



## **The Summer Edition: June 2018**



Hoorah! Summer is finally here... at least on some days. Is it me? or are you hearing most conversations include a bit of whining about the weather? Summer brings its own, more relaxed schedule that many folks love and others perhaps not as much. Regardless of your view, we are blessed to live where we do and able to enjoy the creation around us.

The Women's Ministry Team is filled with gratitude for our year of "Sharing" through the many scheduled events and Bible studies as we've sought to serve the Lord in following our mission statement and core values. Whether learning more keys to effective Bible study with Barbara Arnold, enjoying Soup Night with 99 of our closest friends, zeroing in on our own stories through hearing about Lisa Harper's, attending regional conferences, joining the book club, sewing for focused projects, participating in Women's Bible studies, or joining our team at the Coffee House to consider how you could serve, we recognize that is was all possible with the Lord's guidance.

As we plan for next year, please pray that women will always feel welcomed as they participate and serve beside us.

## C4C (creating for Christ) Update

Remember how the craft team had prepped children's clothes for children in Malawi (Africa)?

Pete and Diane Whitman delivered 33 boy's shirts and 72 girl's dresses to Malawi in March when they visited the opening of the much-anticipated feeding center. Here's 2 of my favorite pictures from their trip, one where you can see the dresses being worn by the children.... the other, pure joy.





Laurel continues to lead in this ministry through the summer. Dates: June 23<sup>rd</sup> and August 25<sup>th</sup> from 9-noon at the church

#### WE ASKED.....YOU ANSWERED!!

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Thanks for the thoughtful feedback through our April Open Forum.

We are excited to begin incorporating some of **YOUR** ideas into planning for the next year.

#### **SO MANY SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES**



#### Current reads:

The Tuscan Child
Author: Rhys Bowen
Discussion date: June 30

The Dressmaker
Author: Kate Alcott
Discussion date: August 11

0930-1100 Place: Karen Smith's 131 Southwinds Dr, Wakefield 932-2936 for questions

### **BEACH CHAIR MONDAYS**

SOON, STARTING EVERY MONDAY AT 530P AT NARRAGANSETT TOWN BEACH/ CHAIR 3. THERE'S PLENTY OF ROOM FOR EVERYONE...BRING YOUR CHAIR, DINNER, BOOGY-BOARDS AND PLEASE, WEAR FLIPFLOPS!! DRESS CODE: CASUAL



# VBS 2018 full-speed ahead

Our energetic and enthusiastic team from Brazil will again be joining our home team for an amazing week Registration for children now available on-line at

http://www.fbcnarr.com/inside-out-vbs//

We welcome ages 4 - grade 6 July 16-20



Also seize the opportunity to\_join our team as many hands make light work. We promise you an amazing experience in serving the Lord, our team, and the families attending VBS.

Call church office if interested in serving 783-2792.

Stay tuned for a special 2-day teen event with the Brazilian team on July 23-24.....promises to be awesome!!