

Mt. Adams Pilgrim Chapel

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HAPPENINGS

EASTER HAS DAWNED. THE SEASON OF THE RESURRECTED LIFE & RENEWAL IS HERE!

COME AS YOU ARE: COME AS YOU CAN!™

Pastor's Musings

Easter is a season not just a day. The Season of Easter is Fifty Days (from Easter Sunday to Pentecost Sunday,) where the church embraces a time of spiritual pilgrimage seeking renewal and active remembrance of Christ's resurrection. The Scripture Lessons during this season help us as Christians to recall the experience of the Disciples & Jesus' followers with our Risen Lord. During this Easter Season, we invite you to help us plant the seeds of love, hope and joy of Jesus in our community. In this way, we are The Church. We are being faithful Pilgrims.

Let's make the JOY of Easter known as we live out this Season Of POSSIBILITIES!

Pastor Dave



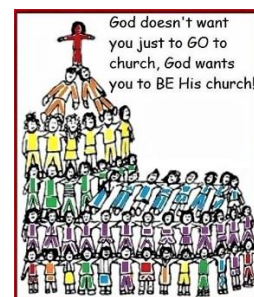
COFFEE TALKS WITH PASTOR DAVE

Most of us begin our mornings with either a cup of coffee or a cup of tea. Joining friends and family for a cup of coffee at Starbucks or another local coffee shop has become a tradition! Sharing a cup of JAVA with another is a great way to get to know others. It is a great means to forge new friendships. So, in short order, members and

friends of our church will receive in the mail an invitation to meet with Pastor Dave in a small group setting to do exactly that ... forge a new friendship & new beginnings with our Pastor. Watch for the invitation to come in the mail very shortly.

The Coffee Talks will be held at Mt. Adams Bar & Grill here in Mt. Adams. There will be both afternoon and early evening gathering times in order to accommodate everyone's busy schedules. The Coffee Talks will be held in early May. Watch for your family's invitation in the Mail!

The MAPC Hospitality & Nurture Team.



HAPPENINGS AT CHURCH:

Week Of (4/16-4/22) Easter 4:

Monday & Tuesday (4/16-17) 6 PM Twelve Step Groups Meet In The Sinclair Room.

Saturday (4/21) 10:00 AM Yoga Group

Sunday (4/22) **Easter 4:** Worship 10:30 AM – Pastor David Schwab preaching. “Enfolded By Love.” Scripture Lesson: John 10:11-18. Moira Knitter, Rev. Bruce Ford & Jane Redd perform during Worship. 10:30 AM Children’s Education Hour in The Sinclair Room.

11:30 AM Fellowship Hour in The Sinclair Room.

Week Of (4/23-4/29) Easter 5

Monday & Tuesday (4/23-4/24) 6 PM Twelve Step Groups Meet In The Sinclair Room.

Saturday (4/28) 10:00 AM Yoga Group

Sunday (4/29) **Easter 5 & Children’s Sunday:** Worship 10:30 AM – Pastor Bruce Ford preaching. “Abiding In Love” Scripture Lesson: John 15:1-8. John Combs, Piano performs during Worship. 10:30 AM Children’s Education Hour in The Sinclair Room. 11:30 AM Fellowship Hour in The Sinclair Room.

Week Of (4/30-5/6) Easter 6: Communion

Sunday

Monday & Tuesday (4/30, 5/1) 6 PM Twelve Step Groups Meet In The Sinclair Room.

Saturday (5/5) 10:00 AM Yoga Group

Sunday (5/6) **Easter 6 & Communion Sunday:** Worship 10:30 AM – Pastor David Schwab preaching. “Friends Together” Scripture Lesson: John 15: 9-17. Pastor Bruce Ford & Jane Redd perform. 10:30 AM Children’s Education Hour in The Sinclair Room. 11:30 AM Fellowship Hour in The Sinclair Room.

Week Of (5/7-5/13) Easter 7 & Mother’s Day

Monday & Tuesday (5/7-8) 6 PM Twelve Step Groups Meet In The Sinclair Room.

Saturday (5/12) 10:00 AM Yoga Group

Sunday (5/13) **Easter 7 & Communion Sunday:** Worship 10:30 AM – Pastor David Schwab preaching. “Guided In Prayer” Scripture Lesson: John 17:6-19. Vocal Ensemble Sings. 10:30 AM Children’s Education Hour in The Sinclair Room. 11:30 AM Fellowship Hour in The Sinclair Room.

Week Of (5/14-5/20) Pentecost

Monday & Tuesday (5/14-15) 6 PM Twelve Step Groups Meet In The Sinclair Room.

Saturday (5/19) 10:00 AM Yoga Group

Sunday (5/20) **Pentecost & Communion Sunday:** Worship 10:30 AM – Pastor David Schwab preaching. “Spirit For All” Scripture Lesson: Acts 2. Vocal Ensemble Sings. 10:30 AM Children’s Education Hour in The Sinclair Room. 11:30 AM Fellowship Hour in The Sinclair Room.

SAVE THE DATE: SUNDAY JUNE 3RD MAPC GARDEN PARTY (following Worship.) The Lee String Quartet In Residence performs. Hors d’Oeuvres, & Refreshments will be served.

PASTORS OFFICE HOURS

THURSDAYS:

1:30-3:30 PM.

OTHER TIMES

AVAILABLE BY APPOINTMENT.

HOW TO CONTACT THE PASTORS:

Rev. Dr. David

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(church)

Emergency:

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(513)600-0438 (cell)

Rev. Bruce Ford:

(513)381-7999 (church)

(513) 255-3243 (cell)

Emergency:

Call cell # or text cell.



Life Is Better In A Garden!

*Sunday, June 3rd
MAPC’s Garden
Party (11:45-2:15
PM)*

GARDE -PARTY



Spring Has Sprung! Come Worship Sundays:

10:30 AM

Sunday School For Kids:

10:30 AM

Fellowship Hour: 11:30 AM

Come As You Are:

Come As You Can!”™

All Are Welcome. We Believe Pilgrim Chapel Is The Place to Be & Become Who God Created You To Be!

Join Us- Sunday June 3rd Immediately following worship for Mt. Adams Pilgrim Chapel’s Annual Garden Party. The Garden Party is held each year to thank Pilgrims for their support of the church. The Lee String Quartet In Residence will serenade us in the Garden. Stacey Woolley, violinist with The Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra will join us the String Quartet as they provide music that will *Soar On The Hill!* Hors d’Ouevres, Refreshments, and Desserts will be served. Please invite family & friends as we enjoy a wonderful afternoon in our garden areas at church.

RSVP Via Email to:

revbruceford@gmail.com

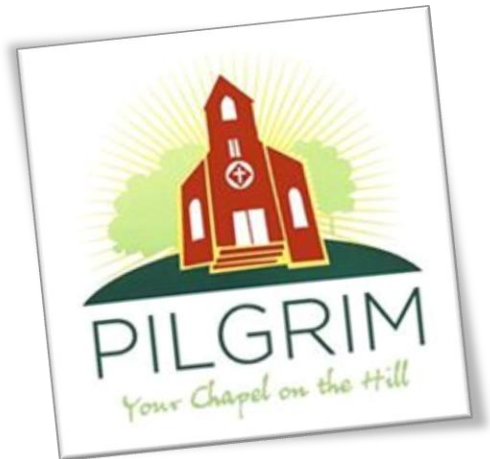
All Are Welcome!

A Picture Says A Thousand Words!



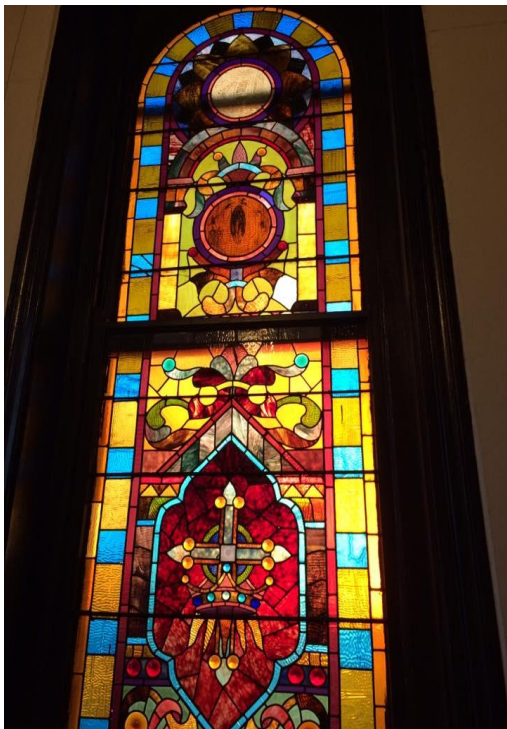
Church Directory In Progress- Photos Needed

We are preparing a Pilgrim Directory for the church so that members and friends may more readily be in contact with one another. We would like to include photos of individuals or families in the directory as well. If you have a family photo or a photo of yourself that you recently have taken or posted on Facebook we would love if you would share that with us. Please email a JPEG image via email to Rev. Ford at revbruceford@gmail.com.



Memorial Day Service Of Remembrance May 27th 10:30 AM

Please save the date & join us as we honor those individuals who have served our country. The Cincinnati Horn Quartet will be with us. There will be a Hymn Sing as well.



MT. ADAMS PILGRIM CHAPEL (1886)

MAPC is a member congregation of the United Church of Christ.

Since 1883, Pilgrim Chapel has served as a beacon of Christ's Light, Hope & Love in service to our community. We are an 'Open & Affirming Congregation.' Everyone Is Welcome Here!!



Pentecost Sunday, May 20th

Come celebrate with us on Sunday, May 20th at the 10:30 AM Service as we hold a Special Service remembering the birth of the church. Pastor Dave will be preaching. The Vocal Ensemble will perform during the service. The children will lead us in a Great Procession together as we Proclaim With One Another That Indeed 'WE ARE THE CHURCH!'



We will share HOLY COMMUNION Together, sing the great hymns and songs of the church as well as have a BIRTHDAY CAKE for all PILGRIMS TO SHARE as we affirm that as Pilgrims we seek to Know Christ; Grow In Faith and join in Service & Mission together and in community.



Get To Know More About MAPC

WHO WE ARE

100%

Committed To Ensuring That All Are Treated As Individuals Of Sacred Worth & Empowered To Celebrate & Know That God Created Each Of Us & Calls Us God's Own.

100%

Committed to Celebrate Diversity, Treat All Persons Equitably and Work In Service to our Community: locally, in our state, nation around the world with our fellow churches of The United Church Of Christ.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you are interested in becoming a part of Pilgrim Chapel or would like to become more involved in the life of MAPC, please contact us.

PASTORS:
Reverend Dr. David Schwab, Senior Pastor
Reverend Bruce Ford, Adjunct Pastor

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BE THE CHURCH

Protect the environment.

Care for the poor.

Forgive often.

Reject racism.

Fight for the powerless.

Share earthly and spiritual resources.

Embrace diversity.

Love God.

Enjoy this life.

God is still speaking.
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'THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE, I'M GOING TO LET IT SHINE! HIDE IT UNDER A BUSHEL NO! I'M GOING TO LET IT SHINE!'

As a congregation of The United Church Of Christ, our faith is rooted in those faithful Pilgrims who helped found our nation. Yet, we affirm that God Still Speaks To All & Invites Everyone To Be In Relationship With God: Father, Son & Holy Spirit.

