

Kids on Sunday: Our nursery is always open for infants and toddlers. Ask an usher to show you where the little ones hang out. Children PreK - 6th start in worship and then go to classes after the Children's Message except for Communion Sundays when they start in their classrooms. Ask any usher for help in finding the right resource for your child.

Visiting? Thanks for joining us for worship today. We hope you enjoy the service and that it hits a chord deep in your soul. Please sign our guest book in the Narthex by the front door and join us following the service for refreshments and fellowship. If you would like more information about the church or to hear from our pastor please let a deacon or usher know.

Chancel Altar Flowers - Given by Judy and Dave Brown in loving memory of our good friends, Bill Keith, Dan McConnell, Paul and Mike Sandelli and Paul Zeckhausen.

(The Altar/Flower Chair for Sunday is Beverly Nightingale)

Lighting the Steeple – A Beacon of Faith

January 17, 18, 19, 20 – If winter gets here is it too early to think spring? Warm thoughts and prayers to all. Sam & Suzy Blodgett

January 17 – In honor of Karin Larson's birthday (January 15) from her children.

January 22 – Remembering Shirley Norcross on her birthday.

(To light the steeple please see Carolee Wentworth at coffee hour.)



Large print bulletins, and a hearing assistance system (see an usher) are available. Handicap parking is in the rear parking lot and off of Route 28 and Pilgrim Rd. Access ramps from all parking areas are available. An accessible unisex restroom is off the hallway at the right front of the sanctuary.

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Pilgrim Congregational Church United Church of Christ



January 17, 2016



Our Mission Statement

*We welcome ALL
to share the teachings of Jesus Christ
to care for one another
to grow in spirit and
to serve others with compassion and love.*

Welcome to our worship service. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship immediately following the service.

Chimes *(The chimes begin our service. Please turn off cell phones.)*

Welcome & Announcements

Mission Moment Joyce Phillips

Introit *Praise To God* arr. Lani Smith

+Hymn *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* Pilgrim # 7

Unison Prayer: Holy God Creator, we, your children, come to you in prayer both humbly and with excitement. While we know we do not merit your constant love we rejoice in it. While we fail repeatedly to be faithful servants, we still want to try to do better. Help us to see signs of the future you hold for us. Give us a parent's push in the right direction. Help us, we pray, to find ways of becoming the people you made us to be. Help us to fully claim you as our Father. In the name of your Beloved Son, we pray. Amen.

Silent Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (unison) Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Children's Time Rev. O'Connor

Gifts and Tithes

Invitation

Offertory Anthem *Unto Us Is Born A Son* arr. David Willcocks

+Response: *Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Christ all creatures here below;
Praise Holy Spirit, Comforter;
One God, Triune, whom we adore. Amen.*

Offertory Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Response *Three –Fold Amen*

Scripture Reading John 2:1-12 (N.T., pg. 93)

Sermon Signs of Things to Come Rev. O'Connor

+Hymn *Here I Am, Lord* SHIP # 707

Benediction

+Response *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me;
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be
With God our creator, children all are we
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony
Let peace begin with me; let this be the moment now,
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow:
To take each moment & live each moment in peace eternally
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

Postlude *Ye Holy Angels Bright* arr. Franklin Ritter

Thank you for worshipping with us. May God bless you this week.

Head Usher: George Wailgum

Lay Reader: Emma Mawn

Acolyte: Liam Mawn

Interim Minister: Rev. Peggy O'Connor

Music Director/Organist: Fred Drifmeyer

Flowers needed Jan 24 & 31, call Bev Nightingale 508-430-1892.

R.N. Hours – Marjorie Welsh R.N. is no longer having “office hours.” Call her at 508-432-2415 if you have any questions. She will still have literature and forms for handicapped drivers at the “welcome station” in Monbleau Hall. She will also be available for Red Cross Blood Drives and Life Line Screening.

Pilgrim Women’s Fellowship meeting & outreach, Wednesday, January 20, at 12:30 PM in Monbleau Hall. We will create Prayer Beads for shut-ins. Bring a sandwich; drinks & dessert provided.

Team Izzy needs: Men’s & women’s used boots, all sizes; twin sheets, floor lamp; winter coats/jackets; women’s blazer 16 long; microwave; silverware.

SOCK SUNDAY – January 24th - Put new or gently worn socks (preferably white) in boxes in the narthex & by Monbleau Hall. Our children will present the socks to Izzy’s Team on Jan. 24th.

The Thrift Shop is open 10–3, Fridays & Saturdays, Jan - March

Opening and Affirming... A Year of Dialogue and Learning – we want everyone to be involved! How can you participate? Fill out the questionnaire in this bulletin & in the weekly email. Be at worship & the community luncheon on Sunday, January 31, to hear from our guest preacher Chuck Wildman, a UCC pastor who engaged his congregation in the ONA process more than a decade ago. We welcome all viewpoints. Please join us.

Photo Directory: LAST CHANCE Sunday, January 24th
LifeTouch will be here from 12 to 6 for one last chance to get your photo taken. Also, photos will be accepted if you cannot make the final sitting. This will be a great resource to help our new minister get to know people in our church. Please call the church office to schedule an appointment (508-432-1668).

All are invited to an interfaith celebration of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr’s legacy TODAY at 2:30. It starts with a silent march from the Hyannis Town Hall parking lot, (behind 367 Main Street) to the Federated Church at 320 Main Street. The 3PM service features the Hyannis West Elementary School 3rd graders reflecting on Dr. King’s vision of racial equality. Their voices will remind all to continue Dr. King’s work. A good will offering will benefit the scholarship fund of the Cape Cod NAACP Branch. Fellowship will follow the service.

Please remember in your prayers: Joyce Dutton, Marion Marsh, Muriel Colthart, Jesse Nash, Joe Langway, Ed Jaworski, Margot Lamparelli, Spaulding Rehab.

This Week at Pilgrim Church – January 17, 2016

<u>Sunday:</u>	11:00 AM	Coffee Hour
<u>Monday:</u>	Church office closed 10:00 AM	Youth Day, Monbleau Hall
<u>Tuesday:</u>	9:00 AM 9:30 AM 4:30 PM	Team Izzy Library Meeting Diaconate Meeting
<u>Wednesday:</u>	9:30 AM 12:30 PM 7:00 PM	Dance Class PWF Meeting Choir Rehearsal
<u>Thursday:</u>	3:30 PM 5:00 PM 7:00 PM	Joyful Prayer Group Music Committee Meeting Handbell Choir R.
<u>Friday:</u>	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop
<u>Saturday:</u>	9:30 AM 10:00 AM	We Are The Men Rehearsal Thrift Shop
<u>Sunday:</u> 1/24/16	12:00 Noon – 6PM	LifeTouch Photo Session