



Pilgrim Lodge

Maine Conference, United Church of Christ

Pilgrim Lodge is a multi-generational summer camp and retreat space centered on the spirit of extravagant welcome. Ours is a ministry of inclusion: no matter who you are or where you are on life's journey, all who come in love have a seat at the table. We believe in providing space to slow down the rapid pace of modern life in order to tend to community.

EXPEDITION EVERYONE 2026 DEANS LETTER

Check-in: Wednesday July 1st 2-3PM

Check-out: Saturday July 4th 10AM



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HELLO CAMPERS!

Together, we are going to create fun and amazing memories that can be cherished for a lifetime. With the holy stories of sacred scripture and the deep blessings of creation, we shall gather as a camp community and explore new and familiar ways of connecting.

On the boardwalk, at the lake's edge, deep in the water and peacefully around a campfire we will have an intergenerational expedition! 'Neath the tall green trees of Pilgrim Lodge and swirling with the power of the Holy Spirit we are playing, praying and leaning into new possibilities.

We will share all our meals together in the fabulous Quitobaquito Dining Hall. The chefs prepare meals that are truly amazing and enjoyable, but If your cabin crew brings anything extra, please make sure that it is all stored in a plastic bin with a lid. We are also a peanut free campus but you are welcome to bring other things that you might need.



This year we are inviting you to our TRUE COLORS dinner. This will include a fun camp meal where we are all invited to dress up with your true colors. This special night is all about authenticity—showing up as your most genuine self and celebrating the unique colors of life that make each of us who we are.

Wear whatever best honors the true you. Whether that's your favorite color, a cherished outfit, a funky costume, something bold and expressive, or a look that reflects your personality, passions, culture, or spirit—we invite you to come dressed as the version of yourself that feels most real. Tux it up! Tutu it with joy! You choose and we will celebrate it! Together we will be a rainbow of beautiful community.

See you soon as we come together to enjoy all the goodness of lake, loons, land and Holy love.

It's going to be the best summer ever!



On this Expedition for Everyone at Pilgrim Lodge these are just *some* of the adventures you can choose!

Making new friends!

Legos

Spirit groups just for Kids

Ice Cream

Spirit groups just for Teens

Labyrinth

Spirit groups just for Adults

Dance Party

Loaves and Fishes on the dock

EE Game Show

Campfire Cookout

True Colors Dinner

Art and Craft options

Stories come to Life

Canoe Adventures

Karaoke



PILGRIM LODGE SUMMER 2026 OUTREACH PROJECT



Speaking Place
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Wabanaki Public
Health & Wellness

*During our time together, an option to make a donation to our Summer 2026 Outreach Project organizations will be available in the camp store.



DURING THIS SESSION OF CAMP, DON'T FORGET TO BRING:

- Your True Colors Fancy Dinner outfit!
- A sealed container for any food you bring
- Something white to tie-dye

LINK TO CAMPER GUIDE WITH FULL PACKING LIST



SEE YOU AT CAMP!

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