# Harbinger



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



#### Regional Assembly

May 18 & 19 Portland FCC

Registration materials and the event schedule are posted on the bulletin board outside the Fellowship Hall.



#### Mother's Day

This Sunday, May 13

Proceeds from the carnation sale will go to the Global Ministries Elder Foster Care Program.





## Church Summer Camp God's Love is Everywhere

Grades 3 - 5: July 30 - Aug. 3 Grades 6 - 8: July 30 - Aug. 3 Grades 9 - 12: July 23 - 29

Each day will include time for Bible study and activities that vary site to site, including rafting, group hikes, crafts, canoeing, games, swimming and worship at campfire.

Directors and staff are members of Disciples of Christ congregations.

All staff have been given a formal background check, first aide trained staff members and lifeguards will be on site.

Early deadline: June 30 Final deadline: July 15

High School Camp: \$375, early deadline \$365 Middle School Camp: \$375, early deadline \$365 Grade School Camp: \$375, early deadline \$365

Sponsored by the *Christian Church in Oregon and SW Idaho*.

### Church Summer Camp Scholarship Fundraiser Talent Show and Lunch

After church, Sunday, May 20 Enjoy great talent and a baked potato and salad lunch as you support our youth. All are invited, bring a friend!





#### Silverware Wrappers

May 17: Ted K.
May 24: Nan & Larry M.
May 31: Claudette M. (5<sup>th</sup> Thursday)
June 7: Ron B.
June 14: Claudette M.
June 21: Ted K.
June 28: Nan & Larry

#### Pentecost, Sunday, May 20

Pentecost celebrates the coming of the Holy Spirit and the beginning of the church seven weeks after the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Among the traditions of Pentecost is to wear red, to symbolize the flames of the Spirit. You are encouraged to wear red to church Pentecost Sunday.



Fellowship Hour hosts are always needed and appreciated.

The sign-up sheet is on the sign-up board in the hall.

Our Access Food Pantry has plenty of egg cartons. Many thanks to those who brought them in!



Monday, May 28. Access, the church office and Small Steps will be closed.



Small Steps is seeking donations of used or new towels. Towels may be dropped off at the center Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.



The last few years I've asked the church family to collect pennies or any change and put it in a container. Then I gather all of the containers and deliver them to Relay for Life. I am asking if you can help me and Relay for Life

again? The relay this year is the 2nd of June. I will pick up all containers the Thursday before, from the church office. Please, anything helps. Thank you, Kate



Do you have a 2018 high school or college graduate? If so we would like to know about them. Please leave information about your grad with the

church office. You may drop off your information or email it to us at <a href="mailto:mfccor@gmail.com">mfccor@gmail.com</a> Please include the name of your graduate, and any honors, accomplishments or goals they have and their future plans.

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	April 2018	Year-to-date
Offerings	\$9,383	\$38,584
Other Receipts	\$5,001	\$14,525
Total	\$14,384	\$53,109
Needed	\$14,012	\$56,048

#### PRAYER CORNER



#### **Ongoing Prayers**

Harrison Meyer
Susie Adams
Dan & Elizabeth Chapman
Betty Vales
Greg Hansson

# May 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Monetary donations to our Access Food Pantry, Community Dinner or Family Assistance Fund may be made at anytime. Just make a note on your check and place it in the offering tray on Sunday.

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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	enise Frelin & Buttons Cummings