

LUNCH WITH FRIENDS

Presented by Harpswell Aging at Home



Come enjoy a meal with friends, old and new!

MARCH

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5 Bailey Island Union Church	6	7	8
10	11	12 Bailey Island Union Church	13	14 Merriconeag Grange Hall	15
17	18	19 Orr's Island Schoolhouse	20	21	22
24	25	26 Orr's Island Schoolhouse	27	28 Great Island Church of the Nazarene	29
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LUNCHES AT NOON
Free and open to all
Harpswell Residents



LOCATIONS

Merriconeag Grange Hall
529 Harpswell Neck Rd., Harpswell
(2nd Thurs)

Bailey Island Union Church
2141 Harpswell Islands Rd., Bailey Island
(every Tues)

Orr's Island Schoolhouse
1579 Harpswell Islands Rd.
Orr's Island
(Tues beginning in March)

Church of the Nazarene
806 Harpswell Islands Rd.
Great Island
(March 28)

Questions?
Contact Surrey Hardcastle: (207) 833-009



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APRIL

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
3/31	1	2 Orr's Island Schoolhouse	3	4	5	6
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	and Thur, May 9th Merriconeag Grange Hall			

Church Calendar

Sunday, April 14	10 am - Service 11:15 am -- New Members Reception 11:15 am - Choir practice
Tuesday, April 16	7 pm - Church Council
Thursday, April 18	11 am - Bible Study 7 pm - Maundy Thursday Service
Friday, April 19	Noon - Good Friday Service
Saturday, April 20	10 am - Easter Egg Hunt
Sunday, April 21	5:30 am - Sunrise Service and Easter Breakfast 10 am - Easter Service



Elijah Kellogg Church Congregational
917 Harpswell Neck Road
Harpswell, Maine 04079
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Sunday Service
April 14, 2019

Welcome to Elijah Kellogg Church! We are glad that you could be with us this morning!

Please let us know how we can be of service to you. Feel free to fill out an information card found in the pew, and place it in the offering plate.

Sunday School for young children is provided. Child care for small children is available.

Please join us for our Coffee Hour following the morning service.

Prelude

Christian Greetings and Announcements

Passing out the Palms...

***Call to Worship** (Responsive) (from Zechariah 9)

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem!

For lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey.

He will command peace to the nations.

His dominion will be from sea to sea,

From the River to the ends of the earth.

Service

***Hymn** "The Palms" (Jean-Baptiste Fuare) (Please see insert.)

***Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer** (debts and debtors)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Children's Time

Reception of New Members! (Please see insert.)

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School.

Child care for young children is available.)

First Lesson Luke 19: 29-40 Pew Bible, p 854

***Responsive Reading** (from Isaiah 52)

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet
of the messenger who announces peace,

**Who brings good news, who announces salvation,
who says to Zion, "Your God reigns."**

Listen! Your sentinels lift up their voices,
and together they sing for joy!

**For in plain sight they see
the return of the Lord to Zion.**

Break forth into singing, you ruins of Jerusalem,
for the Lord has comforted His people.

*All who are able, please stand.

Notes & News

Remembrance Committee:

There will be a meeting of the Remembrance Committee in the parlor immediately following the service this morning.



Holy Week Schedule

*Please join us for worship during Holy Week...
and bring your friends family!*

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| April 18 | 7 pm | Maundy Thursday Tenebrae Service in our Meeting House
(Prayers, Songs, and Readings by candlelight) |
| April 19 | Noon | Good Friday Service in our Meeting House
(Readings, Reflections and Resources for Quiet Meditation) |
| April 21 | 5:30 am | Easter Sunrise Service at the Auburn Colony Flag Pole
(A joyful celebration of the Resurrection!) |
| | | ** Easter Breakfast immediately following in our Fellowship Hall** |
| | 10 am | Easter Celebration in our Meeting House
(Another joyful celebration of the Resurrection!) |

Notes & News

Book Club:

Please join us this April. We are reading *Born a Crime*, by Trevor Noah. We meet the third Monday of the month at 1:00 in the church parlor. **We welcome new members!!!**

Katherine Goodrich

THE ANNUAL SPRING WALK IS COMING!

Our local Habitat affiliate and church covenant is gearing up for the **Annual Spring Walk on Sunday, May 5, in Brunswick**. The "Walk to Build" is Habitat's largest fundraiser to help eliminate substandard housing one step at a time. To date, the organization has built or rehabilitated over 49 homes and weatherized and/or repaired over 600 homes in Brunswick, Harpswell and all of Lincoln and Sagadahoc counties. The proud owner of the newest house in Wiscasset will be here to speak with us about her experience on April 28.

The three-mile route begins and ends at St. John's Community Center in Brunswick, starting at 2pm. Water, snacks and restrooms will be available to the start of the walk. The route is in-town along sidewalks and safety volunteers will be present at major crossings. Parking is available at St. John's and on the street. A shuttle van will be available should anyone need transportation along the route.

Come join us on the walk, watch to cheer us on, or donate to support the cause. See Alicia or Karin during Coffee Hour after the church service for further details. We are hoping to raise \$1,000 this year and hope that you will join us in this effort.

-Karin Soderberg



Don't forget to grab your Clynk bag & recycle your returnable bottles/cans for Beatriz!



**April Food Bank Donation:
Tuna & Canned Meats**

Service

**And all the ends of the earth shall see
the salvation of our God.**

*Gloria Patri

Anthem "To the Lamb on the Throne" (Dan Forrest)

Second Lesson Philippians 2: 1-11 Pew Bible, p 954

Sermon "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!"

*Hymn 175 "Ride On, Ride On In Majesty"

Prayers of the People and Pastoral Prayer

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Choral Response

*Call to Giving

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn 375 "Lead On, O King Eternal"

Benediction // Choral Blessing

Postlude

*All who are able, please stand.

Serving You this Morning

Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Cromwell
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	Linda Clement, Becky Gallery
Ushers	Bill Hunter, David Hunter
Reader	Ruth Smith
Nursery Attendants	Denise & Zach Perry
Trustee	Ryan Ravenscroft
Hospitality	Hospitality



The communion table flowers are given by Kathy & Hub Goodrich in honor of their children and grandchildren.

The piano flowers are given by Jan Raslavsky in loving memory of James Raslavsky to celebrate what would have been their 50th wedding anniversary on April 12th.

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Notes & News

New Members: Please welcome and rejoice with us in our new members: Sheila Bohlin, Becky Gallery, Jan Raslavsky, and Nancy Simboli.

Habitat for Humanity Annual Spring Walk to Build supports Habitat's affordable housing programs serving families in Sagadahoc and Lincoln Counties and the towns of Brunswick and Harpswell.

We have a team, Elijah Kellogg Church. Would you join our team?

If you don't want to walk, you can help by sponsoring one of our walkers.

Donations can be made online through the Spring Walk event page and can be made in support of the Elijah Kellogg Church team. Just visit www.habitat7rivers.org and click on Spring Walk found on the homepage.

If you prefer to make donations offline, simply write a check payable to HFH/7RM. There are sponsor forms located on the mission's table and an envelope to insert your donation.

Volunteers Needed for Mission Group:

Join the **Mission Group from Pennsylvania** on some **LOCAL MISSION WORK** August 11-16th. Volunteer opportunities all over Harpswell and Brunswick are being arranged. If you want to participate, even for just one day, please let Denise know.

Faith and Family:

EASTER EGG HUNT: Help needed for our Egg Hunt scheduled for April 20th. We need 'hiders' to help us spread the 1200 eggs – some easy for the little ones, and some more challenging for the older ones. Please plan on arriving at 8am. Even if you can't come help, please join us in welcoming members of the community as we celebrate this Easter tradition. The program begins at 10am with the hunt following shortly afterwards.

HEIFER INTERNATIONAL: It's time to return your arks filled with your loose change. Please place them on the mission table in Fellowship Hall.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: We are collecting **PERSONAL CARE ITEMS**.

SUGGESTIONS: hairbrush, toothbrush, bar soap, adhesive bandages, non-liquid lip balm, compact mirror, nail clippers and file, stick deodorant, reusable water bottles.

SPEAKER TOUR: Hear Yves Dushime tell his story about receiving a shoebox when he was 11 years old. He now lives in New York, and receiving the shoebox changed his life. He will be doing a speaker tour April 26-28. For more information, see the bulletin board to read his story.