

CANDIDATING WEEK MEETINGS WITH REV. BRUCE BEISNER

Zoom committee meeting link-<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3242006756?pwd=NTdjejR0YmJ4N0JQWWJlay9RWk54UT09>

SAT MAY 1	SUN MAY 2	MON MAY 3	TUE MAY 4	WED MAY 5	THU MAY 6	FRI MAY 7	SAT MAY 8	SUN MY 9
	First Sunday Service followed by 10 min. Q&A (Sanctuary) 9:00-10:10			Wednesday Zoom Coffee Chat with Rev. Bruce 9:00		Day Off		3rd Sunday Service followed by 10 min. Q&A (Sanctuary) 9:00-10:10
Tour of building and grounds 11:15 am	2nd Service (Sanctuary and Zoom) followed by 10 min. Q&A 11:00-12:10		Group Staff Meeting with Rev. Bruce by Zoom 11:30-12:30	Caring Ministry 10:00 Gathering Space		Day Off	Adult RE Zoom 10:00 am	4th Service (Sanctuary and Zoom) 11:00-12:00
				Membership 11:00 Gathering Space			BOT Pres. & Pres. Elect Gathering Space 11:00-Noon	Rev. Bruce out for lunch 12:00
Lunch with BOT and Search Comm. Gathering space 12:00	Lunch Rev. Bruce 12:30 pm	All Justice Committees and Green Sanctuary In sanctuary 2:00-3:30	Lunch Rev. Bruce 12:30 pm	Lunch Rev. Bruce 12:00	Hospitality Committee Gathering space 12:15	Day Off	Family Picnic with CYRE and YRE families Grounds 12:00	Church Members Vote (Sanctuary and Zoom) 12:30
			Individual Staff Meetings (in person, Gathering Space) 1:00-6:00		Lunch Rev. Bruce 1:00-2:00			
Rev. Bruce meets with Sturtevant family 2:00	BOT Gathering space 1:00-2:00	Admin 4:00-5:00 Zoom			Promotions 1:30-2:30 Gathering Space	Aesthetics Gathering space 2:00-3:00	Day Off	
		Dinner Rev. Bruce 5:00-6:30	Sunday Service Committee Zoom 2:30-3:30		Priorities,Hse & Grounds Gathering space- 3:00-4:00			
		Endowment & Stewardship 6:30-7:30 Zoom		All-congregation Zoom with Rev. Bruce 7:00-8:30	Personnel Gathering Space 4:00-5:00	Have a snack and meet Rev. Bruce (tent in parking oval) 4:30-6:30		
		Rental 7:30 Gathering Space			Dinner for Rev. Bruce			
				Nominating 6:00-7:00 Zoom				

EVERYONE	BOARD	COMMITTEES	STAFF	CONSTITUENT GROUPS
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Candidating Week- schedule and information-April 30th update

Sunday Services

Rev. Bruce Beisner will be leading two services on Sunday May 2, and two services on Sunday, May 9. On both of these Sundays, the early service will begin at 9:00 am and the second service will begin at 11:00 am. All four of Rev. Bruce's Sunday services will be open for in-person attendance. In addition, the 11:00 services on both Sundays will also be available via Zoom. Link can be found on our tjuc.org website. If you wish to reserve a seat by email, please follow instructions in the email already sent to you this week. If you do not use email, please call the office to reserve your seat.

Question time Following Services

Rev. Bruce will stay after three of the Sunday Services to answer questions from the congregation. Forums will follow the 9:00 and 11:00 services on May 2, and the 9:00 service on May 9. Each period will only last 10 minutes so that the room can be cleared long enough for fresh air to circulate before the following service. The zoom link for the 11:00 services will be the same as the Sunday Service zoom noted on our website.

Informal Conversations with Rev. Bruce

Everyone in the congregation will have three other opportunities to talk with our candidate:

- At the **Zoom coffee chat** on Wednesday, May 5 at 9:00 am. (*Link on web site.*)
- At a **Zoom meeting** with the congregation on Wednesday, May 5 from 7:00-8:30 pm. The link is:

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/7279812790?pwd=Uy9rQWVKNXlUeUpsRHJzNDIxZWNVQT09>

- At an **outdoor reception** under the tent in the parking oval, on Friday, May 7 from 4:30-6:30 pm. Please drop by for as long as you like, whenever you are free to visit. Light snacks and soft drinks/water will be provided.

Committee Meetings

Unless alternative arrangements are made by your Chair, committee meetings with the candidate will be held in person in the Gathering Space. Please enter by the labyrinth door. You should have received a special mailing from your committee chair this week outlining details with the attached color-coded chart. All Zoom committee meetings will be hosted by Rev. Bruce. The link for all committee meetings is:

Join Zoom Meeting

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The **purpose of these meetings** is to get to know Rev. Bruce, to share the committee's purpose, to recall some recent accomplishments, and to talk about the group's plans for the coming year. Please remember that all the candidates for ministry have already been through a rigorous multi-stage interview process. Now is our chance to take the next step: to see if Rev. Bruce and our members can begin to imagine a shared future.

Voting Information

At the end of Candidating Week, the congregation will vote whether to accepting Rev. Bruce as our called minister. This important vote (**open only to those who have been members of the church at least two months**) will take place in the Sanctuary, and by Zoom, on Sunday, May 9 at 12:30 pm. **The zoom link for the congregational meeting will be separate from the Sunday Service link and will be published on the church website.**

Paper ballots will be handed out to church members attending the 11:00 service in person just prior to the service in the gathering space. (*Let us know if you need special assistance to attend the service or to vote.*) Members attending by Zoom will vote online. The 12:30 congregational meeting will begin with a short explanation by the chair of the Search Committee on the meaning of this vote. Following the vote, results will be announced to all participants. Provided Rev. Bruce is accepted as our minister, a short celebration with him will follow.