

Lay Reader: Sally Hayes

Acolyte: Logan Routhier

Head Usher: Molly Chapman

Interim Minister: Reverend Peggy O'Connor

Music Director/Organist: Fred Drifmeyer

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 their classes after Children's Message (except Communion Sundays when they start in their classrooms).

Visiting? Thanks for joining us today. We hope you enjoy the service. 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

In loving memory of my parents Dilys and Jack Spurr from Janet Cymbala.

(The Altar/Flower chair for the month of May is Jeanie Kahus.)

Lighting the Steeple – A Beacon of Faith

May 3: In memory of Shirley and Clarence Norcross from Howard Norcross.

May 7: Celebrating the joy and love of 55 year together. Sally and Carl Hayes

(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 in the rear parking lot & off of Route 28 and Pilgrim Rd. 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 May 3, 2015
Communion Sunday**



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.*

The Pilgrim Church Youth Group, and their Youth Directors, are in Boston today walking for Project Bread's Walk for Hunger.

The Annual PWF Luncheon– Wednesday, May 20th, at noon at the Hearth 'N Kettle, Route 28, South Yarmouth. Reservation forms are in April's Pilgrim's Progress, the narthex & back hallway table. Guests are welcome. Deadline for reservations is Wednesday May 13, 2015

PILGRIM CHURCH CARES: NEPAL EARTHQUAKE HELP:
The UCC Disaster Ministries says the need today is for funds to bury & ship supplies locally & regionally. They expect to be in Nepal for years...so continued prayer is needed. To contribute, make checks payable to Pilgrim Congregational Church, with Nepal Earthquake Relief on the memo line. Thank you for caring.

Team Izzy needs: Cleaned used sneakers, sandals, bed pillows, toasters, 1 portable tv larger than 13", bowls, mugs, small pots and pans, dustpan, can openers, men's summer clothing.

2014 Annual Report. Copies are in the narthex and on the back hall table. Please just one report per family.

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

Please remember in your prayers: Jesse Nash, Joyce Dutton, Laurieann Galer's granddaughter Eva, Christian Antoine, Mark Oberle, Suzy Blodgett, Maggie Schneider's niece, Kristen, Paul Welsh.

Call to Special Congregational Meeting

A Special Congregational Meeting of the Pilgrim Congregational Church will be held on Sunday, May 3, 2015 in the Sanctuary immediately following the worship service.

The purpose of the meeting will be as follows:

- 1. Adopt minutes of the Annual Meeting held on November 16, 2014.**
- 2. Receive the Annual Report for 2014**
- 3. Building Committee Update**
- 4. Fundraising and Thrift Shop Update**
- 5. Old Business/New Business**

This Week at Pilgrim Church– May 3

<u>Sunday:</u>	11:00 AM 11:00 AM	Coffee Hour Annual Report Meeting
<u>Monday:</u>	Church Office Closed 12:00 PM	ONA Meeting
<u>Tuesday:</u>	8:30 AM 9:00 AM 10:00 AM 7:00 PM	MLS Tour Team Izzy Nurse Scout Meeting
<u>Wednesday:</u>	9:30 AM 10:00 AM 5:30 PM 7:00 PM 7:00 PM	Dance Thrift Shop Youth Group Choir Rehearsal Chimes Rehearsal
<u>Thursday:</u>	3:30 PM 7:00 PM	Joyful Prayer Group Handbell Choir Rehearsal
<u>Friday:</u>	5:30 PM	Community Supper
<u>Saturday:</u>	9:00 AM	We Are The Men Rehearsal

Reception of New Members

+UCC Statement of Faith

We believe in you, O God, Eternal Spirit, God of our Savior Jesus Christ and our God, and to your deeds we testify:

You call the worlds into being, create persons in your own image, and set before each one the ways of life and death.

You seek in holy love to save all people from aimlessness and sin.

You judge people and nations by your righteous will declared through prophets and apostles.

In Jesus Christ, the man of Nazareth, our crucified and risen Savior, you have come to us and shared our common lot, conquering sin and death and reconciling the world to yourself.

You bestow upon us your Holy Spirit, creating and renewing the church of Jesus Christ, binding in covenant faithful people of all ages, tongues, and races.

You call us into your church to accept the cost and joy of discipleship,

to be your servants in the service of others,

to proclaim the Gospel to all the world

and resist the powers of evil,

to share in Christ's baptism and eat at his table,

to join him in his passion and victory.

You promise to all who trust you forgiveness of sins and fullness of grace, courage in the struggle for justice and peace, your presence in trial and rejoicing, and eternal life in your realm which has no end.

Blessing and honor, glory and power be unto you. Amen.

Unison Welcome:

We welcome you with joy in the common life of this church.

We promise you our friendship and prayers as we share the hopes and labors of the church of Jesus Christ. By the power of the Holy Spirit may we continue to grow together in God's knowledge and love and be witnesses of our risen Savior.

Welcome to our New Members

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