

Kids on Sunday: Our nursery is always open for infants and toddlers. Ask an usher to show you where little ones hang out. PreK–grade 6 start in worship & go to classes after a Children’s Message (Communion Sundays they start in their classrooms).

Visiting? Please sign our guest book by the front door and join us after the service for refreshments and fellowship. For information about the church or to hear from our pastor, talk to a deacon or usher.

Chancel Altar Flowers

Happy Father’s Day Stanley Godek given in loving memory from Ellen and Michael Godek.

The Altar Flower Committee needs donations for 7/19/15 and 7/26/15. Please contact Marti Sekerak at 508-430-2288) if you could donate altar flowers for either of those dates. Thank you.

(The Altar/Flower chairs for the month of June are Sallejane Rivard and Betsy Babb.)

Lighting the Steeple – A Beacon of Faith

June 21

Happy Father’s Day in memory of Clarence Norcross from his son.

June 20-23

In celebration of our 36th anniversary June 21. Sam and Suzy Blodgett.

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

Large print bulletins & hearing assistance system (see an usher) are available. Access ramps are available from all parking areas. 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***



Sunday June 21, 2015



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.
We are glad to have you with us this morning.
Please join us for refreshments and time for fellowship
immediately following the service.*

(Chimes begin our service. Please turn off/silence phones.)

Chimes

Welcome & Announcements

Introit *All the Way, He Leadeth Me* arr. Michael Wilson

Call To Worship

+**Hymn** *God of Grace and God of Glory* Pilgrim #366

Unison Prayer: Holy One, we thank you for your creation. It is wondrously made. Your gift of life, in all of its forms, is breathtaking. We can barely grasp the basics of it. In the interdependent web of life, we see your hand. In the eyes of a loved one we recognize your work. In the renewal of life each spring we witness your splendor. Help is to embrace your call to be stewards of this good earth. Help us to care for it and for all of its inhabitants. In Christ's name 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.

Time for Young Pilgrims

Gifts and Tithes

Invitation

Offertory Anthem *For the Beauty of the Earth* arr. Theron Kirk

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.*

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Response:

*Breathe on me, breath of God, fill me with life anew
That I may love the way you love and do what you would do.*

Scripture Reading Mark 4:35-41 (N.T., pg. 39)

Sermon *Small Craft Warning* Rev. Dr. Meek

+**Hymn** *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* Pilgrim #8

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 and live each moment in peace eternally,
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.*

Postlude *Toccata for a Celebration* Gene Clarke

Lay Reader: Frank Smith **Head Usher:** Beverly Nightingale

Guest Minister: Reverend Dr. Peter Meek

Music Director/Organist: Fred Drifmeyer

Our guest preacher this morning is The Rev. Dr. Peter Meek. Dr. Meek is Senior Minister *Emeritus* at Hancock United Church of Christ in Lexington, Massachusetts. Unlike so many suburban Bostonians who make their way to the Cape, he heads in the opposite direction and spends his free time in Maine. For this he asks forgiveness of this community of Cape Cod Christians, but notes that Maine lobsters are better. *Welcome Dr. Meek!*

Please Note: The deadline for the July/August newsletter will be Tuesday, June 23.

Looking for a few Good People to be part of a Sunday Morning “GREETERS TEAM!!!” If interested please call Ray Rivard at 774-353-6316.

Team Izzy needs: Flatware, footwear especially sandals and sneakers for men, men’s summer clothing.

Pancake Breakfasts will be starting up next Sunday. Please see Randy Sacht if you can volunteer.

Quilting for the Troops – Please donate any extra material you have to help make quilts for our troops. Donations of material may be dropped off at the Mission Table in Monbleau Hall.

Prayer cards – Call or drop your requests at the church office by noon on Friday. They will be included in the Sunday bulletin.

Remember in your prayers: Jesse Nash, Joyce Dutton, Laurieann Galer’s granddaughter Eva, Mark Oberle, Christian Antoine, Janet Cymbala, Priscilla Davis, Diana Preston, daughter of John and Faith.

This Week at Pilgrim Church – June 21

<u>Sunday:</u>	11:00 AM	Coffee Hour
<u>Monday:</u>	Church Office Closed	
<u>Tuesday:</u>	Pilgrim Progress Due for July/August	
	8:30 AM	MLS Tour
	9:00 AM	Team Izzy
	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop
	10:00 AM	Nurse
	7:00 PM	Council Meeting
<u>Wednesday:</u>	9:30 AM	Dance
	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop
	4:30 PM	Community Bell R.
	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
<u>Thursday:</u>	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop
	3:30 PM	Joyful Prayer Group
<u>Friday:</u>	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop
<u>Saturday:</u>	7:30 AM	Pancake Breakfast
	10:00 AM	Thrift Shop
	2:00 PM	Memorial Service (Nancy Blaike)