

# The Oldtown Message



May 20, 2018

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, UCC  
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## Children's Sunday

Don't forget to stay and join us as we continue to celebrate Children's Sunday after worship today. The Sunday school children have made pizzas to share and there will be make-your-own ice cream sundaes downstairs in the vestry.

## Memorial Day Mission

Once again a trip to place flags at the National Cemetery in Bourne will take place on Saturday May 26th. Those interested should meet at the church at 7:00am, we will stop for breakfast once in Bourne, then to the cemetery for the ceremony at 10:00 am. After a moving tribute to honor our vets, thousands of flags are at each section of the cemetery and will be placed by those in attendance. Last year we found Conrad's site along with family and friends. It was not only a wonderful way to honor and give back but we all learned a little bit about each others story involving the military. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Cindi Barkley, Jeanette Galvin or Kris Collins.

## Out of the Box

During the summer months we will be collecting school supplies for our "out of the box" donation to our community. Soon there will be a list posted on the bulletin board and also in the Sunday bulletin of items in need. Thank you in advance for your support in this special outreach to the children who live in our communities!

## Outreach Ministry

Thank you for all the responses to the Missions survey. As we share our thoughts and ideas we can determine areas of outreach that would suit our church. These ideas from the survey will be brought to the church committee. Once decided on any new outreach ministry ideas, the Missions Ministry will plan over the summer with a roll out planned for September.... Stay Tuned!!

## IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS

Joey, Brandon, Brian, Kristen, Susan, Kerri, Gordon, Cheryl, Summer, Summer's friend, Howie, Dani, Judy, Sharon, Edmond, 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, George, Max, Marjon, Patti, Matthew, Owen, The Brasil Family, Todd, Nichole, Sandy, Darleen, Grace, Joseph, Janice, Steve & The Bacon Family.

**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.

## MAY 20TH - MAY 26th

**Sunday:** Sunday School 9am, Worship 10am

**Monday:**

**Tuesday:** Office Hours 12-3

**Wednesday:**

**Thursday:** Office Hours 12-3

**Friday:**

**Saturday:** Flag Mission 7:00am, Pet Clinic 11-12



## Yard Sale Donations

Spring is finally here and that means spring cleaning. If you have items you would like to donate to the church yard sale please contact Ed Clavette to arrange a drop-off time. He can be reached at 508-212-4774.



**May 20th**  
Children's Sunday  
& Cookout  
**May 26th**  
Pet Clinic 11-12pm

**June 9th**  
Yard Sale 8-2pm  
**June 16th**  
Chicken BBQ 4:30-6:00

## STEWARDSHIP CORNER



Offering last week:

\$1,719.49- **\$354.11 more** than budgeted

Offerings to date:

**\$1,900.00 more** than budgeted

Fund Raising: (end of Apr.):

**\$1,000.00 less** than budgeted

Total Budgeted Income: (end of Apr.):

**\$1,000.00 more** than budget

Total Budgeted Expenses: (end of Apr.):

**\$300.00 less** than budget

## DID YOU KNOW?

Thanks to all who helped with our Turkey Supper. Many folks in the community look forward to each and every time we put on a Turkey Supper, and it's only possible through the work of all of us together.

*"So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do "*  
~ Ephesians 4:25 (NRSV)