

Welcome to the November 2021 Edition of the Beaver Island Christian Church Newsletter

10 a.m. SUNDAY SERVICE

VISITING PASTORS

November 7 – Pastor Lee Bracey
November 14 – Pastor Angel Abshear
November 21 – Pastor Melody Williams
November 28 - TBD

“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

FAITH STEP : What situation or person is foremost in your mind today? Have you cried out to Jesus for help about it?

WEEKLY EVENTS

Women's Bible Study in the Sanctuary – Thursday 10 a.m.
Men's Coffee – Thursdays at 8:30 - Dalwhinnie's

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please send all announcements to be included in the Sunday bulletin by Thursday evening to beaverislandchristianchurch@gmail.com

WOMEN'S CIRCLE

Kim Mitchell has accepted the position of representative of the Women's Circle on the Church Board to replace Mary Ellen Dawson, who recently resigned.

TRUNK OR TREAT – 2021 COVID VERSION

Trunk or Treat is on – **with COVID modifications.**

Socially distanced tables will be set up outside the Gregg Center – first come / first served.

Hot dogs and chips will be provided by the Elks; cider will also be available outside.

It is the responsibility of all parents to ensure that your children socially distance.

Masks are encouraged.

COFFEE AND COOKIES

All of us at BICC are cookie people!
We love our cookies, coffee, and fellowship following the Church service.

Problem is, not enough of us are signing up to bring cookies and host the coffee fellowship.

If you've thought about it, but weren't sure what's involved, please prayerfully consider assisting a

It's a simple gesture that involves a minimal amount of time, and it's a great way to meet your fellow Churchgoers.

DECEMBER COOKIE CARNIVAL

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

EVENTS FOR NOVEMBER 2021

JOYS, SORROWS, CONCERNS

Praise be to God that we have the opportunity to gather together in worship.

Our thoughts and prayers for the family of Joe Moore, Lil and Ruthie Gregg

In this time of uncertainty, we lean to the Lord for encouragement, strength, and hope. Our faith and resolve are tested, and we all suffer in one way or another.

Remember your loved ones, neighbors, friends...and those whose paths we cross who are not yet our friends. Turn your energy and your faith to them and minister in any way possible.

We all have talents and resources to share.

Be kind, be patient, be the friend you wish others to be.
Stay safe!

We will get through this...together.

As Pastor Bracey stated, "Don't let anything steal your blessings."

A REMINDER THAT BICC WELCOME BAGS ARE AVAILABLE FOR NEW ISLAND RESIDENTS

The bags contain a welcome letter, information on our Church, and other miscellaneous items (and feel free to add cookies or a baked gift).

This is a nice welcome package for newcomers. Please see Judi or any member of the Board if you know of someone who you would like to welcome to our Church and the community.

ENDOWMENT FUND

As you plan your annual giving, please prayerfully consider a donation to the Church Endowment Fund.

We are simplifying the process by asking that you write your check directly to the church with "Endowment Fund" on the memo line.

Please send directly to the Church, and Rick Speck will write one check for the combined donations.

Church address: 38215 Kenwabikise Ln, Beaver Island 49782

***FOR THOSE LEAVING FOR THE WINTER SEASON,
"GOD BE WITH YOU 'TILL WE MEET AGAIN."***

If you have usable food items (canned goods, etc.) and plan to leave your cottage for the winter, please consider donating them to the food pantry.

FINAL NOTES:

For additional information about the Church and current events click here: bichristianchurch.com

We are now including bios for each visiting pastor on the church website. If you click on a particular pastor's name on their appointed Sunday, their bio (if available) will appear.