

## WEEKS AT A GLANCE

### Sunday, August 26th

Meditation, Parlor, 10:15 AM  
Post-service Discussion, Chapel, 12:30 PM

### Sunday, September 2nd

Meditation, Parlor, 10:15 AM  
Post-service Discussion, Chapel, 12:30 PM

### Social Justice August Event

The **GBIO Candidates Forum** is coming soon! It is happening on Thursday, August 23 at 7 PM at the Boston Teachers Union. This is our opportunity to hear directly from district attorney candidates for Suffolk County and also from candidates for Governor. Because our primary is on Tuesday, Sept. 4 there is not much time left for discernment and decision-making. Our First Church commitment is to send 18 people, *at least*, to this GBIO Assembly. GBIO's mantra is that our power comes from "organized people and organized money". Turning out in large numbers for this event with candidates will build our power and help us to accomplish more for affordable housing, criminal justice reform, health care, and new issues currently being considered as a result of the house meetings just completed by First Church and GBIO's 40 member organizations.

**We need 5 more of us to step up to complete our roster of 18.** This is a great opportunity for anyone who hasn't yet experienced GBIO to do so, even though it requires interrupting August's usual vacation mode! Look for an email invitation or contact Rosemary Kean at [rosemarykean510@gmail.com](mailto:rosemarykean510@gmail.com). Thanks for considering joining in this effort to make our community more compassionate and just.

Also, the **Boston Teacher's Union is a new venue** for GBIO and is located at 180 Mt Vernon St. in the Bayside Expo building in Dorchester, off Morrissey Blvd. We will arrange transportation from the church.

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WISDOM MEET

Sunday August 26, 2018

This Week: Beth Curran, member  
"I"dentify in Comm"UU"nity

### Final Summer Speaker:

Sept 2: Rev. Mark Harris, minister in Watertown

### September 9th: Church services move back to the Sanctuary

Plus this Year's Annual Historic Boston's Interfaith Celebration: Featuring representatives of our sister city, Boston, England; and a sermon from Rev. Kendrick "Seeing (and Being) God's Anointed." This year's theme is class and how it affected all aspects of our history— and how economic status is crucial even today.



