

THE PRESBYTERIAN POST

Pastor Bruce McBurney

Save the date:

In-person Worship -

Lingle, 9:30 a.m.

Torrington, 11 a.m.

Torrington Session

Royden James, 2022

Diane Nye, 2022

Jane Iddings, 2024

Ellen Preston, 2024

Lingle Session

Don Aippersach, 2022

Ann Rose, 2022

Ryan Yung, 2023

Craig Fullmer, 2023

Steve Ransom, 2024

Mary Harshberger, 2024

Aaron Bahmer, 2024



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Opportunities for sharing worship

July 3

Ecumenical service at All Saints Episcopal Church in Torrington!

10 AM

BBQ will follow. Meet at the Lingle church at 9:30 if you want to share rides.

Upcoming events

Sunday, July 3: Worship Ecumenical, 10 a.m., Episcopal lawn, Torrington, followed by BBQ (bring lawn chair)

Monday, July 4: Holiday - office closed

Thursday, July 7: Bible Study, 6 p.m., Corner Bar, Lingle

Sunday, July 10: Worship

9:30 a.m.: Lingle, in-person

11 a.m.: Torrington, in-person

Wednesday, July 13: Praise Team, 1:30 p.m., Torrington
Mary/Marthas, 1:30 p.m., Lingle

Thursday, July 14: Bible Study, 6 p.m., Corner Bar, Lingle

Sunday, July 17: Worship

9:30 a.m.: Lingle, in-person

11 a.m.: Torrington, in-person

Monday, July 18: Session, 6:30 p.m., Torrington

Tuesday, July 19: Session, 6:30 p.m., Lingle

Thursday, July 21: PW meeting, 3 p.m., Torrington
Bible Study, 6 p.m., Corner Bar, Lingle

Sunday, July 24: Worship

9:30 a.m.: Lingle, in-person

11 a.m.: Torrington, in-person

1 p.m.: Bayless Memorial, Lingle

Thursday, July 28: Bible Study, 6 p.m., Corner Bar, Lingle

Sunday, July 31: Worship

9:30 a.m.: Lingle, in-person

11 a.m.: Torrington, in-person



Presbyterian Women

Presbyterian Women of the Presbytery of Wyoming enjoyed a spirit-filled Spring Retreat at Camp Story June 17-19. We studied the book of Ruth with a theme of women's friendships. There were 16 women attending from across the state. Rev. Michelle Bacon of UPC, Laramie led us in worship. Our time was spent in Bible Study, activities, singing and prayer (plus lots of good food!) . Attending from FWUPC were Carolyn McBurney and Jane Iddings.

Thanks to the Camp Story staff taking good care of us! We look forward to next year June 2-4!

Reflections with Pastor Bruce McBurney

I am preparing to travel to the General Assembly in Louisville and am looking forward to meeting lots of interesting people there. One of the books that I am reading as preparation for attending the meeting is talking about how we perceive other people. It talks about how we have two levels of 'knowing' built into how our bodies work. It will be very important for me to go into this meeting with an open mind and a sense of calm to allow me to use all of my senses to get to know our siblings at that meeting.

We are called to do just that in our everyday lives as well. We find in the example of Jesus that we should welcome the stranger and reach out to those in need. I see that happening in our congregation in many ways. You are doing a great job of being a Christian influence in our community and also a Presbyterian influence as well. These days we might find differences between ourselves and other Christians, keep in mind that we are all on a journey to know God, we don't have to be defensive but offer our best and take the best that our neighbor has to offer. Don't worry about the small stuff, let's dream and plan for ways that we can be a loving and safe place for those in our community who are hurting.

You are blessed!

Bruce

"For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known." 1 Corinthians 13:12