



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.

JUSTICE TOGETHER 2026 DEANS LETTER

A program of
PILGRIM LODGE
in partnership with



Registration: July 19 @ 2-3PM

Pick Up: July 25 @ 9:30AM



Dean Erin (she/her)



Dean Madeline (she/her)

HELLO CAMPERS!

We are so excited to have you joining our community for Justice Together this summer!! This intentionally small group will focus on understanding the intersections of identity, climate change, and other justice work while we rest, find joy, laugh, and build skills to bring with us back to our daily lives. We can not wait to sit by the lake and share a conversation on the porch as we connect this week.

Meet Madeline: Madeline Bugeau-Heartt is a Maine-based organizer, facilitator, and theater-maker. Since graduating from NYU Tisch with a BFA in theater in 2013, Madeline has gone on to manifest countless theater projects, most recently including the direction of Anton Chekhov's *Uncle Vanya* and her originally devised work *My Boyfriend Bonhoeffer*. She recently completed her Masters of Divinity at the Harvard Divinity School where she explored climate change and theater as a sacred space, and which culminated in the making of *Neighborhood*, a full-length pilot of a reimagined Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood program. She serves as the Creative Director of the counter/current: collective in Belfast, Maine. When not making art, Madeline works to organize and facilitate changemaking in her community. She is currently a consultant for both The BTS Center and The Atlantic Black Box, and plans to open a Center for Radical Transformation this fall.

Meet Erin: As a life-long Pilgrim Lodge camper, then counselor and dean, Erin is excited to see her life-long interest in environmental sciences join with the love she has for Pilgrim Lodge. Erin is dedicated to helping all young people connect to nature, find their own avenue to love and embrace diversity of all kinds, and build community. She loves to snowshoe, ski, kayak and walk when outside, and loves to find a good book and cup of tea to curl up with when inside.

We are excited to spend this week together getting to know each other and how we can use our unique gifts and interests to join the movements for a more just world. We will explore our own identities, climate justice, justice work happening in the state, and how we can make a difference in our own communities.



PILGRIM LODGE SUMMER 2026 OUTREACH PROJECT



Speaking Place
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Wabanaki Public
Health & Wellness

***An option to make a donation to the Summer 2026 outreach project will be available at registration and in the camp store.**



Campers are encouraged to bring books, quotes, songs, art, or anything else that is meaningful to you for use in gatherings throughout the week.

[*Link to Camper Guide with full Packing List*](#)

SEE YOU AT CAMP!

Questions? Email or call Pilgrim Lodge:
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