



# The Brookside Bridge

## *Keeping You Connected*



### Minister's Invitation

This Sunday, we meet Jesus once again, in the sanctuary where he heals with the authority of God's power. The leaders of the Temple are not pleased. We are invited to see him heal people in spite of their judgments. To see each other in the light of Christ is an aspect of this week's Communion in the round. It will be an exquisite opportunity to be with God and one another, eye to eye and face to face. Children will join our circle of light after their Spiritual Art program with Jen Zedler. The Brookside Singers will join us in this circle of Christ's love.

See you Sunday!  
Rev. Laura Biddle  
Minister

### The Covenant of Water by Abraham Verghese

My summer reading focused on a magnificent book about several families in India from 1907 to 1980. Themes around healing, spirituality, love, grief, and family are expertly woven throughout the book. I can't wait to share this masterpiece with you. Please join me on **Monday, October 23, and Tuesday, October 24** at 6:00 p.m. for a book discussion. Please register with the office and a Zoom link will be sent out to you before the discussion. If you don't have time to read the book, you can listen to a 6 part podcast with Oprah Winfrey interviewing the author. Here is the [link](#) to the series.

Rev. Laura

# BROOKSIDE HOLIDAY LIGHTS

**SATURDAY,  
DEC. 9, 3-7 PM**



- Christmas Market •
- Live Music •
- Festive Food • Family Fun •

**BROOKSIDE**  
Congregational Church



2013 Elm St, Manchester  
[www.brooksideholidaylights.com](http://www.brooksideholidaylights.com)



## After Worship Fellowship Hour

Please join us after Sunday worship for Fellowship Hour! Following indoor worship, we meet in the Narthex. A great way to get to learn more about the happenings at Brookside and build relationships with your fellow Brooksideers. All are welcome!



## Send In Your Prayer Requests

Please remember to send in your prayers for our Sunday service. (joys and concerns) Email your request to [admin@brooksidecc.org](mailto:admin@brooksidecc.org) or call the office at 669-2807.

## Gals On The Go

Join us for an informal fellowship for members and friends of Brookside on the **first Tuesday of the month at 11:45 am** at the Granite State Lunchbox, 1750 Elm St., rear entrance. Come enjoy lunch, fellowship, and discussion.

## No Green Bananas - NEW DATES!

This group of retired Brookside men meets on the **2nd and 4th**



**Tuesdays of the month at 9 am** at the Granite State Lunchbox, 1750 Elm St., rear entrance, ground floor to enjoy breakfast and discussion.



### Pastor's Discretionary Fund

Please consider a donation to the Pastor's Discretionary Fund so that Rev. Laura can assist our members and friends facing critical financial needs.

### Supporting Brookside Congregational Church

Offerings and pledges can be mailed to the Church office at the address below. If you would like to give online, please click on the button below.

[Donate Here](#)



### Do You Need Medical Equipment?

Did you know that Brookside has a Medical Equipment Closet? There are crutches, canes, shower chairs, and more, available for use by anyone who needs them. Borrow for short-term or long-term use, keep as long as you need to. Contact the office **(669-2807)** for more information.

**\*\*\*Currently we are not accepting donations.**

## BROOKSIDE CALENDAR

**Thursday, September 28th**  
5:45 pm Brookside Ringers  
Rehearsal, Music Room  
6:45 pm Brookside Singers,  
Sanctuary

**Sunday, October 1st**  
8:45 am Brookside Singers  
Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
10:00 am Worship, Sanctuary  
11:00 am Wee Singers, Art  
Room  
11:00 am Junior Jammers,  
Sanctuary

**Tuesday, October 3rd**  
8:00 am Team Meeting, via  
Zoom  
11:45 am Gals on the Go  
6:00 pm Christian Formation  
Meeting, via Zoom

**Thursday, October 5th**  
5:45 pm Brookside Ringers  
Rehearsal, Music Room  
6:45 pm Brookside Singers,  
Sanctuary

**Sunday, October 8th**  
8:45 am Brookside Singers  
Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
10:00 am Worship, Sanctuary  
11:00 am Wee Singers, Art  
Room  
11:00 am Junior Jammers,  
Sanctuary

**Tuesday, October 10th**  
8:00 am Team Meeting, via  
Zoom  
9:00 am No Green Bananas,  
Granite State Lunch Box  
5:30 pm Building and Grounds  
Meeting, via Zoom  
6:30 pm Stewardship Meeting,  
Via Zoom

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