



## NEWSLETTER June 16 – June 22, 2024

- **CONGRATULATIONS** to Seraiah Belfon, who graduated from Brookline High School! Seraiah plans to attend the University of Massachusetts, Lowell in the fall.
- **Fr. Jon, Lucy & Braylen will enjoy Family Camp** at the Barbara C. Harris Camp and Conference Center, beginning after our 10 AM service June 30-July 2. Registration is open for all sessions. See page 3 for details.

***Please worship with us any/every Sunday at 10 AM and join us for hospitality and refreshment in the Parish Hall after the service. We look forward to seeing you this Sunday at 10 AM for our service with Holy Eucharist.***

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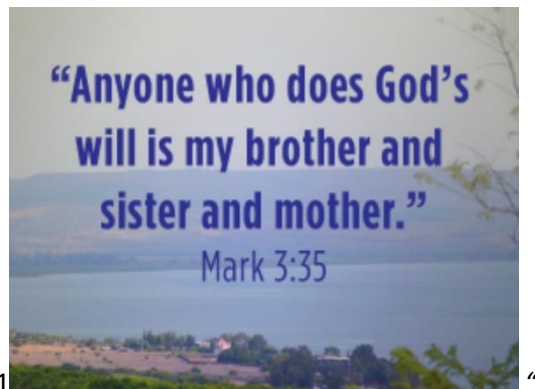
### Did You Forget Your Jacket or Sweater?

We have noticed several items of outerwear hanging in the vestibule outside the restroom for quite some time. Please check to see if you may have forgotten something. We will donate any unclaimed items in the next couple of weeks.

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### Sunday Recap

*...If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand....And looking at those who sat around him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother."-Mark 3*



On the Third Sunday After Pentecost, our appointed readings were short in length but packed with meanings, which the sermon helped to highlight. We were reminded that being children of God; God's beloved and making room for other is not always easy. We enjoyed a wonderful potluck picnic after the

service where we were able to experience God's joy described in another part of the sermon that all are welcome as family that we bring some of what we find at Emmanuel out into the world to God's wider family.

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### **Watch Emmanuel via Facebook/YouTube**

Did you miss it? Would you like to hear it again? No problem. You can catch the live service or later on [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#). Want to donate to our continuing ministry? Donate online [HERE](#) or visit our [website donate page](#).

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**We pray for peace and reconciliation throughout the Ukraine and the Middle East and everywhere in the world.** It may be spring, 2024 but the suffering of innocent people continues. Our prayers truly help, as they keep us mindful of God's love for us and his miracles.

*For those in sorrow, anguish, despair and for those who are sick, especially Michelle, Ken, Emerson, Kenneth, Lynnette, Christina, Carol, Julie, Stanley, Peter, Felix, Mary, Catherine, Michael, Parker, Sergio, Martha, Anne, Patricia, Barbara, Maureen, Rachael, Louise, Scott, Kathleen, Paul, Eddy, and Christopher.*

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please be in touch with The Rev. Jonathan Eden, Priest-In-Charge ([therev.jonteden@gmail.com](mailto:therev.jonteden@gmail.com) 617.798.0700)

**Pray for and support Ukraine/** Please consider donating to one of these curated and trusted organizations raising money for Ukraine: <https://www.helpsaveukraine.org/>



**СЛАВА УКРАЇНІ!**

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## **REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR SUMMER CAMP AT THE BARBARA C. HARRIS EPISCOPAL CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER**

Summer Camps at BCH in Greenfield, NH are inclusive Christian formation ministries of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts in partnership with the dioceses New Hampshire and Western Massachusetts.

You and your family are welcome here! As an Episcopal camp, we are passionate about being a safe space for all campers and families and we strive for a rich diversity of campers and staff. Each week chaplains participate in all camp activities and lead space for chapel and reflection.

### **Family Camp: June 29 - July 2, 2024**

Enjoy an extra long weekend of delicious meals, arts & crafts, swimming, boating, outside games, music, worship, and time to be together in new and expanding relationships with folks from all over New England. Come and join us for a time of rest, renewal, silliness, and an experience of Episcopal-centered, family-oriented fellowship, formation, and faith exploration. Families of all configurations are welcome.

### **Youth Camps:**

**Camp Session 1- July 7-12, 2024**

**Camp Session 2- July 14-19, 2024**

**Camp Session 3- July 21-26, 2024**

**Camp Session 4- July 28- August 2, 2024**

Youth Camps are for all campers completing 2nd to 11th grade. For more information about registration, rates, financial aid, and counselor opportunities, visit their website at:

<https://bchcenter.org/bchcamp/>