

WILTON PRESBYTERIAN

July 12, 2009

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Four listening devices are available on the table in the Narthex

Wear your name tag and say "Hello" to at least one person you don't know!

Please turn off all cell phones and pagers when entering the sanctuary

INVITATION TO NEW MEMBERS. We welcome friends and visitors at worship this morning. Should this be the right time and season for you to join this family of faith, please speak with the Pastor or call the church office (762-5514). The next regularly scheduled Session meeting to receive new members will be **Sunday, September 13, 9:30 AM** in the Quiet/Meditation Room.

GOD'S PEOPLE HERE: We extend our Christian sympathy to Jane Estes at the death of her son, Howard, last Thursday, July 9 in Los Angeles... We hold close in prayer the family of Tom Fleming, who was killed in an accident last Sunday morning on "Faulkner's curve" on Ridgefield Road in North Wilton... We extend our Christian sympathy to Sally Jones at the death of her husband, Burt, on Monday, July 6 in New London, New Hampshire. Sally is a former member of WPC and Burt was First Selectman in Wilton. A funeral service was held yesterday at the Presbyterian Church in New London.

SUMMER CHURCH SCHOOL (for ages K – 4th Grade in the Upper Core). This week's lesson is "**Small Gifts in God's Hands**" A young boy meets Jesus and in the "loaves and fishes" experience, learns that God takes our gifts, however insignificant, and uses them for God's purposes. Activity: Each child will create their own fish.

SUMMER HELP FOR OUR IRAQI REFUGEE FAMILY

The Wilton Interfaith Refugee Resettlement Committee has asked WPC to provide contributions of household and grocery items for Husam, Noorhan, Haneen, and Saif Khairallah—during the month of August this year. Needed items include:

<u>For the family:</u>	canned meats (no ham or pork, please)	rice
	vegetables	canned vegetables, including sweet potatoes
	peanut butter	spaghetti
	paper products of all kinds	
<u>For the kids:</u>	pretzels	potato chips
	chocolate cookies	Tony the Tiger Sugar Frosted Flakes
	small candy treats (lollipops and chocolate bars)	cake mixes and chocolate frosting
	Pampers Baby Dry Diapers, 60 counts, 35 lbs+	macaroni and cheese

Before you leave for your summer break, please consider dropping off in the box outside the church office one or more of these household and grocery items. We'll deliver them in August; but we're requesting them now because...well, you know.

WOMEN OF WPC: SAVE THE DATE!!! **Wednesday, September 2**, at 7:30pm, the women of WPC will gather at the home of Sandy Shifrin (41 Duck Pond Place in Wilton) for socializing and brainstorming. Hosted by WPC's women ruling elders and moderator of Deacons, this is an opportunity for women to provide input and feedback as we shape the women's ministries programs for 2009-2010. We are seeking to make these programs responsive to your needs, so we are eager to hear from you! "See you in September!"

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

July 3 – September 7, 2009

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: Office open 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM
The office is closed on Mondays and Fridays during July and August

STAFF TIMES AWAY

Summer 2009 (leaving – returning)

Jane Field	Monday, July 6 – Monday, July 27	Vacation
Al Galletly	Wednesday, July 1 – Friday, July 31	Vacation
David Graybill	Monday, July 27 – Wednesday, September 9	Vacation
	(During the Pastor's absence, the Rev. Jane Field will be Pastor-on-Call [834-0158])	
Susie Gross	Friday, August 14 – Tuesday, August 25	Vacation
	Friday, August 28 – Tuesday, September 8	
Sandy Muschler	Monday, July 27 – Monday, August 10	Vacation