

Mayflower Congregational UCC

"No matter who you are or where you are on life's journey,
you're welcome here."



Monday Morning News

April 17, 2017



Good Morning Mayflower!

We had a beautiful Easter Sunday here at Mayflower. It was great to see so many people attending worship. The morning began with a delicious **Relay for Life** breakfast that raised four hundred and sixteen dollars. Thank you to all that made this possible.

From the **Choir** and the **High Plains Brass**, to the presence of **the children** (both with the Choir and the blessing of the bags for Friendship House), it was all so exciting. The morning culminated with the moving singing of the **Hallelujah Chorus**. Although, for the children, I think the highlight may have been the Easter egg hunt.

Women of Mayflower Service Project Please join women from Mayflower and Epsilon Sigma Alpha charitable sorority to make sandwiches for the Salvation Army food van. **Join us for fun and service on Thurs., April 20 at 10 am!**



In the Coming Days:

Tues., Apr. 18 - 11:30 am Lydia's Prayer Group

Wed., Apr. 19 - 6:30 pm Older Youth meet at First Church
- **7:00 pm** Choir Rehearsal

Thurs., Apr. 20 - 10:00 am
WoM Sandwich Making Mission
- **10:00 am** Memorial Service for Naomi Sweeney at Dahl
- **Noon** Lunchtime Adult Ed. with Rev. Steve

- **5:30 pm** Women's AA Group in Fireside

- **7:00 pm** Council Meeting

Fri., Apr. 21 - Log Deadline

- **5:30 pm** RMC Peace Studies

Spring Fling!

Sat., Apr. 22 - 9:00 am – Noon
Mayflower Spring Cleaning!

Sun., Apr. 23 - 8:45 am Adult Education

- **9:00 am** Choir Warm-up

- **10:00 am** Worship (Team 1)

- **4:00 pm** Confirmation Class

Upcoming Event Highlights:

Apr. 25 – Lydia's Prayer Group

Apr. 26 – WoM Luncheon

– All Youth at Mayflower

Apr. 27 – Worship Committee Meeting

Apr. 29 – Youth Mental Health

Mayflower Spring Cleanup – Saturday, April 22 – Join in! Please mark your calendar to lend a hand from **9 to Noon. Coffee & rolls will be available.** Resources and Operations is asking for each of us to lend a hand in making this a successful spring cleanup.

Mayflower Singles will meet for Brunch at **11:30 am, after worship, on Sunday, April 23.** Please contact Dee Dee Chiesa or Luci Farmer with questions

RMC's Peace Institute's Traditional "Spring Fling" Dinner is set for Friday, April 21, here at Mayflower beginning at 5:30, with live entertainment at 7:00. Spring Fling International Dinner - "Pasta for Peace" hosted by the Institute for Peace Studies to support cultural diversity and understanding. This year will feature our first ever Silent Auction.
\$20 Adults / \$10 Children 6 – 10 / 5 & under FREE

We sadly announce the passing of **Naomi Sweeney** last night. **Services will be 10:00 am, Thursday morning, April 20th, at Dahl Funeral Chapel.** Our prayers are with her friends & family.

***Our Thoughts & Prayers** list has been removed to protect personal privacy.*

First Aid Class partnered with RiverStone Health at Mayflower
Apr. 30 – Spud Sunday

If anyone or anything tries to curse or kill the Goodness at the Center of all things, it will just keep coming back to life. Forever Easter.

— David Housholder, The Blackberry Bush

If you have Prayer Requests or Visitation Needs please email or call them in to the office. Please notify the office of any necessary changes to the current prayer list. Thanks!

A Just Peace / Open & Affirming Church where ALL are welcome for worship, nurture and growth.

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