

Harbinger



A publication of Medford First Christian Church, Medford, Oregon
A community committed to love, acceptance & spiritual growth

Join us for adult Sunday school at 9am, now through March 25th. We will be exploring what Jesus' words and actions tell us about possessions. Through readings and conversation we will be exploring concepts like worry, abundance, scarcity and giving. Please join us!



Remember to bring fresh flowers to church Easter morning. The flowers will be used to decorate the cross during worship. Flowers may be store bought or from your garden.



LENT

- ▶Adult Sunday School, 9:00AM, library, through March 25
- ▶Week of Compassion Special Offering, Sunday, February 25
- ▶Palm Sunday, March 25
- ▶Easter Special Offering, Sundays, March 25 & April 1
- ▶Maundy Thursday, March 29
- ▶Good Friday, March 30
- ▶Easter Sunday, April 1, brunch 9:15AM, worship 10:30AM, egg hunt at noon



Wednesdays through Lent, at 1:30pm. All are welcome to join in. Meet in the Pastor's office just before 1:30pm.

Regional Assembly

May 18 & 19
Portland FCC



Mark your calendars now.

For more information go to www.oidisciples.org and follow the links.



A Prayer Vigil is planned for noon, Friday, March 30 - midnight, Saturday, March 31.

One hour time slots are available. See Pastor Stacy on Sunday to sign-up for a slot or two.

Small Steps Cookie Dough Fundraiser



There are 5 cookie dough varieties: Chocolate Chip, Oatmeal Cranberry White Chunk, Peanut Butter, Snickerdoodle, White Chunk Macadamia Nut \$16 each, each package makes 40 cookies
Cash donations are also being accepted
Proceeds from this fundraiser will be used to purchase art supplies

For more information or to order speak with Sherrie Messer or Pastor Stacy on Sunday, email or stop by the church office or call Teresa at 541.774.9326



Daylight Saving Time begins Sunday, March 11.
Remember to set your clocks ahead one hour before going to bed Saturday night, March 10th.



The Small Steps **Mystery Dinner** is planned for Saturday, April 28.

Please mark your calendars now!

Important Dates:

- ✓Pray and Play Day, Saturday, March 3, 9:30AM - 12:30PM
- ✓Men's Lunch, Saturday, March 10, 11:45AM
- ✓Program Council Meeting, Tuesday, March 13, 6PM
- ✓Board Meeting, Tuesday, March 13, 7PM

Red Chalice Chicks Outing

Thursday, March 8, 11:15AM, at 4 Daughters Restaurant for lunch and St. Patrick's celebration.

For information about the Red Chalice Chicks speak with Sally Williamson.

Thank You

SILVERWARE WRAPPERS

Mar. 1: Ron B.
Mar. 8: Claudette M.
Mar. 15: Ted K.
Mar. 22: Nan & Larry M.
Mar. 29: Ron B. (5th Thursday)
Apr. 5: Ron B.
Apr. 12: Claudette M.
Apr. 19: Ted & Kay K.
Apr. 26: Nan & Larry M.

PRAYER CORNER



CONTINUING PRAYERS

Harrison Meyer
Dan & Elizabeth Chapman
Kathy Peel
Mary Lou Campbell
Greg Hansson
Kathleen Low

March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
MARCH BIRTHDAYS 13 Kathy Williams 19 Alan Gatchel 20 Gloria Bannister 21 Suzanne Messer 22 Abigail Soldan 28 Cathy Dorsey				1 7PM-AA CH Community Dinner 5 - 7 PM Silverware: Ron B.	2	3 Women's Retreat Pray & Play Day FH 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM
4 10:30AM Korean-CH, FH, Kit 10:30AM MFCC-Sanct, FH, Kit, Lib., Nurs 1:45 AA-CH, FH 3rd Sunday of Lent Adult Sunday School 9AM	5 12 - 2 PM Access Food Pantry 6 PM RV Chorale FH, Sanct	6 7PM AA-CH	7 5:45 PM Bell Choir 7 PM Chancel Choir 7PM-Korean CH	8 7PM-AA CH Community Dinner 5 - 7 PM Red Chalice Chicks 11:15AM @ 4 daughters Silverware: CLaudette M.	9	10 11:45 AM Men's Lunch AA-FH, Sanct all day Set Your Clocks Ahead One Hour Before Going to Bed
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Week of Compassion Special Offering

Received Sunday, February 25

Sharing resources through Week of Compassion is an invitation to imagination!

Through our sharing, we get a taste of the generosity of God, who does
“immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine.”

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WORSHIP SERVICE: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Minister.....All the People
Pastor.....Reverend Stacy Shelton
Minister of Music & Accompanist.....Janet O'Donovan
Song Leader.....Kathy Williams
Business Administrator.....Katherine Goin
Bookkeeper.....Chris Peters
Small Steps Director.....Teresa Fiuren
ACCESS Pantry Co-Managers.....Denise Frelin & Buttons Cummings