



GRACE ABOUNDS



Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church _____ June 18, 2021

Spotlight: Blood Drive Report

Last Sunday, Grace Church hosted its first ever Blood Drive in The Pavilion. **A total of 27 donations** were made to the Rhode Island Blood Center (RIBC), which managed the event and all went very smoothly! The RIBC staff were ecstatic with the results and because supply is incredibly low right now, these donations will be used promptly.



Our thanks to all who helped in promoting this event, the cookie donations, (the lemonade!) and the volunteers that assisted on the day. The prior week's big push really made an impact on our numbers in terms of parish participation. About half of the donations came from parishioners, and the other half was either from walk-ins that saw the signs, those that heard of the event by word of mouth to family & friends, or those who heard about it directly from the blood bank.

If anyone is still interested in donating on behalf of Grace Church, an appointment can be scheduled at the RIBC main office at 405 Promenade St. Street, by calling: 401-453-8383 and by giving the Grace Church sponsor code: 2097.

To find out more about the Rhode Island Blood Center and its mission, please visit their website at: <https://www.ribc.org/>

Sunday Morning Worship: In Person and Live-streamed

Every Sunday Morning, Grace Church offers a 'live-stream' broadcast of our Sunday morning eucharist service. We hope this experience allows those who are not able to join us in person on Sundays to participate in the worship life at Grace.

The service will be live-streamed to the [Grace Church Facebook Page](#) and the [Grace Church YouTube Channel](#). Please use the links provided below to watch. The services will also be archived on the [Grace Church website](#), [Vimeo](#), Facebook, and YouTube pages for 'on-demand' viewing after Sunday morning.



Sunday Morning Links

YouTube: [Click Here!](#)

Facebook: [Click Here!](#)

**If you'd like to download or print the service leaflet
for **The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**, [please click here.](#)**

Pre-registration for services is no longer required!

Updated COVID-19 guidelines:

Fully vaccinated individuals are welcome to either wear masks or not, purely at their election.

Individuals who have not been vaccinated are kindly asked to wear masks while on the premises.

**Regardless of how you choose to participate in our worship life together,
we hope you join us either in person or 'virtually' online!
As always, ALL ARE WELCOME at Grace Church!**

Wednesday Virtual Prayer Group

The Wednesday prayer group invites all parishioners to join them in prayer via Zoom every Wednesday at noon. If you can't make that time but would still like to have their prayer list for your own prayers, you can request that list instead. Either way, contact Adrienne Southgate at asouthgate1@cox.net to join in.



June 20, 2021 The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

For the texts of the readings for The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost, [please click here.](#)



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