



# The Congregational Church of Topsfield InSpire Weekly News & Updates

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## Sunday Morning

Join us for worship online and in person.

View the Zoom link for the Sunday Service [here](#)  
Sunday's bulletin [here](#)



Sunday, June 8th  
Last Day of Sunday School

Children will attend the Sunday service



The Board of Community and Communications and the Board of Missions will partner together over the next several of weeks to support our mission partner Lazarus House in Lawrence, MA by collecting much needed personal care products. **Beginning April 21<sup>st</sup> through June 14<sup>th</sup>** we will be collecting the following items in any size you are able to donate. This might be a good time to clean out the hotel samples you have collected!

- Body Wash
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Deodorant

Items can be left in a bin outside the door of the main office.

One important part of any mission project is to develop a deeper understanding of the programing provided as well as nurturing personal relationships. Thus, any interested member of the church is invited to visit Lazarus House on Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am for a brief tour of the facilities and to drop off items collected. If you are interested in joining us, please reach out to Dolly McIlvaine at [mciltopsfield@comcast.net](mailto:mciltopsfield@comcast.net) or Cathy Imboden at [cimboden@gmail.com](mailto:cimboden@gmail.com). Carpooling will be available.

We hope everyone will participate in this worthwhile mission project to help this most vulnerable population.

In Service,

Cathy Imboden and Dolly McIlvaine

at 9:30am with their families and an announcement will be made to meet in the narthex (lobby). This will be the last day of Sunday School until the Fall.

All visitors are welcome to attend!



## Emerson Center Office Update

The Emerson Center office will be closed on Fridays for the summer, beginning Friday, June 20th through Friday, August 29th.

The summer office hours will be: Monday–Thursday, 10am–1pm.

Thank you!



## Tri–Town Pride Parade 2025

What a joyful celebration at last week's Tri–Town Pride Parade!

This was truly a community event with over 300 people in attendance. What a beautiful moment for our church and for our community!



## Lemonade on the Lawn "LOL"

**June 8:** Barb and Jim Barnes at the Fellowship Hall

**June 15:** Lemonade on the Lawn "LOL" officially begins

**June 29:** Board of Community and Communications will be hosting "LOL"

**July 13:** Hosts needed

**July 27:** Hosts needed

**August 10:** Hosts needed

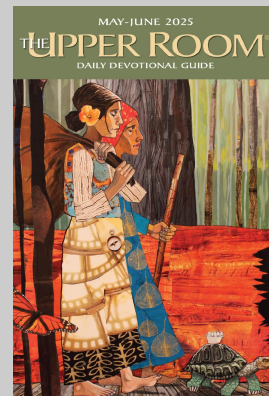
**August 24:** Hosts needed

The dates are every other Saturday, but please choose another Sunday if it fits your schedule better.

There is a container in the narthex that holds the tablecloth, cups, napkins and paper towels. Please use the small banquet table.

We suggest you bring lemonade, iced tea and treats of your choice. Please call or text Meg Moran 978–337–2345 or Nancy Nelson 978–869–6201 to sign up.

Many thanks,  
Members of the Board of Community and Communications



## The Upper Room May/June Magazine Is Now Available!

The Upper Room Daily Devotional Guide is devoted to connecting people around the world through encouraging stories of God's love and faithfulness.

Each issue of this devotional contains daily meditations written by readers–





## Ring the Paul Revere Bell June 14th During the Strawberry Festival!

The Meetinghouse will be open from  
10-4pm to visit &  
ring the Paul Revere Bell!

We need volunteers ~ Please sign up  
just an hour of your time for one of  
the shifts.  
Call/text Nancy 978-869-6201

Thank you!



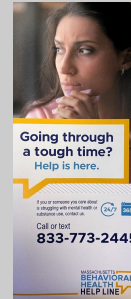
## Topsfield Auto Show

Start your engines, and join us for the  
ultimate classic-car experience! From  
cruisers to supercars, there will be fun  
for the whole family. You won't want  
to miss it! The Topsfield Auto Show  
will be displayed on the church lawn,  
across the street from the Topsfield  
Common, and coincides with the 56th  
Annual Strawberry Festival.

You can learn more  
at: [topsfieldmeetinghouse.org/topsfield-autoshow](https://topsfieldmeetinghouse.org/topsfield-autoshow)

people who experience the challenges  
and triumphs of daily life.

Several copies are now available in  
the narthex/lobby of  
the Meetinghouse.



## The Massachusetts Behavioral Health Help Line

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## Parish Care Ministry

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