Contemporary Christianity – Jonathan Malone
12 noon Lunch
1:00-2:00 Program Committee Meeting, Lounge
1:30-2:30 Yoga for Arthritis and Chronic Pain
2:00-3:00 Helping Hand Country Store open
2:00-4:00 Historical Center open
2:30 Board of Trustees Meeting, Lounge
4:00-4:45 Chat with Connie *
5:15 Vespers, Fairview Park – Jennifer Apy
6:00 Dinner
6:45-7:15 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
7:30 Evening Service – Dennis TeBeest

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7 – MISSIONS DAY!

6:30-7:30 Sunrise Yoga, VBS cottage
7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
7:45 Breakfast
8:30 Morning Prayer, Lounge
9:00-11:30 Vacation Bible School (Ages 4-10)
9:00-10:15 Bible Study with Lee Welkley
10:15-10:30 Coffee Break
10:30-11:45 Contemporary Christianity – Jonathan Malone
12 noon Lunch
1:00-2:00 Cottage Owners Meeting, Lounge
2:00-3:00 Helping Hand Country Store open
2:00-4:00 Historical Center open
2:30-4:00 "Cloud Computing Basics 101" - Bill Caulkins
2:30-3:30 Yoga for Back Care
5:15 Vespers, Fairview Park – Peter and Linda Gillen
6:00 Dinner
6:45-7:15 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
7:30 Missions Service – Bryce Whiting

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8

6:30-7:30 Sunrise Yoga, VBS cottage
 7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
 7:45 Breakfast
 8:30 Morning Prayer, Lounge
 9:00-11:30 Vacation Bible School (Ages 4-10)
 9:00-10:15 Bible Study with Lee Welkley
 10:15-10:30 Coffee Break
 10:30-11:45 Contemporary Christianity, Jonathan Malone
 12 noon Lunch
 12:45 Leave for New London for the Lighthouse Cruise
 2:00- 4:00 Lighthouse Cruise
 5:15- 6:00 Chat with Connie *
 6:00 Dinner
 7:30 Coffee House ala Camp – Social hour and dessert followed by Frank and Ingrid Bason Following in the footsteps of Martin Luther

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9

6:30-7:30 Sunrise Yoga, VBS cottage
 7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
 7:45 Breakfast
 8:30 Morning Prayer, Lounge
 9:00-11:30 Vacation Bible School (Ages 4-10)
 9:00-10:15 Bible Study with Lee Welkley
 10:15-10:30 Coffee Break
 10:30-11:45 Contemporary Christianity, Jonathan Malone
 12 noon Lunch
 1:30-2:30 Yoga for Arthritis and Chronic Pain
 2:00-3:00 Helping Hand Country Store open
 2:00-4:00 Historical Center open
 2:30-4:00 “Cloud Computing Basics 101 - Bill Caulkins
 5:15 Vespers, Fairview Park – Al Durrell, Jr.
 6:00 Dinner
 6:45-7:30 Choir Rehearsal, Lounge
 7:30 Evening Service – YPI
 YPI Sponsored Fellowship in Memorial Hall immediately following

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10

6:30-7:30 Sunrise Yoga, VBS cottage
 7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
 7:45 Breakfast
 8:30 Morning Prayer, Lounge
 9:00-11:30 Vacation Bible School (Ages 4-10)
 9:00-10:15 Bible Study with Lee Welkley
 10:15-10:30 Coffee Break
 10:30-11:45 Contemporary Christianity, Jonathan Malone
 12 noon Lunch
 2:00-3:00 Helping Hand Country Store open
 2:00-4:00 Archives Committee meeting - HC
 2:30-3:30 Yoga for Back Care
 5:15 Vespers, Fairview Park – Jonathan Malone

6:00 Dinner
 6:45-7:15 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
 7:30 Evening Service – Michael Ferris – “A Journey to the Potter’s House”

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11

6:30-7:30 Sunrise Yoga, VBS cottage
 7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
 7:45 Breakfast
 8:30 Morning Prayer, Lounge
 9:00-10:15 Bible Study with Lee Welkley
 10:15-10:30 Coffee Break
 10:30-11:45 Contemporary Christianity and practical principals and commitments to be lived out all year long - Lee and Jonathan
 12:30 Lunch
 1:00 YPI Check Out
 2:00-4:00 Historical Center open
 1:30-3:00 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
 5:15 Vespers, Fairview Park – Lea DeGuilo
 6:00 Dinner
 6:45-7:15 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
 7:30 Camp Bethel Concert
 Fellowship at the Preacher’s Stand immediately following

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12

7:00 a.m. Rising Bell
 7:45 Breakfast
 9:00 Choir Rehearsal, Chapel
 10:00 Farewell and Communion Service – Rev. Lee Welkley
 12:30 Dinner
 2:00 Program Committee Meeting, Lounge

* You will note two opportunities (Mon. and Wed.) to “Chat with Connie” – your chance to sit with the President of the Association to ask questions, share concerns, and make suggestions for our future. Location to be announced.

WHO'S WHO AT CAMP MEETING 2018

Program Director.....John Wolcott
Presiding Elder.....Rev. Lee Welkley
Bible Study Teacher.....Rev. Lee Welkley
Scholar-In-Residence.....Rev. Dr. Jonathan Malone
Music Director Carol Taubl
AccompanistBecky Bohy
Food Service Manager Ellen Miller
Chef.....Bill McKay
Association President.....Connie Schenenga
VBS DirectorLea DeGuilo
YPI Co-Directors Josh Russo, Will March, Josh James
Preacher's Stand Fellowships Mary Brown & Martha Babcock

CARETAKER/CAMP MANAGER

Caretaker, Luke Allen, can be reached at 860-345-2290, Cottage #44.

HOSPITALITY

Don't forget to visit the Hospitality Table at the Preachers' Stand to sign in for Camp Meeting 2018, to receive your name badge & bookmark, to register children (ages 4-10) for Vacation Bible School, to purchase meal and boat ride tickets and to pick up the Camp Meeting Bulletin. Please sign up for a YPI Prayer Partner at the same time.

The Hospitality Table will be staffed:

Saturday, August 4: 8:15-9:00 AM, following the Annual Meeting for ½ hour, and from 5:00 - 5:30 PM.

Sunday, August 5: Following Morning Worship until 12:00 noon.

Monday and Tuesday: During coffee break.

Staffing schedule for the remainder of camp meeting will be posted at the Hospitality Table.

DINING HALL

	Adult	Child (under 12)
Breakfast	\$ 4.50	\$ 2.50
Mid-Day	\$ 7.00	\$ 4.00
Evening	\$ 8.00	\$ 4.75
Sunday Dinner	\$ 12.00	\$ 7.00
All Breakfasts (9)	\$ 40.50	\$ 22.50
All Mid-Day (9) ¹	\$ 73.00	\$ 42.00
All Evening (8)	\$ 64.00	\$ 38.00
All Meals (26)	\$166.00 ²	\$ 89.75 ³

¹ Includes both Sunday dinners

² Discounted \$11.50

³ Discounted \$12.75

HISTORICAL CENTER

To arrange to visit the Historical Center at other than scheduled times (listed in this bulletin and posted on the bulletin board across from the dining hall), please contact David Gephard, 860-345-4227, cottage 35. Though quite small as museums go, the Historical Center contains a wealth of historical information including photos, memorabilia and artifacts. Make time for a visit this year.

LODGING

Lodging rates for Bethel Hall and Helping Hand are \$30 per night, including linens. Contact Liz Van Guilder at 617-966-5444 for reservations.

Rates in the RV Camping Park are \$20 per night without hookups and \$25 per night with water and electrical hookups. Tent sites are \$15 per night. Reservations are a MUST. For reservations, questions, or additional information contact Luke Allen at 860-345-2290 or lukea@my.ccsu.edu.

POOL HOURS

The pool is open from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., unless closed for maintenance at 9 pm. Swimming after 9 pm should be quiet and respectful of campers in cabins. Pool closed during Sunday and evening services.

Please abide by the posted rules.

The following times are reserved for the YPI:

1st Saturday: 4:00-5:15 p.m.

1st Sunday: 1:45-2:30 & 4:30-5:15 p.m.

Mon-Fri: 2:45-3:30 & 4:30-5:15 p.m.

Camp Bethel Choir

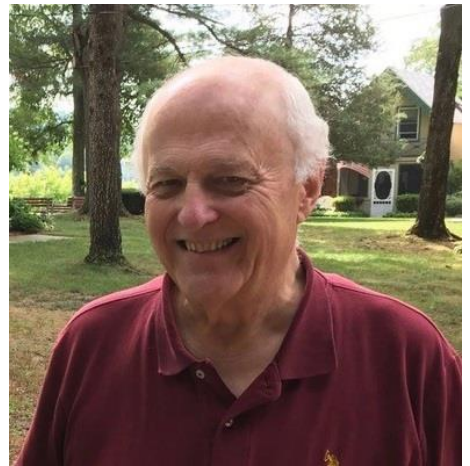
If you sing in a choir, or ever did, or never did (did we cover everybody?), please consider singing with the Camp Bethel choir. Come to a rehearsal and try us out.

Rev. Lee Welkley

Presiding Elder and Bible Study Teacher

Rev. Welkley will serve as Presiding Elder for Camp Meeting 2018 and will be available throughout August and September for counseling and spiritual life coaching. As Bible Teacher, Lee will guide us in studying passages of Scripture that pertain to our theme, “YOU BELONG.” This will be a second year of attempting to further develop and strengthen our sense of community.

Lee has pastored Advent Christian churches in New York, Connecticut, Illinois, Maine and Florida. In three of these states Lee and his wife, Caroline, were involved in “inner-city” ministry. He studied at Aurora University, Berkshire Christian College, Bethany Theological Seminary and the Seminarian Consortium for Urban Pastoral Education. Currently, he serves on the Community Research Advisory Board of Mayo Clinic (Jacksonville, FL), the Advisory Board of Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary for the Jacksonville, FL extension campus, and the Jacksonville Aging Studies Center Community Advisory Board of the University of Florida. Lee and Caroline are the parents of three children. They have traveled in the Middle East and Far East, many times hosting groups. This will be Lee’s thirty-eighth year of serving Camp Bethel.



Rev. Dr. Jonathan A. Malone

Scholar-In-Residence

Rev. Dr. Jonathan A. Malone grew up in Albany, N.Y. where he attended Emmanuel Baptist Church. He went to Oberlin Conservatory of Music for two years and then transferred to the Crane School of Music at the State University of New York, Potsdam, graduating with a Bachelors of Music. He received his M.Div. from Andover Newton Theological School and his PhD in Theology from the University of Dayton. His dissertation was on Baptist Ordination.

Dr. Malone has served churches in Dayton, Ohio, Bryn Mawr, PA, and since 2009, East Greenwich, Rhode Island. He and his wife Rebekah have four boys who take up the majority of both of their free time. When he can sneak away, Dr. Malone loves playing the bassoon in a number of different musical ensembles and the bass guitar in the First Baptist jazz trio. He loves reading, hiking, and watching Kung Fu movies (or any other kind of movies).

When asked about serving the church Pastor Malone stated, “I have a passion to share the joy of Christ with others and to help them grow in their own joy.” Many Bethelites remember that he spent most of last summer on sabbatical in the Adirondack Mountains, studying classic prayers and trying to avoid bears.

Carol Taubl

Music Director

Carol Taubl is a pianist, songwriter and choral director. She is founding director of SOUND Affect, a New Haven, CT based organization that trains young vocalists to sing with excellence while using their voices to raise money for local charities. Carol is the matriarch of the nationally recognized Taubl Family Band, whose appearances on the 2008 season of America's Got Talent won them critical acclaim from the celebrity judges. The Taubl Family made their first trip to Haiti in 2011, performing and teaching. Since that time, they have worked extensively for the children of Haiti, raising money for instrument donations and organizing music clinics to teach those who have little or no exposure to music education. She and her husband John are active members of Trinity Evangelical Free Church in Woodbridge, CT.





Beverly Baird

Yoga Instructor: Monday – Saturday mornings, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday afternoons

Beverly Baird, MA, E-RYT200/RYT 500, C-IAYT, has been practicing yoga for more than 25 years. She has a BA in English from Moravian College and a MA in Teaching from Monmouth University. Beverly is an experienced Yoga Alliance certified teacher (E-RYT200/RYT 500) and certified yoga therapist (C-IAYT) with the International Association of Yoga Therapists. She lives in Little Silver, NJ with her husband Glen and is an active member of the Presbyterian Church at Shrewsbury.

Beverly specializes in making yoga accessible for individuals of all ages and abilities and has completed over 800 hours of training. She is certified in Yoga for Arthritis, Yoga for Healthy Aging, therapeutic, restorative, gentle, chair and children's yoga. She brings a unique, Christian-centered focus to her yoga classes.

In addition to the group classes, individual yoga sessions are available during camp. Please speak to Beverly for more details and to schedule.

Prism of Praise Community Gospel Choir

Saturday evening, August 4

Prism is a multiracial, ethnically diverse Christian choir. Through both song and witness, its mission is to:

- Communicate and spread the good news, Christ's inclusive message of salvation;
- Recognize and support the work of the Holy Spirit in the world today through outreach efforts;
- Inspire and encourage all individuals on their personal journey toward God.

The members of *Prism* seek to join God wherever He is working, to be present as God blesses, rescues, heals and saves. They blessed us with their music ministry in 2012 and this year, as then, we are earmarking the offering received at this concert for Camp Bethel camperships.



Rev. Dennis TeBeest

Monday evening, August 6

Dennis is the pastor of the First Congregational Church of River Edge, New Jersey. In the thirty-nine years since his ordination, Dennis has led five congregations of Christians in New Jersey and Michigan as they seek to be open to the Spirit, and to serve as the hands of Christ. He also serves the Worship Commission of the Reformed Church in America. Dennis' children live in Washington, DC; he eagerly anticipates the birth of his second grandchild within hours of his preaching during Camp Week! And his kayak is still longing to touch the waters of the Connecticut for the first time this summer.





Rev. Bryce Whiting
Tuesday evening, August 7

Rev. Bryce Whiting pastors Calvary Advent Christian Church in Bristol, CT. He and his wife Barbara worked for 8 years with “Youth With a Mission” in Switzerland and in Togo, West Africa. He currently serves as Area Director of African and European Ministries for the Advent Christian General Conference.

Frank and Ingrid Bason
Wednesday evening, August 8 – A Pilgrimage to Wittenberg

In 1517 Martin Luther posted his 95 Theses on the door of the church in Wittenberg initiating the “Reformation”. Frank and Ingrid’s active church study group led by their young minister Sune Haubek travelled to Martin Luther’s life environment in Wittenberg and nearby cities. They will give an overview of the lives of Martin and his wife Katarina von Bora - also a very dynamic and influential personality during the beginning of the Reformation. Their talk will include many pictures and stories from this exciting period of European history.



Michael Ferris, A Journey to the Potter’s House
Friday Evening, August 10

“A Journey to the Potter’s House” is an illustrated sermon that brings the gospel to life in an extraordinary way. As we watch Michael take clay through various stages, fashioning it into a useful vessel, we will grow in our understanding of how God can use all of the circumstances of our lives to fashion us into vessels of worth and purpose. “A Journey to the Potter’s House” was born out of the lessons Michael learned in the process of healing from his own brokenness; seeing how God can take something painful and transform it into something that can reflect the glory of God. Michael blends his gifts of craftsmanship, creative communications, his love for people and his love for God to bring a message of hope, healing and redemption, as we live our lives as clay, in the hands of the Potter.

A Bonus for all who have wondered what “cloud computing” is about, **Bill Caulkins** will run informational sessions Tuesday and Thursday afternoons as follows:

[Cloud Computing Basics 101](#) : Share / manage photos and info. Bring your laptop.

[Cloud Computing Basics 101](#) : Collaborating in the Cloud. Bring your laptop.

If you are reading this document electronically, CTRL + Click on the hyperlink to find out more about these classes.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE

In order to make Camp Meeting a positive experience for all, we need the cooperation of all Camp Bethelites, young and old, in following guidelines developed for Camp Meeting in response to safety concerns expressed to the Program Committee:

- I. Bikes left outside Association buildings (such as the Chapel and Dining Hall) should be stored on the side of those buildings (or out of the way).
 - II. People riding bikes on the grass and in between cottages need to be careful of the oldest and youngest Camp Bethelites.
 - III. By 10:00 p.m. children not accompanied by a parent should be in their cottages.
 - IV. During chapel services we ask that children be in the children's activity when offered, at their cottage, or with a parent or guardian. Playing around the chapel and frequent going in and out of the chapel during a service can be distracting to those in worship. Please be respectful of those in worship services.
 - V. Recreational facilities (pool, basketball court, miniature golf, etc.) are closed during Sunday and evening services.
 - VI. Please refrain from using strong fragrances in consideration of those with respiratory difficulties.
- Thank you for adhering to these guidelines and enjoy Camp Meeting!



BETHEL CAFÉ MENU

CHEF BILL MCKAY

SATURDAY Aug 4

Breakfast: French toast, sausage, home fries, fresh fruit, yogurt

Lunch: Build your own grinder bar, chips, salad bar, fresh fruit, cookies

Dinner: Cheese lasagna, garlic bread, Italian veggies, salad bar, fresh fruit, blueberry crisp

SUNDAY, Aug 5

Breakfast: Pancakes, scrambled eggs, blueberry topping, apple topping, fresh fruit, yogurt

Dinner: Montreal strip loin, garlic smashed potatoes, roasted carrots, salad bar, fresh fruit, strawberry shortcake

Supper: Mac and cheese bar with assorted toppings, salad bar, fresh fruit, cupcakes

MONDAY, Aug 6

Breakfast: Breakfast burrito bar, fresh fruit, yogurt

Lunch: Philly cheesesteak bar, salad bar, fresh fruit, brownies

Dinner: Roasted pork loin, roasted potatoes, applesauce, veggie medley, salad bar, fresh fruit, brownies

TUESDAY, Aug 7

Breakfast: French toast, sausage, home fries, fresh fruit, yogurt

Lunch: Build your own taco bar, Mexi-rice, fiesta corn, salad bar, fresh fruit, chocolate pudding

Dinner: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, roasted green beans, salad bar, fresh fruit, apple crisp

WEDNESDAY, Aug 8

Breakfast: Pancakes, scrambled eggs, blueberry topping, apple topping, fresh fruit, yogurt

Lunch: Chicken salad, tuna salad, potato salad, salad bar, fresh fruit, brownies

Dinner: Swedish meatballs, buttered parsley noodles, peas, salad bar, fresh fruit, peach cobbler

THURSDAY, Aug 9

Breakfast: Breakfast burrito bar, fresh fruit, yogurt.

Lunch: Grilled hamburgers, hot dogs, assorted fixings, salad bar, fresh fruit, watermelon cookies

Dinner: Baked ziti, garlic bread, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert TBD

FRIDAY, Aug 10

Breakfast: French toast, sausage, home fries, fresh fruit, yogurt

Lunch: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, peas, salad bar, fresh fruit, chocolate pudding

Dinner: BBQ pulled pork, baked beans, coleslaw, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert TBD

SATURDAY, Aug 11

Breakfast: Pancakes, scrambled eggs, blueberry topping, apple topping, fresh fruit, yogurt,

Lunch: Chicken enchilada casserole, Mexi-rice, fiesta corn, salad bar, fresh fruit, cookies

Dinner: Chicken parmesan, pasta, salad bar, fresh fruit, dessert TBD

SUNDAY, Aug 12

Breakfast: Breakfast burrito bar, fresh fruit, yogurt

Dinner: Roast turkey, mashed potato and gravy, stuffing, peas, salad bar, fresh fruit, strawberry shortcake



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