

# BROADWAY UMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

## TODAY — JULY 29, 2018

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## THIS WEEK — JULY 30 TO AUGUST 4, 2018

If you aren't already subscribed to our **Weekly E-News**, click the link on our [website](#) or on our [facebook page](#) or send an email to the [church office](#).

Please join us Wednesdays at 7pm for our lay-led **Lectionary Study** where we meditate, reflect, and discuss the upcoming Sunday's lectionary scripture readings. The lectionary readings for August 5 are: 2 Samuel 11:26-12:13a; Psalm 51:1-12; Ephesians 4:1-16; John 6:24-35.

**Broadway welcomes Dr. Alberto Varona and his Spiritual Direction practice "Heart Speaks to Heart."** (More information on his practice can be found at [www.heartspeakstoheart.com](http://www.heartspeakstoheart.com).) As part of his building use agreement with Broadway, Dr. Varona will be donating two hours a week for pro-bono spiritual direction or counseling for church members, who can be sub-clinical (no serious symptoms known of, i.e. self-injury, suicidal, or harmful behavior to others). Each church member can be seen pro-bono for up to 10 meetings a year (which do not have to be sequential). After those 10 meetings, and if needed, you can continue to meet with him for a fee or be provided with a referral. You can contact Dr. Varona through his website or by email at [alberto@heartspeakstoheart.com](mailto:alberto@heartspeakstoheart.com).

The **Broadway United Methodist Choir** is a dynamic opportunity for anyone who loves to sing to contribute to ministry. The choir welcomes singers of all experience levels, and we pursue a diverse repertoire. Join us for rehearsals Thursday evenings at 7:30pm! Questions? Contact Music Director Robert Eldridge Galbreath, Jr. at [broadwaychurchmusic@gmail.com](mailto:broadwaychurchmusic@gmail.com).

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## NEXT SUNDAY — AUGUST 5, 2018: ONE SERVICE AT 10AM

### **Preaching: Rev. Alka Lyall**

As part of our celebration of Holy Communion next Sunday, we will receive an offering of nonperishable food and other requested items. The local area food pantries and shelters then distribute items. Broadway has been asked to consider particularly gifts of 100% Shelf Stable Fruit Juice, Peanut Butter, Canned Beef Stew/Chili, Canned Tuna, Whole Grain Cereals, and Dried Beans. **"As we are fed, so we are called to feed."**

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## LOOKING AHEAD


On the first Sunday of every month, **Communion and Community Sunday**, Broadway UMC celebrates God's expansive welcome with a communion service, welcoming all to God's table. We also use this opportunity to do some special celebrations of the Broadway community—celebrating birthdays for the upcoming month, honoring LifeSavers at Broadway, and giving a special welcome to visiting friends and family. We will continue to celebrate visitors every Sunday, but we especially encourage the Broadway congregation to use Communion and Community Sundays as a chance to issue a special invitation to friends and family to join us in celebrating that we are all beloved children of God.

## **JULY MISSION MINUTES**

**Lee Memorial Girls High School, Calcutta, India:** Young girls from far-off places like Sundarbans areas, remote villages and slum areas are deprived of better educational environment, and their all round growth and developments. Especially for the growing young girls, there is still barriers with education for them. Since the foundation of the school started, the school has devoted itself to uplift these unreached children. By providing a safe boarding environment, food, clothing, and good health to educate these girls. This is the best possible way the school can provide the total development of their personalities, and help them to become an ideal example in their families, community, and in the society. More information at [www.umcmision.org/Give-to-Mission/Search-for-Projects/Projects/00679B](http://www.umcmision.org/Give-to-Mission/Search-for-Projects/Projects/00679B).

**Missionary Clara Biswas:** Clara Mridula Biswas works in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. She works with the 'poorest of the poor' in slum areas and garbage dumps to facilitate their move to relocation and rehabilitation centers. She assists education programs, giving 620 public school students music, computer, and art classes, and she also assists health programs that refer patients to hospitals and local organizations. Her email is [clarabiswas@online.com.kh](mailto:clarabiswas@online.com.kh).

**You can donate throughout the month** – make checks out to Broadway and designate "July Mission Minute" (split between both) or "LMGHS" or "C. Biswas." You can also donate [online](#).



**This summer, from June 3 to September 16, we will have ONE Sunday service at 10am.** Additionally, on the third Sunday of each month (June 17, July 15, August 19, and September 16) worship will be held in the parsonage yard, followed by a potluck picnic. Family Sunday will be celebrated on September 16.

A **LifeSaver at Broadway** is someone who's gone above and beyond, has pitched in to help at the last minute; someone who's reliable. We acknowledge them by naming them for *LifeSaver for the Month*. If you've noticed a LifeSaver in action, please nominate them by filling out the form below. Then tear it off and put it in the ballot box outside the Sanctuary. We acknowledge the nomination on the first Sunday of every month.

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**LifeSaver at Broadway**

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_ for the LifeSaver Award for the month of \_\_\_\_\_

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