

# FIRST UMC COMMUNITY

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A weekly update brought to you by Pastor Sue

March 2, 2019

## PRAYER REQUEST

Eric Avellar, Bernie Powers are in Cape Cod hospital right now. Laurel Tileston was in the hospital and came home today. Please keep them in your prayers as we remember all of our friends who are sick and in need of



## SPECIAL MUSIC

This Sunday, tomorrow, Hwang (Hank) Heo is dedicating a special music during Sunday worship with our organist, Jeanne Kuzirian. The title of the music is "Anointing."

## 2019 Lenten Journey Road Map

# ALL ARE WELCOME!

**Book Study** "40 Days With Wesley"  
From Mar 12 - Apr 9 Every Tuesday 10:30 am

**Ash Wednesday** Mar 6, Wednesday 5:00 pm

**Lenten Spiritual Journey**  
From Mar 13 - Apr 10

**Reflections & Meditation**  
Every Wednesday 6:00 pm  
(Hot soup & bread will be provided at 5:00 pm)

**Maundy Thursday** Apr 18, Thursday 5:00 pm  
(Hot soup & bread will be provided after the service)

**Easter Sunday** Apr 21, Sunday 10:00 am  
(Hot soup & bread will be provided after the service)

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## PARSONAGE NEWS

How are enjoying your snowy Saturday. I'm glad it is snowing today instead of Sunday! Tomorrow we are even expecting to see some sunshine! The girls are definitely having fun with the snow. They made (?) a new friend!

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

Every third Sunday, now we have a children's sermon. Thank you Robin for preparing a message! This month, we learned about how we can take care of each other when our friends are sad, sick, mad, and hungry, based on Jesus' teaching about blessed ones.



## FIRE TRUCK AT CHURCH!

I smelled strong gas in the church kitchen, and David Thomson called the fire department. They arrived within 5 minutes in a fire truck and an ambulance with 5 fully equipped firemen! I was so surprised how promptly they responded. We are so thankful to live in this awesome town!



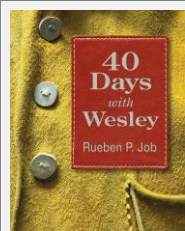
## COURAGEOUS CONVERSATION

Those who want to know and understand what happened at the 2019 Special General Conference are invited to this event. It is happening on Thursday, March 7, 2019 at 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at Wesley UMC (55 Woodland St Lincoln, RI 02865). I will be going to this event, so if you would like to come with me, you are more than welcome.



## DEVOTIONS AND REFLECTIONS FOR LENTEN SEASON

We will have a book study with this book, "40 days with Wesley" every Tuesday 10:30 am from Mar 12 to Apr 9. However, I encourage everyone to do this daily devotional Lenten study at home even if you are not coming to the book study. This book is very easy to follow and you can easily follow by yourself. I invite you to dedicate 1 or 2 hours of your time to spend an intimate time with God everyday during Lenten. To purchase the book, call the office by Monday or you can order it online.



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