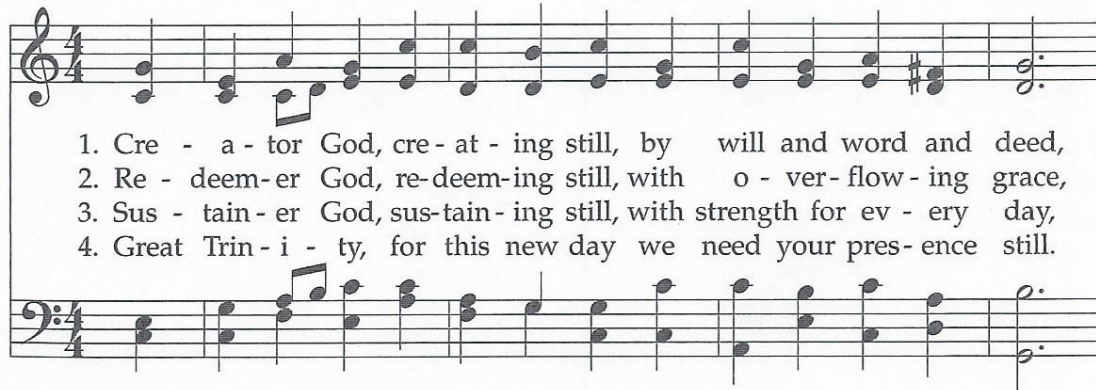
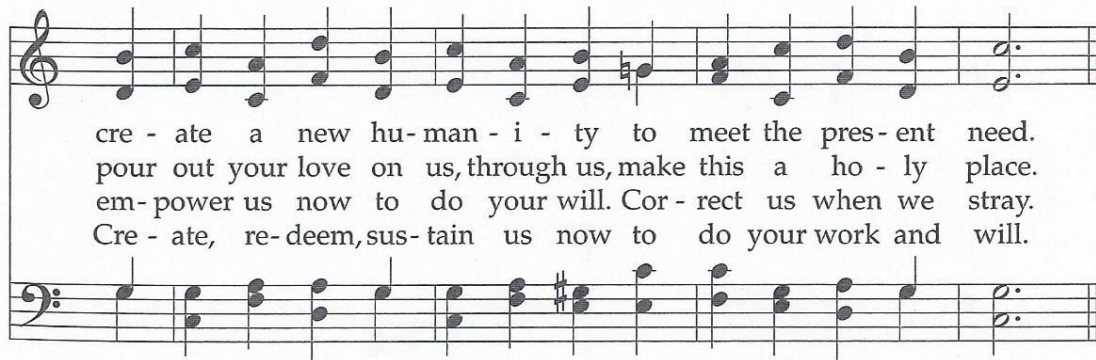


Creator God, Creating Still

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1. Cre - a - tor God, cre - at - ing still, by will and word and deed,
 2. Re - deem-er God, re-deem-ing still, with o - ver-flow - ing grace,
 3. Sus - tain-er God, sus-tain-ing still, with strength for ev - ery day,
 4. Great Trin - i - ty, for this new day we need your pres-ence still.



cre - ate a new hu-man - i - ty to meet the pres-ent need.
 pour out your love on us, through us, make this a ho - ly place.
 em-power us now to do your will. Cor - rect us when we stray.
 Cre - ate, re-deem, sus-tain us now to do your work and will.

WORDS: Jane Parker Huber, 1977
 MUSIC: Attr. William Croft, 1708

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Church Calendar

Sunday, Aug.13:	10:00 am - Service 11:15 am - Choir Practice
Tuesday, Aug. 15:	7 pm - Church Council Meeting
Thursday, Aug. 17	11:00 am - Bible Study, parlor 12:30 pm - Harpswell Garden Club, F.H.

Do you have a bulletin announcement? Please submit it by Wednesday, 9 am, the week before.
 Email to: adminassist@elijahkelloggchurch.org. Thank you.



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Sunday Service
August 13, 2017

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

Greetings and Announcements

Introit and Quieting our Hearts for Worship

***Call to Worship (Responsive) Psalm 51**

O Lord, open my lips, and my
 mouth will declare your praise.

For You have no delight in sacrifice.

The sacrifice acceptable to God
 is a broken spirit.

**A broken and contrite heart, O God,
 You will not despise.**

Service

*Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer (in Unison)

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.

*Hymn 100 "O My Soul, Bless God, the Father" (vs.1-4)

(The children are dismissed to Sunday School.
Child care for young children is available.)

First Lesson Matthew 18:21-22 Pew Bible, p. 800

Responsive Reading - from Psalm 130

Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord.

Let your ears be attentive to my prayers.

If You, O Lord, should mark our iniquities,
who could stand?

**But there is forgiveness with You,
so that You may be revered.**

O Israel, hope in the Lord!

**For with the Lord there is steadfast love,
and great power to redeem.**



Women’s Fellowship Meeting Schedule

All women in the church (and men also!) are invited to attend the meetings. Feel free to bring a friend. All meetings will be held in the Fellowship Hall the first Tuesday from 11am-1pm. Everyone contributes \$1 to attend and brings a sandwich to eat. Dessert and beverage are provided. We always have a program!

DATES:

2017

September 5th

October 3rd

October 31st

December 5th

2018

January

February 6th

March 6th

April 3rd

May 1st

June 5th

PROGRAM:

Making Christmas Boxes by Kay Hunter



Presentation of her book "Remembering Years of Hiding Behind the Silence" a true story of growing up in Germany as a child during World War II by Christine Detroy.

Pricing of Christmas items for the Fair

Christmas Party

NO MEETING

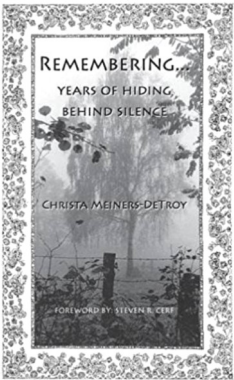
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Potluck - Place to be announced



August Food Bank Donation:

Hamburger Helper

Service

*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem “Prayer of Thanksgiving” (Knox and Wilson)

Second Lesson Matthew 18:23-33 Pew Bible, p. 800

Sermon “...Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.”

*Hymn “Creator God, Creating Still” (see back page)

Prayers of the People
Sharing Joys and Concerns
Silent Prayer
Pastoral Prayer
Choral Response

Call to Giving
Offertory
*Doxology 515

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn 101 “There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy”

*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 Quimby
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	Elizabeth & Art Dyer
Ushers	Wendell & Mary Davidson
Reader	Ashley Braley
Nursery Attendants	Denise Perry
Trustee	Dave Fitzgerald, 324-1811
Hospitality	Hospitality



*The flowers today are given
by Louise Huntington in loving
memory of son George.*

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Notes & News

Craft Group meets Tuesdays from 10 am-noon, downstairs in the craft room. All welcome!

Church Council Meeting is Tuesday, Aug. 15, here at 7 pm.

Bible Study meets Thursdays at 11 am in the parlor. Please join us!

The Ferris Family will be walking in the 10th Anniversary of the Eric Brazier Memorial Walk-a-thon August 19th. All of the funds raised go into an activity fund, controlled by the Brazier family, at RiverRidge Brain Injury facility in Kennebunk for the patients. The funds are used to enrich their lives. This has become a big family event for us each year. We feel all of you are our family and have greatly appreciated your contributions over the years. We thank you for any help you can give us. Susan, Herb and David.

Book Group meets Monday, Aug. 21, here at 1 pm.

Cribbage is Aug. 23 & Aug. 30, 7 pm in Fellowship Hall.

The Church Picnic is Sunday, Aug. 27, here, right after the worship service. All welcome to join with us in this summertime fellowship! Hot dogs and chips will be provided, please bring a dish to share.

HCNS Open House is Aug. 31 & Sept. 1, 9 am-12 pm, the first day of school is Sept. 5th!

It's time to think about the next big all church event, The Christmas By the Sea Fair! The date of the fair is Saturday, November 4. All the committee chairs are in place for this year's fair. Our latest volunteers are Patty & Paul O'Brien Carrier who will be on the **Silent Auction committee** and would love to have four more people join with them in the fun. If this is something you would like to be part of, please contact Paul and Patty at 751-6311. **Craft committee** has been busy every Tuesday making ornaments, handmade items and more. This is the season for jams, jelly, pickles! Are you canning? Are you thinking of cleaning your attic or basement? **Keep the Treasures committee** in mind for your unwanted items. **Are you willing to bake** for the bake sale? Think about how you can contribute to help make the fair a big success!! Fair Co-Chairs: Mickey Maidl,837-9563; Joan Phillips,729-6110; Kay Hunter,865-2280.

Faith & Family

*Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.
Proverbs 22:6*

Help us fill shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child! We will be gathering small items* for boys and girls ages 2-14 until November. All donations can be placed in the collection box in Fellowship Hall. **Each month we will highlight a gift theme - August is school supplies.** (Pens, pencils and sharpeners, crayons or markers, stamps and ink pad sets, writing pads, solar calculators, coloring and picture books, etc.) Let's see how many boxes our congregation can fill!
**Remember, all gifts must fit inside of a shoebox!*