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## A Dwelling Place for God

If you were to ask someone what they think of when they hear the word, "church," you'd get a variety of answers. Some people might describe the physical building where we gather for worship, fellowship, study, and small groups. Other people would describe a worship service with singing, scripture, prayer, and a message. For some individuals, when they hear the word church they think of the dear and close friends they have who add so much value, love, and encouragement to their lives. All those answers are understandable and have some validity.

Throughout the month of February, we'll be continuing our worship series based on Paul's letter to the Ephesians – *Celebrating the Grace and Power of God in a United Church*. In describing how Jews and Gentiles are one in Christ in *Ephesians 2:21-22*, Paul writes, *"In him the whole structure is joined together and grows into a holy temple in the Lord; in whom you also are built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God."*

I want to encourage you to ponder that last phrase as you think about the church. First, Paul says, it is in Christ that the whole church in its diversity is joined and held together. In Paul's time, he was referring to Jews and Gentiles, enslaved and free, men and women. In our day, whatever differences we may have with other members of the church, Christ holds and binds us together. Second, the church

is to grow into *"a holy temple in the Lord."* The church is to be a place where holiness of life is fostered, developed, and growing in all of us. Growing in spiritual maturity and Christlikeness should be part of all our daily, "To Do List." Third, Paul says we are interconnected; we *"are built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God."* Our faith is personal, but not private; it is unique to each person, but not individualistic. God's design for the church is for us to be built together spiritually into a dwelling place where God's Spirit and presence are manifested and obvious to all, and where the power of God is unleashed

and touches and transforms lives. When you hear the word "church" I hope one of your answers will be, "That's the community I'm a part of that is *built together spiritually into a dwelling place for God.*"



We have so much to celebrate at BBC. On Sunday, February 18, after the conclusion of our 10:00 am worship service, we will have our Annual Meeting, during which we'll look back at a year filled with God's blessings and generosity, and we'll vote to affirm our new volunteer ministry leaders and a budget for 2024. Our Bicentennial year will be memorable and will feature special events every month.

Please read on to learn more about the opportunities in the weeks ahead.

Serving Gratefully with All of You,

## The Church Office will be closed on February 19, 2024 for Presidents' Day.



### Worship in February

8:30 & 10:00 a.m.

### Series: Celebrating the Grace and Power of God in a United Church

#### February 4

"A Prayer for Wisdom"  
*Ephesians 1:15-23*

#### February 11

"By Grace You Have Been Saved"  
*Ephesians 2:1-10*

#### February 14 at 6:00 p.m.

Ash Wednesday Service  
Pastor Joe Greemore, preaching  
in the Chapel

#### February 18

"The Unity of the Church"  
*Ephesians 2:11-22*

#### February 25

"A Prayer for Power"  
*Ephesians 3:1-21*

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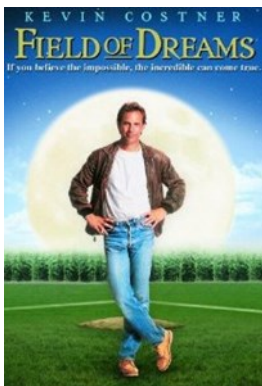
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A graphic designed to look like a film strip. The top and bottom edges are perforated. The word "Bicentennial" is in a white script font at the top left. The word "Movie" is in a large, white, stylized script font in the center, with a film reel icon integrated into the letter 'o'. To the right of "Movie", a film strip graphic curves downwards. The word "Nights" is in a white script font at the bottom right. In the center, below "Movie", the text "THURSDAY, FEB. 22 AT 6:00 P.M." and "SHOWING: 'FIELD OF DREAMS'" is written in a yellow, serif font.

*Bicentennial*  
**Movie**  
THURSDAY, FEB. 22 AT 6:00 P.M.  
SHOWING: "FIELD OF DREAMS"  
*Nights*

We had a great turnout of all ages for our first movie, Pixar's "Up" and we're looking forward to our next one! The **second movie in our Bicentennial Movie Series** will be shown on **February 22 at 6:00 p.m.** We will be showing the movie "Field of Dreams", representing 1984-2004. Before the movie, Pastor Doug will share briefly about the film, why it was chosen and some things to watch for, and then for those who wish to stay after, he will lead a discussion about some of the themes raised in the movie.



## *Field of Dreams*

Iowa farmer Ray Kinsella hears a voice in his corn field tell him, "If you build it, he will come." He interprets this message as an instruction to build a baseball field on his farm, which leads to appearances by the ghosts of Shoeless Joe Jackson and the other seven Chicago White Sox players banned from baseball for throwing the 1919 World Series. When the voices continue, Ray seeks out a reclusive author to help him understand the meaning of the messages and the purpose for his field. "Field of Dreams" is a movie which deals with themes of faith, revelation, vocation, relationships, grief, and being able to forgive oneself and the enduring bonds that can be created even through baseball.





**A Budget Information Session** will be held on **Saturday, February 17 at 10:00 a.m.** in Fellowship Hall to answer any 2024 budget questions in advance of the Annual Meeting.



# Annual Meeting followed by Celebration Lunch Sunday, February 18 at 11:15 a.m.

Snow Date: February 25

We will be having our **Annual Meeting followed by a Celebration Lunch at 11:15 a.m. on February 18.** Come hear about all the great things that happened in 2023 and the exciting things to come in 2024! Please sign up on our website or church app if you will be joining us for the lunch.

A proposed amendment to the bylaws will be voted on at this year's Annual Meeting. The amendment refers to selecting Core Ministry leaders. Please see page 5 for the changes.

## Proposed Amendment to the Bylaws, Article IV: Core Ministries

At the Annual Meeting on February 18, 2024, the Leadership Council will propose an amendment to Article IV: Core Ministries of the Bylaws. This proposed amendment would permit a professional Christian leader who is not a Covenant Member to be eligible to become a Core Ministry Leader provided that the individual:

- Is actively involved in the life of BBC, and
- Whose professional status would be negatively impacted by becoming a Covenant Member.

If approved, this amendment would further enable the church to benefit from the knowledge, experiences and gifts of a Christian leader such as pastor, counselor, missionary, religious educator, regional and or national staff person. In addition to these changes, minor wording and format edits are proposed to add clarity to other portions of Article IV.

Respectively submitted,

Leadership Council:

David Quinones, Chair; Tracey Deegan, Vice Chair; Pat Lindquist, Secretary;  
Suzanne Christie; Frank DeStefano; Martha Dunford; Barry Hutchinson; Wayne Johnston

## Proposed Amendment to BYLAWS

### ARTICLE IV: CORE MINISTRIES

**A.** The Leadership Council shall establish Core Ministries that focus on the five purposes that God has given: centering our lives around God (worship); learning to love God's family (fellowship); cultivating spiritual maturity (discipleship); contributing something back through serving (**service**); and telling others about God's love (missions and evangelism).

**B.** Each Core Ministry shall be under the direction and supervision of a Pastor. **The responsible Pastor shall conduct an annual review of the Core Ministry and present it to the Leadership Council.**

**C. 1.** The Pastor **responsible for the Core Ministry** shall present to the Leadership Council a Covenant Member of BBC **or, subject to Article IV (C)(2), a professional Christian leader** to be the Core Ministry Leader. The Leadership Council shall present that Covenant Member **or, subject to Article IV (C)(2), that professional Christian leader** for election to a one (1)- year renewable term (not to exceed six (6) consecutive years) at the BBC Annual Meeting.

**2. After consultation with the Leadership Council the responsible Pastor may present to the Leadership Council and the Leadership Council may present to the Covenant Membership as a Core Ministry Leader a professional Christian leader (pastor, counselor, missionary, religious educator, regional or national staff person) (i) who is not a Covenant Member, (ii) who is actively involved in the life of BBC, and (iii) whose professional status would be negatively impacted by becoming a Covenant Member of Brewster Baptist Church.**

**D.** In the event a Core Ministry Leader needs to be replaced before the completion of the one (1)- year renewable term, the Leadership Council may fill that position by majority vote for a period ending at the next BBC Annual Meeting.

**E.** All Core Ministry Leaders, Pastoral Staff, the Moderator and representatives from the Leadership Council shall meet as a group at least quarterly each year to facilitate communication concerning activities and programs at BBC.

**F.** The **responsible** Pastor and Core Ministry Leader shall select the members of the Core Ministry Team.

*Text in **Blue Bold** highlights proposed language changes.*



"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." Matthew 6:21

As Lent begins, we invite everyone to gather for Ash Wednesday worship at 6:00 p.m. in the BBC Chapel. Wednesday, February 14 is Valentine's Day, an opportunity for us to reflect on both the joy of human love and our own finitude. Join us in the Chapel as we follow Jesus' journey in the wilderness and begin the season leading to Easter.

Then, join us for a Lenten Retreat on March 1-3 at BBC. Register today!

Stay tuned for more information about Holy Week with a very special Maundy Thursday Living Last Supper, March 28 at 7:00 p.m.



**BBC Lenten Retreat March 1-3, 2024**

*Jesus said, "Come with me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest." Mark 6:31b*

Need a rest after a busy season in life?

Tired or stretched thin and needing space for grace and recovery?

Then join us for our BBC Lenten Retreat as we welcome Rev. Brad Berglund.





Rev. Brad Berglund is a Judson Press author, minister, spiritual director, and retreat leader who has worked for decades promoting spiritual growth and maturity through pilgrimage and discovery. He will be here leading a Lenten retreat with the theme of pilgrimage at the beginning of March.

Details about next month's retreat include:

**Friday evening, March 1, Retreat Day 1, at BBC**

5:30 p.m. Simple dinner, soup, salad, bread

6:00 p.m. Opening Session

**Saturday, March 2, Retreat Day 2, at BBC**

9:00 a.m. Morning session (with Taizé worship session)

12:00 p.m. Light Lunch provided

12:30 p.m. Afternoon session

**Sunday, March 3, Morning Worship and Forum, at BBC**

Brad participates in 8:30 and 10:00 a.m. Sunday morning worship services

11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Retreat Forum in Fellowship Hall

Sessions include:

"Life as Pilgrimage"

"The Practice of Prayer"

"The Taizé Community"

"Praying in the Taizé Style" and more!

All are invited for any part or every one of these wonderful activities, which will feature delicious food, warm fellowship, and Brad's wisdom and inspired leadership.

Registration open from Monday, January 22, 2024 through February 29, 2024.

Suggested donation of \$10 per person will help cover meal and expense costs.

Ages 16 and under are free.

Walk-ins are welcome, and all are encouraged to attend!

Register today to attend this great event as part of our Bicentennial celebrations on our church website or church app.

# FAMILY MINISTRY

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## February 19 at 3:00 p.m. BBC Winter Walk!

Join us at the Brewster Community Gardens at 660 Lower Rd in Brewster for an easy walk and then to share hot chocolate and donuts. Come get some fresh air and connect with BBC on the Presidents Day holiday!



We are looking forward to our annual Easter Family Fun event on Saturday, March 23 at 9:30 a.m. More information is coming soon!

In April, BBC Families can participate in the Grotonwood Missions trip over April break. We will have family friendly tasks and activities from Tuesday April 16 to Thursday April 18.

If you are interested in having your family participate in this trip, please talk to Gwyneth or email at [gpreu@brewsterbaptistchurch.org](mailto:gpreu@brewsterbaptistchurch.org).

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Thank you to everyone who came out to support our students at their brunch fundraiser. As of the printing of this Beacon our students are preparing for their weekend at Berea. The theme for this year's Deep Freeze is Harmony. Music is made up of various instruments and tones that all come together to make an appealing tone. But, when you really look at the way these tones interact it's not a perfect coexistence. These harmonies that we enjoy are comprised of tones that have a sort of complementary tension to them. The beauty of this is while some tones are completely different, they can come together to form a harmonic sound.

In a divided world unity is sought in many ways. Some feel you must agree on everything to be in unity. Others feel there can be some disagreement, but there must be some shared essential beliefs. Yet, scripture gives us a way we can all live in unity despite our differences.

Romans 12:9-21 gives us a message of a unity that is independent of our differences. In fact, it encourages them! This is not meant to highlight our differences but in fact teach us how to live together. The one thing we all have is Christ. We are called to work on all our other differences in a way that is accepting of one another but creates a harmonic body living in community with one another.



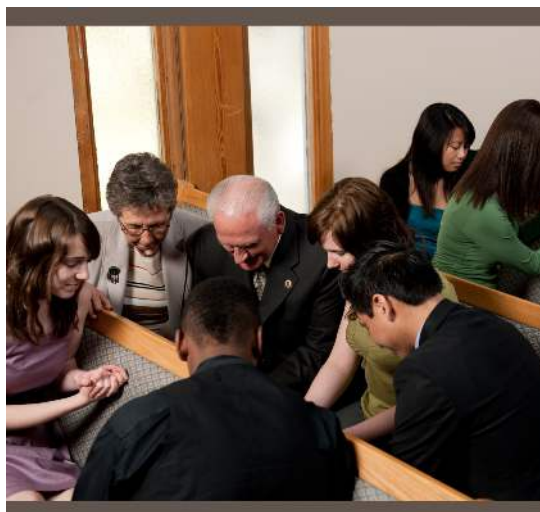
# SPIRITUAL FORMATION

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## Wednesday Morning Prayer Meeting

Come and join us from **10:00 to 11:00 a.m.** for our Wednesday morning prayer meeting.

Do you have a need? We would be honored to pray for you. Afterwards, we have fellowship with coffee and goodies. Hope to see you there.



Wednesday  
Prayer Time

Sanctuary 10:00 am

On the second Wednesday of the month, we have our prayer service with the residents at Pleasant Bay Nursing and Rehab Facility.

## Your Faith Journey

By Martha Dunford

Have you ever compared yourself to someone else in your faith walk? I know I have. The disciple Peter had this problem, also. Do you remember the story in *John 21* when Jesus restored Peter after Peter denied Jesus three times?

Afterwards, Peter and Jesus took a walk together down the beach, and Jesus said to Peter, "Follow me." It is a very simple command, but oh so hard to follow sometimes. After Jesus had a heartfelt talk with Peter about his future faith walk, Peter turned and saw another disciple, John, following behind them, and Peter asked Jesus about John's future walk of faith. Jesus realized Peter had taken his eyes off Him and said to Peter, "*If I want him to remain alive until I return, what is that to you, Peter? **You must follow me.***" (vs.22)

Sometimes, we are just like Peter. We are curious and wonder about another disciple's faith walk. We compare ourselves to him/her, but Jesus wants us to keep our eyes on Him and follow Him. So let us keep our eyes on Jesus and conform to His will. We are not alone. He walks with us. As we walk in obedience, we grow closer to Jesus each day. Seek Him with all your heart, and you will find Him.

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Effective February 1, the Needlers will be meeting in Community Hall on the first and third Thursdays of each month at 1:00 pm.

We welcome all forms of needlework, and beginners to experts welcome. We look forward to sharing our talents, good company and occasionally baked goods!

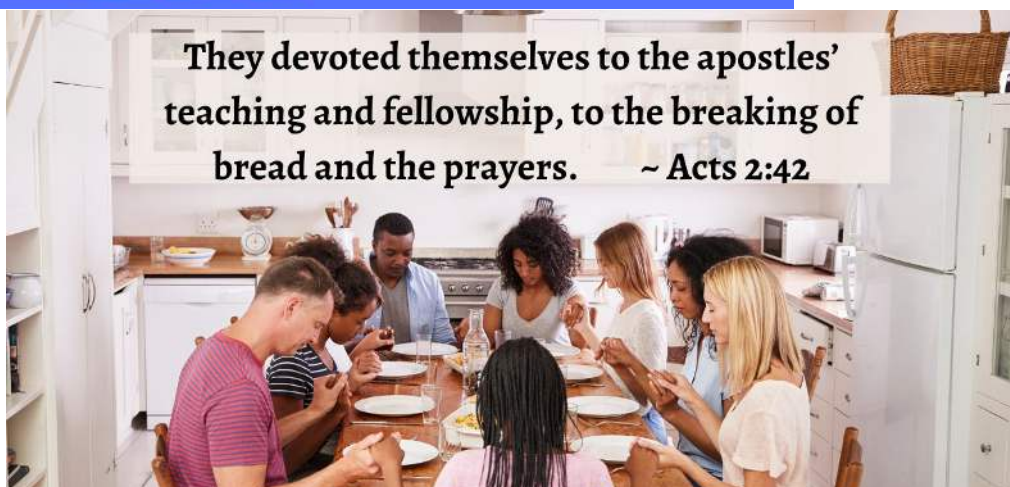


## Sunday Breakfast First Sunday of the Month

Hot items served from  
9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

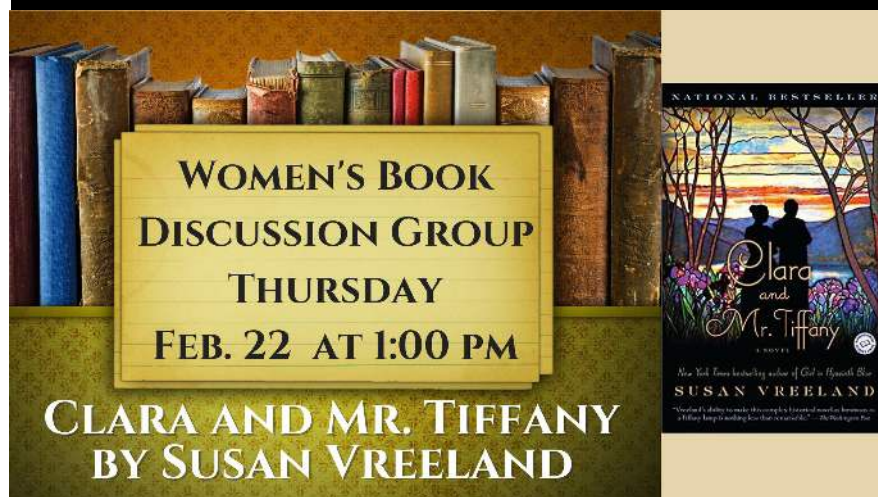
Join us for our monthly breakfast on Sunday, February 4.

Hot items will be served from 9:15—10:15 a.m.



**They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. ~ Acts 2:42**





The Women's Book Discussion Group will meet this month on February 22 at 1:00 p.m.

We will be discussing the book "Clara and Mr. Tiffany" by Susan Vreeland.



## Care Group for Family Members of LGBTQ+ Individuals

Contact David and  
Deb Quinones

for more information

### SUPPORT AND CARE GROUP

A **Care Group for Family Members of LGBTQ Individuals** is offered on the **2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m.** We are growing and would love for more to join us! We meet at David & Deb Quinones' home. This group is open to all, both within and outside of BBC. For more information contact David at [quinonesdb@gmail.com](mailto:quinonesdb@gmail.com) (508-277-5851) or Deb at [dsmittyq2@gmail.com](mailto:dsmittyq2@gmail.com) (508-561-5022).

The Christian Men's Lunch this month will be on February 29 at Noon in BBC's Fellowship Hall. Our guest speaker will be Dwight Ritter.

There will be sandwiches and salad. Please bring \$20 to cover the cost of the lunch.





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## AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE AT BBC

**The American Red Cross Blood Drive will be held at BBC on Thursday, February 1** from **1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** in Fellowship Hall. Donations of ALL blood types are **DESPERATELY NEEDED!** Avoid the wait by signing up online ahead of time at **[redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org)** or call 1-800-733-2767.

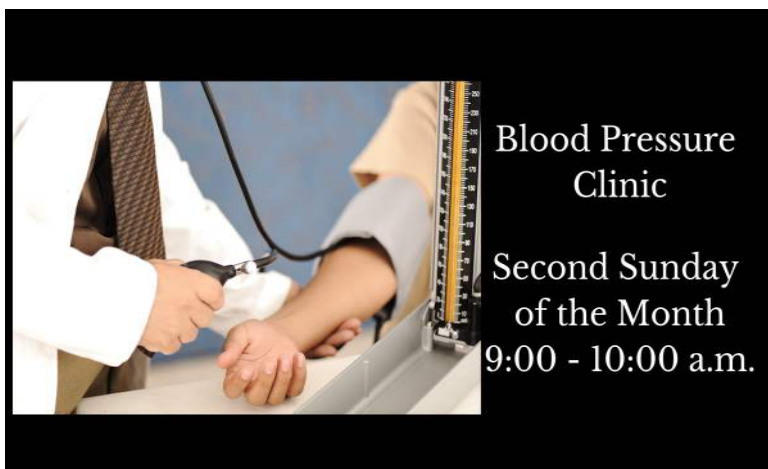
## Dangerously Low Blood Supply

This is serious. The Red Cross is experiencing the worst blood shortage in over a decade. The dangerously low blood supply levels have forced some hospitals to defer patients from major surgery, including organ transplants. Your donation is desperately needed. Please schedule an appointment to give now.

## Blood Pressure Clinic Sunday, February 11, 2024

The Caring Nurses will be holding an in-person blood pressure clinic on **Sunday, February 11, from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.** in Fellowship Hall. Feel free to bring your home blood pressure kit to compare with our calibrated blood pressure machines.

Please contact Lisa Freeman RN FCN at [lfree125@comcast.net](mailto:lfree125@comcast.net) or 508-896-3299.



## BBC Care Team Wants To Help

Please let the BBC Caring Ministry Team know if you have upcoming surgery or have recently been in a hospital, rehabilitation, or nursing home facility. We can't reach out to help you if we do not know. Our Caring Ministry Team is available to help with visitations and provide short term meals and rides to medical appointments.

Contact Deb Quinones: [smittyq2@aol.com](mailto:smittyq2@aol.com) or the church office for more information.



Gather with other churches from across Cape Cod to worship, learn, and get inspired. At THRIVE, you'll have a chance to collaborate with passionate people who share your desire to see Cape Cod's churches thrive, and for those thriving churches to make a real difference in their communities.

**Friday, March 8 and Saturday, March 9**

**Keynote Speaker: Kevin Palau of the Luis Palau Assoc.**

**Learn more at [ThriveCapeCod.org](https://ThriveCapeCod.org). Registration will be open soon.**

We are planning a mission trip to Camp Grotonwood, our American Baptist Camp in Groton, MA.

They have a couple of large projects that will need some skilled workers to assist with, and lots of smaller, even kid-friendly projects to get ready for summer. There will be projects for all ages and abilities. There will be meals and lodging provided.

Because this week is during April school vacation and it is only 2 hours away, we are going to have three options for people to participate:

1. Full Week—Monday, April 15 - Friday, April 19
2. Partial Week—Tuesday, April 16 - Thursday, April 18 (We encourage families with young children to come these days and we will have kid-friendly activities ready)
3. Day Trips on Tuesday, April 16 and Thursday, April 18.

If you would like to learn more, please sign up on the church website or church app.



# February 2024 at Brewster Baptist Church

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The Beacon

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Please note that due to space limitations this calendar does not list every event, activity, or meeting involving our church community. To schedule an event or to determine if a particular room or space is available, please check with the church office.						
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# ANNIVERSARIES & BIRTHDAYS

## Anniversaries

- 3 Richard and Ann Wolf
- 4 Frank and Susan Ballantine
- 5 Alfred and Karen Faria
- 7 Roger and Ann Conover
- 14 David and Barbara Grandel
- 19 Van and Lynn Latham

## Birthdays

- 1 Cody Fougere
- 2 Elizabeth Kriopp
- 3 Bruce Brady  
Lorraine Jackman
- 4 Sandra Janson  
TJ Miranda
- 5 Dan Jones
- 6 Rachel Pranga
- 7 Michael Ross  
Sharon Kautz  
Matthias Fougere  
Kevin Jamieson
- 8 Jean Carey  
Stephen Jones  
Suzanne Christie  
Susan Syty
- 9 Karen Decker
- 10 Len Greiner
- 11 Evelyn Rencurrel  
Andrew Palmer
- 12 Suzanne Ritchie  
Wendy Sue Kissa
- 13 Karen Bakanowski
- 14 Marjorie Ammann  
Linda Shaw

- 15 Anabel Brown
- 16 Jackie Reycroft
- 17 Ann Ferro  
Denise Kenney  
Gerry Fiore
- 18 Lorraine Donnelly
- 19 Andrea Glidden
- 20 Paul Ammann
- 21 Nick Janson
- 23 Tim Kautz  
Alice Ryan
- 24 Pat Foot  
Martha Dunford  
Leslie Leighton
- 26 Bob McKenney  
Nathan Carr  
Stephen Rochette  
Elsa Scott
- 27 Alan Jenkins  
William Doherty
- 28 Arlene Lavelle  
Janelle Carreiro  
Leslie Price

# THANK YOU

Dear Doug:

Alice and I want to thank all those who took time to sing Christmas carols at our home. We both appreciated the event so very much. We are so happy to be associated with Brewster Baptist. May all enjoy a blessed Christmas and a healthy and Happy New Year!

Thanks so much again,  
Dan Ryan

Dear Saints at Brewster Baptist,

Grateful for your generosity and your partnership in God's Mission.

Season's blessings and happy New Year.  
Joyce Bagiraneza,  
Donor Advisor, International Ministries

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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February 1: American Red Cross Blood Drive

February 14: Ash Wednesday

February 17: Budget Meeting

February 18: Annual Meeting and Celebration Lunch

February 22: Women's Book Discussion Group

February 22: Bicentennial Movie Night

February 29: Christian Men's Lunch