



PILGRIM ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEK OF: February 19-26, 2017

HYMNS FOR TODAY: 8:00 AM and 10:45 AM

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WEEK OF February 19, 2017

Sunday

8:00a Worship and Holy Communion
 9:00a Youth Bells
 9:30a Sunday School
 10:45a Worship and Holy Communion
 YOUTH SUNDAY

Monday

9:00a NO Preschool
 6:00p Jazzercise
 7:00p Evangelism and Communications Mtg

Tuesday

9:00a Preschool
 9:30a Large Print
 12:00p Senior Luncheon
 7:00p Board of Directors Meeting

Wednesday

9:00a Preschool
 2:30p CCPL Mobile Library
 6:00p Jazzercise
 6:00p Benefaction Fund Meeting
 7:00p Holden Evening Prayer Service
 With Holy Communion

Thursday

9:00a Preschool
 9:15a MOMs Group
 9:30a Large Print
 11:30 Bible Study
 6:00p Jazzercise
 6:00p Handbell Rehearsal
 7:00p Choir Rehearsal

Friday

9:00a Preschool

Saturday

7:00a Youth Skiing At Perfect North
 8:30a Jazzercise
 12:00p United Church of God

Sunday

8:00a Worship and Holy Communion
 9:00a Youth Bells
 9:30a Sunday School
 10:45a Worship and Holy Communion
 W/Baptism and New Member Reception
 4:00p Fine Arts Event—*A Visit from Henry*
 David Thoreau

VOTER'S MEETING is *Sunday, March 5th at 9:30 AM*. All communicant members who are eighteen years of age or older are eligible and *encouraged to attend! Please plan now to attend!*

ORGAN FUND UPDATE: As of 1/31/17, we have collected 85% of the total amount pledged toward our new pipe organ. Contributions are now at \$228,493. We continue to be thankful for the ongoing generosity of so many.

PEW ATTENDANCE FORMS—Next Sunday, February 26th, Pilgrim will begin using **new attendance forms** to help us better identify and follow-up with first-time and repeat guests. Without a weekly record of attendance, it is difficult to track the frequency of guest visits or to reach out with appropriate follow-up. Attendance forms will help us better connect with and serve Pilgrim guests each week. The attendance forms are also an opportunity to update your official contact information such as change of address, new email, phone, etc. Changes will be updated in Pilgrim's member records. Please support the use of the attendance forms and help us better connect with our guests! Have questions? Please contact Mark Tisdale, Director of Evangelism & Communications at 440.479.4783 or markrtisdale@msn.com.

PILGRIM COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED THE MINISTRY SITE PROFILE (MSP) TO THE ELCA. The MSP provides Pilgrim a way to describe our mission, outline goals and our objectives, and share valuable information with pastors that may be looking for a new calling. The MSP was filled out by our Pilgrim Discovery Team and approved by Pilgrim leaders within the congregation, under the guidance of the Synod Bishop or Call Process Administrator (Rudy Mueller). Now that it is complete, the MSP will be stored within the ELCA's Mobility Database System (MDS). The web page, "[Current Openings](#)," allows rostered leaders and others to search the database of MSPs to learn of ministry

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

Sunday, February 12, 2017—131
 Wednesday, February 15, 2017—8

openings, to read a basic snapshot of information about each opening, and to learn about the appropriate contact person for each call process. If you would like to read Pilgrim's MSP please feel free to contact Debbie Collins in the church office at 317.846.2221 or by email at DebbieCollins@pilgrimindy.org to get an electronic or hard copy. Thanks, The Call Committee

THE PILGRIM FINE ARTS SERIES PRESENTS—A Visit from Henry David Thoreau next Sunday, February 26 at 4:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. A Free-will offering will be taken.

Anderson University English professor Dr. Kevin Radaker returns to Pilgrim...this time not as C.S. Lewis but as Henry David Thoreau! In this highly acclaimed one-man show, Radaker presents the provocative, eloquent words of Thoreau – America's nineteenth-century apostle of the wilderness, social critic, and political dissenter. This interactive program will entertain, educate, and inspire us to think about the ecological and social issues our world faces today, as we seek to be stewards of God's creation. There will be a brief question-and-answer-session with Dr. Radaker afterwards. Mark your calendar and invite someone with you to this unique presentation.

LADIES NITE OUT—Our next night out will be Tuesday, February 28th a new restaurant in Fishers. LouVina, is located at 8626 East 116th Street, which is on the west side of the railroad tracks. The Nickel Plate Grill is next door on the east side of the tracks and parking can be found behind both restaurants. The time is again 6:30 PM. Hope to see you all there.

LADIES LUNCHEON IN ZIONSVILLE—The monthly and bi-monthly Bible Studies for women will be meeting at Serenity Restaurant in Zionsville for lunch. The date and time are Monday, March 6, 2017, at 11:30 AM. The restaurant is located at 135 Main Street in Zionsville. All ladies and their guests are invited. Please RSVP to Kathy Hatfield for reservations 317.577.8305.

SUNDAY SCHOOL—During the month of February, Pastor Mueller is leading a conversation on the Gospel of Matthew during the 9:30 AM Sunday School hour. The class is a conversation about the Gospel of Matthew, its themes, structure, history and message. During most of 2017 the Sunday morning gospel readings will be

from the Gospel of Matthew, so this provides an introduction into the mind of Matthew. Pastor Mueller will be holding the class in the adult Sunday school classroom on the second floor, east wing. Please take advantage of Pastor Mueller's leadership and insights as he leads the conversation on the Gospel of Matthew; please join us!

ANY CHANGES in your contact information? Have you moved? Changed your phone number, or e-mail address? Now is a good time to notify our church office of such changes so we can stay in touch. You may put a note about such changes in the offering plate; or call the church office, 846-2221; or e-mail Debbie at DebbieCollins@pilgrimindy.org. Thanks, in advance, for keeping us informed, so we can stay in touch!

GIVING CREDIT WHERE DUE?

Running late for a meeting, a man circled the block, looking for a place to park. Desperately, he raised his eyes toward heaven and prayed, "Lord, if you'll find me a parking spot, I promise I'll start going to church again."

Just then, a car pulled out of a space right in front of the man. "Never mind," he said to God. "I found one!"

