

The Oldtown Message



Mar. 25, 2018

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UCC
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Holy Week Services in Oldtown

Maundy Thursday Service

Thursday at 7pm. A time of quiet reflection as we gather at Jesus Table and remember the Last Supper.

Good Friday Service

Friday at 7pm. A solemn service of scripture and song that reminds us of Jesus' last words on the cross.

Pork Loin Supper Helpers

Our pork loin supper is fast approaching. We are in need of volunteers to help prepare and/or serve the meal. This supper CAN NOT happen without the help of our congregation. Please see Deb Fennel or Marion England to sign up. If we do not get enough volunteers we will need to cancel this supper.

Used Sports Equipment/Clothing Donations

The collection of used, but usable, sports equipment and/or clothing will be ongoing throughout the entire spring. A bin with a label on it is set up in Maxcy Hall. Please consider donating past, and no longer used, equipment so that an under-privileged child/ren will have the opportunity to play sports. Your donation will be appreciated and valued by all.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER



Offering last week:

\$1270.34- \$95.04 less than budgeted

Offerings to date:

\$1,100.00 more than budgeted

Fund Raising: (end of Feb.):

\$20 more than budgeted

Total Budgeted Income: (end of Feb.):

\$500.00 less than budgeted

Total Budgeted Expenses: (end of Feb.):

\$1,200.00 more than budgeted

Year-To-date Position: (end of Feb.):

\$7,400.00 loss

DID YOU KNOW?

Our new church website launched last week!!! If you haven't yet seen it, check it out at <http://www.oldtownucc.org>. Let us know what you think, and if you want to contribute anything or make any suggestions, email webmaster@oldtownucc.org

"Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem. Lo, your King comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey." ~ Zechariah 9:9 (NRSV)

MARCH 25th - MARCH 31st

Sunday: Sunday School 9am, Worship 10am

Monday:

Tuesday: Office Hours 12-3pm

Wednesday:

Thursday: Office Hours 12-3pm, Maundy Thursday 7pm

Friday: Good Friday Service 7pm

Saturday:



March 24th
Communion Retreat
9-3pm

March 29th
Maundy Thursday
Service 7pm

March 30th
Good Friday
Service 7pm

March 31st
Easter Egg Hunt
1pm

April 1st
Easter Sunday
Service 10am

April 14th
Pork Loin Supper
6pm

April 21st
Yard Sale
8am-2pm

April 27th
Coffee House
7pm

Easter Egg Hunt

We hope you will join us for the annual easter egg hunt on Saturday, March 31st at 1pm. A good time is always had by all.



Share your news!

Does your ministry have news or information to share with the congregation? Email it to Hope at hope.cahill@gmail.com by noon time on Thursday and it will be included on Sunday in The Message.

IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

Joey, Brandon, Brian, Kristen, Susan, Kerri, Gordon, Cheryl, Summer, Summer's friend, Howie, Dani, Judy, Sharon, Edmond, Harry and Virginia, Marty and Sandy, Maryam, Lynne, Ruby, Roxanne, Don, Sue, Steve, Lydia, Leo, Marisol, Debra, Phil, Meena, Alice, Kathy, Doreen, John, Lily, Ben, Claire, Jim B, David, Kevin.

Would you like to add someone to our prayer list?

Email Hope at hope.cahill@gmail.com or fill out a prayer card and drop it in the offering plate.