First Congregational Church



UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

in Melrose

An Open and Affirming Congregation

Messenger

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Sunday, September 9:

Welcome Back Sunday

Worship and Sunday School at 10:00 AM Sunday School Registration

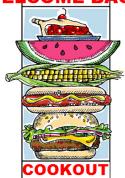
Sunday, September 16:

Worship and Sunday School at 10:00 AM Sunday School Registration

Sunday, September 23:

Worship and Sunday School at 10:00 AM Sunday School Registration

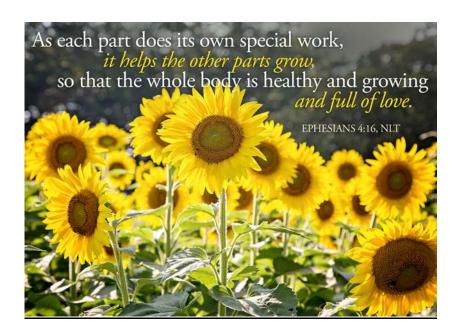




Playground Area, after Church

This gathering is a great time to catch up with church friends, compare notes about fall activities, and as always, enjoy the fantastic food that we always have (thanks to everyone)!

Rain or Shine



SEPTEMBER DATES TO REMEMBER AS OUR SCHEDULE RESUMES

Friday, August 31

Deadline for articles for first Messenger

Tuesday, September 4

6:30 PM – Morning Star Voices Rehearsal

7:00 PM – RIM Meeting, Library

Thursday, September 6

1:00 PM – Staff Meeting

Sunday, September 9

Welcome Back Sunday

Communion Sunday

10:00 AM Worship and Sunday School

Sunday School Registration

11:00 – 3:00 – Melrose Victorian Fair downtown

Tuesday, September 11

5:00 PM - Circle 4 Pot Luck, narthex

7:00 PM – Deacons, Library

No Morning Star Voices Rehearsal

Sunday, September 16

10:00 AM Worship and Sunday School

Sunday School Registration continues

Tuesday, September 18

6:30 PM – Morning Star Voices Rehearsal

Sunday, September 23

10:00 AM Worship and Sunday School

Sunday School Registration continues

Welcome Back Cookout after worship

Tuesday, September 25

6:30 PM - Morning Star Voices Rehearsal

Sunday, September 30

10:00 AM Worship and Sunday School

12:00 PM - Racial Justice Ministry book discussion

The following groups meet here regularly:

Boy Scouts – Tuesdays at 7:00 PM in the basement

Girl Scouts - Sundays, 3:00 to 5:00 PM

Al-Anon – weekdays at 12 noon, Sunday at 1 & 7 PM – Rm. 8

Blue of a Kind – Mondays at 7:00 PM in the Music Room

S.A.R.P. - Mondays 6:30 PM, Lounge

Tai Chi for Arthritis – Wednesdays at 10:00 AM, Room 8

A.A. – Mondays at 4:30 PM, & 7:00 PM (men), Tuesdays at 4:30 PM, Wednesdays at 4:30 PM & 7:30 PM, Thursdays at 4:30 PM and 7:00 PM, Fridays at 8:00 PM and Saturdays at 9:00 AM (men) and 3:00 PM – Rm. 8

Makam Music Group - Fridays 7:00-9:00 PM - Lounge and Rm. 1