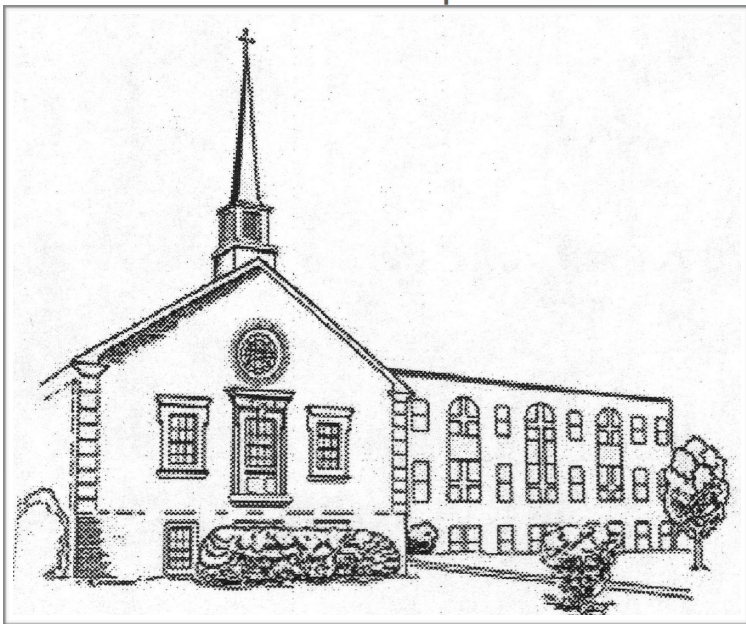


Seeking God ● Serving Others

BRADDOCK Baptist Church



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Every Week:

Sundays
9:30a.m. Fellowship
9:45a.m. Sunday School
10:45a.m. Prayer
11:00a.m. Worship Service

Mondays
6:30 p.m. Young Adults
Small Group

Wednesdays
6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Children's Class
7:30 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal

Fridays
6 p.m. First Friday Fellowship
6:30 p.m. OPEG (First Friday)

Saturdays
9 a.m. Exercise
10 a.m. ESL Classes
12p.m. GED Class

Mother's Day Out
Monday-Friday 9:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Continue In Our Yearly Bible Reading

OCTOBER

DATE	MORNING	EVENING	DATE	MORNING	EVENING
1	Is 11, 12, 13	Ep 4	17	Is 50, 51, 52	1 Th 5
2	Is 14, 15, 16	Ep 5: 1-16	18	Is 53, 54, 55	2 Th 1
3	Is 17, 18, 19	Ep 5:17-33	19	Is 56, 57, 58	2 Th 2
4	Is 20, 21, 22	Ep 6	20	Is 59, 60, 61	2 Th 3
5	Is 23, 24, 25	Ph 1	21	Is 62, 63, 64	1 Ti 1
6	Is 26, 27	Ph 2	22	Is 65, 66	1 Ti 2
7	Is 28, 29	Ph 3	23	Je 1, 2	1 Ti 3
8	Is 30, 31	Ph 4	24	Je 3, 4, 5	1 Ti 4
9	Is 32, 33	Col 1	25	Je 6, 7, 8	1 Ti 5
10	Is 34, 35, 36	Col 2	26	Je 9, 10, 11	1 Ti 6
11	Is 37, 38	Col 3	27	Je 12, 13, 14	2 Ti 1
12	Is 39, 40	Col 4	28	Je 15, 16, 17	2 Ti 2
13	Is 41, 42	1 Th 1	29	Je 18, 19	2 Ti 3
14	Is 43, 44	1 Th 2	30	Je 20, 21	2 Ti 4
15	Is 45, 46	1 Th 3	31	Je 22, 23	Tit 1
16	Is 47, 48, 49	1 Th 4			

LIFE AT BRADDOCK

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The BRIDGE

Building Responsible Individuals Demonstrating Godliness to Everyone

Pastor's Corder Note

October is a wonderful fall month. Very soon we will fall back in our daylight savings mode and be able to see in the early hours as school kids are going to classes. Jesus is the Lord of daylight for he is working and has empowered us to work while it is day for a time is coming when no man can work. So to me it is yet another reminder to be about the Father's business bringing in the harvest of souls who will respond to the grace of God.

John 9:4 As long as it is **day**, we must do the **works** of him who sent me. Night is coming, when no one can **work**. Yet the Scriptures tell us that "they" the people of the world need to hear the gospel. How can they hear lest we go. We need to walk through each day as sent individuals to tell those "who ever will" listen so they may be saved.

Romans 10:14 How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not **heard**? And how can they **hear** without someone **preaching** to them?

Let me encourage you to utilize this fall season to go tell anyone who listens that the Lord will return and bring his own to himself, before he judges the world of sin. Anyone who will call upon him (Jesus), will be saved and have eternal life, you could be the one to deliver that lifesaving message and deliver one from the final judgement!

From The Associate Pastor

October, a month where the breeze begins to cool, the coffee begins to brew, and the community looks on to their local churches to see what they will do during the holiday season.

I personally love the month of October because I would prefer a sweater and a cup of coffee over a t-shirt and a cup of water. As the weather begins to cool, I pray that we as a church will find ways to serve our community. With big events such as Halloween coming up, what can we do as a church to provide our community with ways to gather that don't revolve around worldly lies? Help us as a church staff to answer those questions this month.

While we will gather for justWorship's first monthly gathering on Friday, October 20th, we hope that this isn't the only outreach that happens within our church. As I said, this season calls for coffee and baked goods, so why not have some neighbors over for a cup of coffee and some baked goods? Or who is stopping you from making some cookies and blessing your neighbors?

May God bless you, Braddock, as you fall into this season, much like the leaves on the trees around us are about to. But may the wind that blows you to and fro never be the winds of man's doctrine, but rather the breath of the Holy Spirit's leading in your life.

Pastor JJ

Stewardship

All Committee Chairpersons and others have submitted their 2018 budget requests to the Stewardship Committee for consideration. The Committee will follow the followings goals for the 2018 Budget Year:

- Keep all current Church programs running smoothly
- Keep the total budget in line with expected receipts.

The 2018 proposed budget will be presented to the congregation, after Stewardship's consideration and review by the BBC Board, at the November Business Meeting. We hope you'll be able to attend! Watch the Bridge and your Sunday Bulletins for the November Business Meeting date.

Sunday School

October - Officially the season of Autumn. In our adult and young adult Sunday school classes we are in our 5th Fall quarter lesson titled "Sufficient" God provides for the needs of His people. When was the last time you pondered how God always provides for your needs? Sometimes we find ourselves questioning God's provision, most often in our times of trouble or "want." Gain the insight that God is always faithful in providing for our needs by reviewing the Sunday school lesson mentioned above, then sit down and think back on all He's done for you, even in the tough times. As the season changes let all become dedicated to attending Sunday school and Worship.

Here are our 2017-2018 Sunday school teachers, and substitutes/assistants approved at the September 13th Business Meeting:

Braddock Baptist Church Sunday School Teachers & Assistants 2017-2018

Esther Class: Joyce Taylor
 Kingdom Focused Class: Mitch Bennett
 Men's Class: Gary Moore
 Young Adult's Class: Ken Pierce
 Youth Class: JJ Engelbrecht
 Children's Department: Harry Finley
 Children's Class: Carol Finley, Charlene Bowser, Brenda Rodriguez
 Pre-School: Alyssa Engelbrecht
 Spanish ESL Class: Jim Jondrow, Becky Corder

Substitutes & Assistants

John Short
 Stephanie Short
 John Allen Short
 Emily Corder
 William Bennett
 Melanie Bennett
 Nathaniel Bennett
 Anna Maria Pierce
 Rebecca Moss

God Bless You,

Gary Moore

Sunday School Director

BBC Board of Directors

In August, the following items were discussed:

- Drafted a letter to ABBC acknowledging the school will stay at BBC until the end of December 2017
- Reported that the 2018 budget requests will be going out and due back in September
- Yard Sale Debrief
- Brief Discussion about BBC 75th Anniversary; suggested we develop a committee to handle this

In September, the following items were discussed:

- Positive Treasurer's Report
- ABBC transitioning away from Braddock
- Working on ways to save money on insurance
- Discussed ways to improve communication
- Board approved moving forward with renovation project.

Please feel free to review the Board minutes in the Church office for more information.

Respectfully Submitted,

Amy El-Nagggar, Church Clerk

West Cornwall Covered Bridge, Cornwall, CT Leaf peepers flock to Housatonic Meadows State Park—Connecticut's only stretch of the Appalachian Trail—for riverside camping and hiking amid 10,000 acres of foliage. As you drive past the park, keep an eye out for West Cornwall Covered Bridge, a red wooden landmark designed by Connecticut native Ithiel Town. Source: <http://www.travelandleisure.com/slideshows/americas-most-beautiful-covered-bridges#west-cornwall-covered-bridge-cornwall-ct>

For all inquiries regarding sources, please e-mail Cristina Riojas



October Birthdays

1	Erin Freeman
3	Cristina Riojas
4	Natalie Aguilar Michael Miller Titus Waters
5	Lorin Short
11	Elaine Comer Charlie Dimaculangan
15	Pat Minor
16	Allison Weaver
19	Lindsay Perry
20	Timothy Stockdale
24	Zachary Hasley
25	Myung Hee Whang
26	Denise Miller
27	Ian Lewis
30	Evelyn Poppell
31	Nathanael Bennett

Anniversaries

7	Pastor Timothy & Becky Corder
8	James & Patricial Lewis
12	David & Amy El-Nagggar
27	Scott & Margie Hasley

miHi youth

Starting your week each Sunday, I hope you are seeing the youth and young people that are hungry for the LORD. Are you still hungry? I ask because sometimes in the church, it is easy for us to get used to how things are done and we forget what initially brought us to church- our FIRST LOVE! The youth here at Braddock are challenged (almost weekly) with setting an example to the believers. I hope that you will see their example. Listen for the excitement of revival, watch for the joy that is contagious, and be reminded of your first Love.

As always, we ask that you pray for the generation that will be the leaders of the church soon!

With Love,

Cristina Riojas email me at rio@BraddockBaptistChurch.org