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Lesson from Sea Glass

I overheard a conversation between two coworkers talking about seaglass. One was telling the other about taking her children to the beach this past week, and what a great time they had collecting shells and seaglass. She explained to her children how seaglass was made. That it was from people who threw trash into the ocean. "Something ugly was made into something beautiful." (Romans 8:28) *We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him who have been called according to his purpose*, Seaglass is weathered, both physically and chemically due to the constant tumbling action of waves over an extended period of time. While explaining this to another coworker, the thought came to me how at times our lives can feel like this. Just like that piece of broken glass we can feel broken with jagged edges., tumbling about in our circumstances. Just as the sea smooths out that broken glass, when we keep our trust in God, He grows us and smooths out our ragged edges. (Romans 5:3-4) *not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings because we know that suffering produces perseverance, perseverance, character and character, hope*. Just as God uses the ocean to turn something ugly into something beautiful he uses our trials to produce beautiful things in us. (Genesis 50:20) *you intended to hurt me, but God intended it for good*

Margaret

NEWS & NOTES

Wed. Night Bible Study via zoom
-7pm

Sat. April 22 @1130 am Baby shower for Jessica Lennon @ the church building Sign up sheets on the door.

Beyond a Reasonable Doubt - April 29th @ 630 pm at the church building

Barnabas Project if interested in joining contact Mary Lou (475) 529-5751

Vacation Bible School - July 22

Tidal River Christian Camp-50th anniversary-flyers on the back table. If able to help out with camp contact Pat Keller
Spooner House is in dire need of nonperishable items.

To Our visitors: We welcome you to the worship service of the church of Christ that meets in Trumbull. Please fill out a visitor's card and place it in the collection plate when it is passed so that we may have a record of your attendance. If you have any questions concerning why we worship the way we do or what we believe, please feel free to ask. We would be happy to set aside time to study the Bible with you. Please let us know if we can be of service

Prayer Requests

*Pray for Mildred Perkins, she is in a rehab facility. *Pray for Jessica Lennon, she has gestational diabetes. Prayers for her and her baby *Pray for Kimberly Diaz, she is having preliminary problems with her liver. *Prayer for Meegan Aschen who pulled her back out and is caring for Irene. *Pray for Tom Byer, the minister of South Road Church of Christ who has throat cancer and is undergoing chemo and Radiation treatments. *Pray for Pat Keller and family, his brother died suddenly this Past week. *Pray for Christiana Froehlich who is due to have her 2nd baby in May and was recently diagnosed with preeclampsia. *Pray for Desrine Forbes son , Shane, who is in Jamaica and in great danger with his job. *Pray for the family of Andy Palo, (friends of the Saracino's) who recently passed away. *Pray for Nadine's cousin Jascinth, her mom passed away. *Pray for Irene Aschen who is recovering from hip replacement surgery. *Pray for Pat Yagowski who is recovering from pneumonia *Pray for John & Rose Hardington & family (Mick McCreanor's friends) ,their grandson Seth is not doing well. (He has a Degenerative disease),	*Pray for those dealing with cancer and chemo treatments- Judith Gomez, David Fritzinger, Cohen (Ron's friend), Sarah (Angela's niece), Teri (Ray's S-I-L) *Prayers for all those who have lost loved ones this past year. *Pray for our country & our leaders in government ,first responders and health care workers. *Pray for families, relatives, friends and people we are reaching out to, that they may turn to the Lord. Special prayers for our church leaders. Prayers for all families caring for their elderly or sick loved ones: Allie Saracino-Cherie, ,Bob and Joanne Discala-Virginia *Pray for those suffering from long term illnesses: Jeremy Sazone, Flo Repecko, Pat Yagowski. Meegan and Irene, Sylvia Sandoval, Nuris Gomez, Mildred, Karen O, Angela's mom Connie Scalzo, Anthony Katz., Jasmyn Malagutti, Daniel Ruiz., Zak Pappas Fernandes. , Jim Walkup's brother (Sam), Cyrus (Zach's friend) dad who has brain cancer, Lance Flood, Zach Saracino, Joshua Ruiz, Brody Streety & all children with diabetes. *Anyone interested in helping with World Bible School- contact Ron *Opportunities to serve: any men willing to participate in worship service in other capacities for the church, please contact Bruce Post. Anyone interested in leading and/or helping with the building or church house maintenance please contact Bruce Pancoast.	
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Please bring nonperishable food items for the **Spooner House** - a list of all items needed is on back table: Jelly/Jam/Peanut Butter, Cereal/Oatmeal, Canned Meats: Chicken, Tuna, Corned Beef Hash, Canned Ravioli/Tomatoes, Pasta Sauce, Canned Fruit/Applesauce, Crackers/Snacks, Pancake Mix/Syrup, Ramen, Hamburger/Tuna Helper, Baked beans/Pork and Beans, Canned/Dried Beans (i.e. Black, Chick Pea, Cannellini, Kidney, Pinto), Rice/Rice-A-Roni, Soup/Stew/Chili, Instant/Canned Potatoes/Yams. Bring these food items to the building to be delivered to the Spooner House. Please make sure that items do not have expired dates. Thank you

Sunday Bible Class 10 am @ church building

Wednesday Bible Classes: 7:00 p.m canceled til further notice, participate online via Zoom

Worship Service @ 11 am

Elders: Bruce Pancoast 203-452- 0426
203-913-8345

Minister: Ron Saracino 203-913-8345

Spanish Ministry: Elmer Sandavol
914-914-486-9146

Deacons: Ray Fernandes 203-502-8871
Luis Ruiz 203-610-2396

Bible class 10am worship service 11am

Online bible class and worship service

Go to our website :
trumbullchurchofchrist.org
Week of 04/16//23

Song Leader: Bruce Pancoast
Lord's Table: Ray Fernandes
Closing Prayer: Pat Keller
Usher: Kris Eddy
Week of 4/9-4/15/23
Donations: \$1554
Expenses: \$2500

