

The “E Messenger”

Notes and Comments by Wade
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May God’s grace continue to be celebrated as the members of the First Congregational United Church of Christ of New England, and their pastor Janel Kolar continue to share the Good News of God’s love and care. We pray that this small town congregation in Southwest North Dakota might continue to be a source of hope and promise.

Last Sunday it was my pleasure to join with the members of First Congregational United Church of New England as they dedicated their entrance ramp. I want to thank them for the enthusiasm of their worship and for the warmth of the fellowship which followed.

All NPCUCC pastors and lay members are invited to take part in the Installation Service for Merilyn Kennedy Levine as the pastor of the New Town United Church of Christ and the Memorial Congregational United Church of Christ of Parshall. The rite of Installation will take place at 3:00 pm (ct) at New Town on Sunday, October 19th. I look forward to seeing many of you at this special and meaningful service.

NPCUCC members (clergy and lay) are reminded of the memorial service for Jim (Austin) Engel at Bismarck United Church of Christ on Saturday, October 25th at 3:00 pm (ct). Let us gather that we might celebrate the long and meaningful ministry as we hold in prayer the family of this dedicated servant.

NPCUCC youth are invited to register for the Fall Youth Rally which will be held at Valley City October 23 – 25. You will find fliers and registration forms on the website at www.npcucc.org/fliers. If you have questions about the schedule or difficulty finding the registration forms please call the Conference Office.

Date	Time	Event	Location
10/17	5:00 pm (ct)	Progressive Faith Network – Senator Dorgan	Bismarck
10/18	9:00 am (ct)	YC Class	
10/18	11:00 am (ct)	ALWL #3	Minot
10/19	-----	Children’s Sabbath	-----
10/19	3:00 pm (ct)	Installation	New Town

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10/20	10:00 am (ct)	MV Cluster	Bismarck
10/20	7:00 pm (ct)	Annual Meeting Planning	Minot
10/21	11:00 am (ct)	Minot Cluster	Parshall
10/21	7:00 pm (ct)	Church and Ministry Comm.	Valley City
10/22	12:00 Noon	Ft. Berthold Cluster	New Town
10/23	-----	Fall Youth Rally	Valley City
10/24	-----	Fall Youth Rally	Valley City
10/25	-----	Fall Youth Rally	Valley City
10/25	3:00 pm (ct)	Memorial Service for Austin Engel	Bismarck
10/25	-----	Called To Care Workshop	Fargo