



### **Church Calendar**

Sunday, Sep. 02: 10 am - Service

11:15 am - Choir practice

Monday, Sep. 03: Labor Day / Church Office closed Tuesday, Sep. 04: 9 am - HCNS first day of school

> 11 am - Women's Fellowship 12:30 pm - HAH kitchen use

7 pm - Deacons' Meeting

**Thursday, Sep. 06:** 11 am - Bible Study, parlor

Saturday, Sep. 08: 5-7 pm - Roast Pork Public Supper



Elijah Kellogg Church Congregational 917 Harpswell Neck Road Harpswell, Maine 04079 (207) 833-6026 www.elijahkelloggchurch.org

Communion Service September 02, 2018

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) from Exodus 20

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy.

Six days you shall labor and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the Lord.

For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, but rested on the seventh day.

Therefore God blessed the seventh day and made it holy.

#### 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 68 "I Sing the Mighty Power of God"

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

First Lesson

Ecclesiastes 3:9-15

Pew Bible, p. 538

### **Owning Our Church Covenant (in unison)**

We covenant with one another to seek and respond to the Word and the Will of God. We purpose to walk together in the ways of the Lord, made known and to be made known to us. We hold it to be the mission of the Church to witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ in all the world, while worshipping God and striving for truth, justice and peace. As did our forebears, we depend on the Holy Spirit to lead and empower us. We pray for the coming of the Kingdom of God, and we look with faith toward the triumph of righteousness and eternal life.

### \*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem

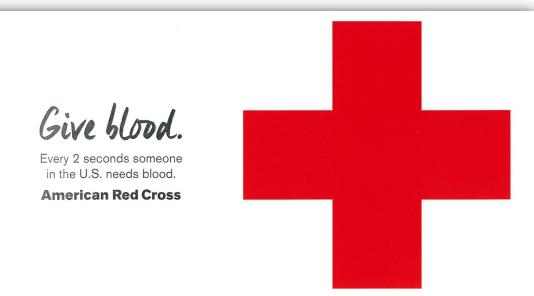
"Fairest Lord Jesus"

(arr. Mary McDonald)

Prayers of the People

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Praver Pastoral Prayer Choral Response



# **Blood Drive** Elijah Kellogg Church

Parish Hall 917 Harpswell Neck Road Harpswell, ME 04079

Saturday, September 29, 2018 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org and enter: 'HarpswellME' to schedule an appointment.

> Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.



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### \*Prayer of Dedication

Second Lesson Matthew 11:27-30 Pew Bible, p. 797

Meditation "Work and Rest"

\*Hymn 322 "Jesus Calls Us, O'er the Tumult"

Communion

Invitation

Prayer

The Giving of the Bread\*\*
The Giving of the Cup

Thanksgiving

\*\*Gluten-free bread is available for Communion and can be found in the center cups of each tray.

\*Hymn 406 "Forth in Thy Name, O Lord, I Go"

\*Benediction

**Choral Blessing** 

\*All who are able, please stand.





Saturday, Sept. 8

5:00-7:00 pm

## Menu:

Roast Pork, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Vegetables, Rolls, and Pies for dessert!

## Location:

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Prices: \$10 person, \$5 child

A portion of the proceeds will go to HAH. Harpswell Aging at Home is a community-led organization committed to helping people thrive while aging at home.

### Serving You this Morning

Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Cromwell
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	George & Jane Perkins
Ushers	Chris & Ashley Braley
Reader	Dave Luce
Nursery Attendant	Denise Perry
Trustee	Dick Collins, 725-2881
Hospitality	Hospitality



The flowers today are given in loving memory of our parents by Lasca & Richard Lilly.

#### **Church Contact Information:**

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### **Notes & News**

**Woman's Fellowship's** first meeting will be this Tuesday, Sept. 4 in Fellowship Hall starting at 11 am. Our speaker for the meeting cancelled, so we will have a getting to know you and recall memories of summer. Linda Clement will then lead a memory game. Nancy Hurst will do devotions, Pat Moody and Sally Clark will provide dessert/drinks. Remember to bring a sandwich. We would love to have more members so please feel welcome to bring a friend. Elly

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

Greeters for September 9: Arnold & Nancy Bennett

Ushers for September 9: Rick & Signe Daniel

**If you go into the church's barn** PLEASE be sure to shut off the lights and lock up when you leave. Thank you for your efforts in keeping the property safe!

Roast Pork Public Supper, Saturday, September 8, 2018. Missions & Trustees are hosting the supper. Volunteers are needed for preparation, serving, & clean up. Please consider adding your name to the sign-up sheet in the hall. What could be better to top off a delicious pork supper than a tempting piece of pie? If you can honor us with your favorite pie, please add your name to the pie list which is also in the hall. Thank you for your help, we look forward to seeing you!

**The Book Group will meet Monday, Sept. 17,** here in the parlor at 1 pm. The book selection is *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah.

**We will be having our Fall Blood Drive** on Saturday, Sept. 29th, here from 9 am–2 pm. You can register at redcrossblood.org or call David at 607-3576 to reserve a time, or for more info.

**SAVE THE DATE:** November 3rd is the date of the next big all church event, The Christmas By the Sea Fair!! The Craft ladies have been busy every Tuesday making ornaments, handmade items and more. A few items have already been collected for the silent auction. Now is the time to be making pickles, jams, and jelly for the Country Store. Are you thinking of cleaning the attic or downsizing? Keep the treasures committee in mind for your unwanted items. Are you willing to bake for the bake sale or help with the chowder/lobster roll luncheon? Think about how you can contribute to help make the fair a big success and have fun too!! Fair Co-Chairs: Mickey Maidl, Kay Hunter 865-2280, Joan Philips 729-6110.

## 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

Mark your calendars for FRIEND SUNDAY, September 9th. Everyone is encouraged to "Invite a Friend" to attend the worship service and enjoy fellowship at our CHURCH PICNIC that follows. The Christian Education Board will supply the hotdogs and beverages. Please bring along an appetizer, salad, fruit, or dessert to share with friends. We will gather in the courtyard.

Would you be interested in going on a mission trip? How about volunteering at a local organization? Let's talk! Please leave word with Denise if you are interested.

**Operation Christmas Child** – Contributions for our shoeboxes have been amazing! During the month of Sept. donations are school items, please place in the box on the mission table. Thanks

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