

Welcome to Plymouth Congregational Church! We are an **Open & Affirming** congregation of the United Church of Christ, including all without regard to their race, gender, physical or mental ability, economic status, sexual orientation or gender identity. Our congregation has also voted to become a **Peace with Justice** church, stressing its importance in our common life. And we voted to become **an Immigrant-Welcoming Congregation**, which offers a respectful, compassionate welcome and inclusion of immigrants in our midst. Learn more about us at plymouthucc.org

Keep in touch! Please keep Barb Gregory apprised of any address, phone or email changes. In addition, you can send Barb short (4 or fewer lines, please) pieces for the bulletin insert at 482-9212 or barbara@plymouthucc.org or use the form at plymouthucc.org/copy.html

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Hal, Carla and Jane Anne lead worship this morning at 11 a.m. and it will be livestreamed. There will be no in-person church attendance. Please join us again at **7 (MDT) on Wednesday for livestreamed Midweek Vespers.**

An act of stewardship left at our front door from one of our church's youngest members and her best friend: "Dear beloved friends, (Bill & Anne) We hoped that you guys like the [painted] rocks even through this craziness. All we need to remember is that we are in this together! From, Your neighbors, XXX and XXX" **Yes, we are in this together.** We are each other's strength, each other's rock. (from Bill Thompson, Stewardship Board)

From the Budget & Finance Committee: Plymouth will continue to pay our hourly childcare workers through May 10 (the end of church closure, we hope!) Just wanted you to know that your financial support is much-appreciated and helpful in this way! You can pay pledges online at plymouthucc.org/give or by mailing your check to the church. Thanks for your generosity!

Even though we can't visit in person, we are continuing pastoral care by telephone and [whatever you're using — FaceTime, FB, Zoom, Hangouts...] we are all happy to set up **“virtual coffee”** with those who might want or need it.

THIS WEEK ONLINE @ PLYMOUTH

NAME OF EVENT	FB Livestream or Zoom Room No.	Description (brief)	Staff member	Day	Time (beginning + ending)
Sunday worship	FB Livestream	main worship from Plymouth	Hal	Sunday	11:00 a.m. - noon
Adult Sunday School [Immigration]	Zoom-2	Adult Ed	Mark	Sunday	9:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Adult Forum [Music]	Zoom-1	Forum	Mark	Sunday	9:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Spiritual Practice Small Group	FB Livestream	Lectio and other practices for teens and adults	Mandy	Monday	1:00 - 1:30 p.m.
Story Time	FB Livestream	Each week, Oberon and I will read a story to kids and possibly have an activity to go with it	Mandy	Tuesday	3:00 - 3:30 p.m.
Sophia Circle Group	Zoom-1	2 nd & 4 th Tuesdays	JA	Tuesday	7:00-8:30 p.m.
Midweek Vespers	FB Livestream	Evening prayer	Hal	Wednesday	7:00 - 7:30 p.m.
Children's Time	FB Livestream	Children's Moment	Mandy	Thursday	11:00 - 11:30 a.m.

You can [click here for Facebook Livestream](#) (or go to plymouthucc.org/livestream ... no Facebook account needed!) and [click here](#) for more information **on Zoom software** (or go to plymouthucc.org/zoom.html).

Pledge Income

Actual March Pledge Contributions	\$98,909
March Budgeted Pledge Contributions	\$67,454
Year-to-Date Actual Pledge Contributions	\$262,122
Year-to-Date Budgeted Pledge Contributions	\$202,363

Need assistance? Do you need financial assistance with groceries, rent or medication? We have some funds available to help. Contact one of your pastors.

PLEASE NOTE: If you have any blurbs for the Bulletin insert, please email them to Barb no later than Wednesday morning each week. Barbara@plymouthucc.org. Thank you.

Essentials like Kleenex, toilet paper, Advil, and paper towels are available **for our congregants' home use**. Please call the church office (970.482.9212) to request some to pick up if you're in need and found the shelves empty at your local store.

Want to sew masks to help stop the spread of Covid-19? You can visit coloradomaskproject.com for information. There is a drive-thru drop-off point at the Banner Healthcare hospital on Harmony Road. (A guard at the main entrance will accept them from you.)

Due to ongoing social distancing, **the May Placard** will be published digitally, and as a result the deadline will be extended to April 22 at 5 p.m.

Adult Formation

Adult Education has moved online at 9 a.m.!

Please download the Zoom client from https://zoom.us/download#client_4meeting

Class: Immigration and Coronavirus: A Federal Perspective. Erika Blum, immigration policy staffer for Congressman Joe Neguse, will provide a national and Colorado overview of what is being done to respond to the effects of COVID-19 on immigrant workers and families via Zoom Room 2.

Forum: Our Director of Music Mark Heiskanen will present on the relationship between sacred and secular music via Zoom Room 1.

Use the Zoom links on the Adult Education page on the church's website to join the class and forum discussions. Links to each are at: <https://www.plymouthucc.org/adults.html> Click the buttons for simple directions to enter the room. When it asks for a password, enter 916. Continue logging in and you will be in the Waiting Room. The Host will admit you to the room; be patient for 10-15 seconds of weird screen and you will be in!

Children and Youth Formation

Children and families are invited to join us on Facebook Live Tuesdays at 3 p.m. and Thursdays at 11 a.m. Tuesday is Story Time and Thursday is Children's Moment. We want to see how you are connecting so feel free to post pics and chat in the comments of the videos.

Adults and Teens: Spiritual Practices on Facebook Live so you can watch live or whenever you have a chance. Join Mandy Mondays at 1 p.m. for a brief time of prayer and grounding in the Holy.

Plymouth Pen Pals are up and running! Last week families should have received an email with their Pen Pal's name and address. If you did not receive an assignment and would like one, please email Mandy@plymouthucc.org. Happy writing or drawing and enjoy connecting across the generations.

Small Groups & Fellowship Ministries

All Plymouth in-person events at the church have been cancelled through May 10, 2020.

Calendar Requests/Booking Zoom Rooms

While the building is closed, we have church-owned Zoom online "rooms" for remote meetings, small groups, etc.? Please visit plymouthucc.org and select the News & Events link at the top of the page. The request form can be found at the button by the Calendar. Choose "Zoom Room" as your meeting room, and we will get back to you with information you can send your group members.