

One Great Hour of Sharing Appeal Hurricane Harvey

The Mission and Outreach Ministry Council is collecting funds for those affected by Hurricane Harvey.

Since we do not have a church or mission in the disaster area, we will be sending donations we receive to Church World Service (CWS).

<https://cwsglobal.org/situation-report-hurricane-harvey>

CWS is working with partners in Texas to determine the most effective way to respond. Additionally, CWS Hygiene Kits and Emergency Cleanup Buckets will be available upon request to local organizations responding to the storm.

Send donations to:
NACCC—OGHS (Hurricane Harvey)
PO Box 288
Oak Creek, WI 53154

Please keep these people and areas in your prayers.

Church Calendar

Sunday, Sep. 03:	10 am - Service 11:15 am - Choir Practice
Tuesday, Sep. 05:	9 am - HCNS 1st day of school 11 am - Women's Fellowship
Thursday, Sep. 07:	11 am - Bible Study, parlor
Friday, Sep. 08:	10 am - Missions Meeting

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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**Communion Service
September 03, 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) from Genesis 2

On the seventh day, God finished
the work that He had done,

and He rested on the seventh day.

So God blessed the seventh day
and hallowed it,

**because on it God rested
from all the work He had done.**

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 66 "For the Beauty of the Earth" (vs. 1-4)

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

First Lesson Matthew 11:27-30 Pew Bible, p. 792

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 "Whispering Hope, Wonderful Peace" (Joel Raney, arr.)

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



Harpwell Garden Club's
FUN AND FABULOUS FALL FEST
Saturday, Sept. 9th.
from 8:30 am-1:00 pm
at Centennial Hall, Rt. 123.
Featuring: mums, ornamental kale, bouquets,
baked goods, vendors, yard sale, live music.



Graciously Presented by the
Guild of Extraordinary Gentle Women

A Benefit for
Harpwell Aging at Home



High Tea

Saturday, September 16th, 2017
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM
Merriconeag Grange

\$20 per person Tickets are very limited

To purchase your ticket,
call Anne Taft at (207) 725-5716 or email to
dtaft48@comcast.net

Bring a special tea cup and its story if you have one.
Tea service will include soups, scones, clotted cream,
lemon curd, finger sandwiches, desserts, candies,
and of course, tea.



September Food Bank Donation:
Canned Tomatoes

Roast Pork Supper



Saturday, Sept. 16
5:00-7:00 pm

Menu:

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

Location:

Elijah Kellogg Church
917 Harpswell Neck Rd.
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Prices: \$8 person, \$4 child, \$20 family

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.

Service

Call to Giving
Offertory
***Doxology 515**

***Prayer of Dedication**

Second Lesson Isaiah 58:6-14 Pew Bible, p. 601

Meditation “Come to me, all you who are weary
and carrying heavy burdens,
and I will give you 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 366** “God of Grace and God of Glory” (vs.1,2,4,5)

***Benediction**

Choral Blessing

*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	George & Jane Perkins
Ushers	Dana & Chris McIntyre
Reader	Dave Luce
Nursery Attendants	Denise Perry
Trustee	Ben Skinner, 833-6386
Hospitality	Sherry Orr



The flowers today are in loving memory of Tim Rowe on his birthday, given by Chet, Carrie, Zach, and Emily Bubier.

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Notes & News

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

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

Women's Fellowship, Tues., Sept. 5, here at 11 am, is "Making Christmas Boxes" by Kay Hunter. All welcome, please contribute \$1 and bring a sandwich; dessert & drink is provided.

The Flower Committee has an opening on Sept. 17th for anyone who would like to donate an arrangement/plant for the table. We will order, pick up and place the flowers unless you specify otherwise. If interested contact Linda Gillis at lindarich@myfairpoint.net or 833-6074.

Pies are needed for the next public supper, which will be held on Saturday, September 16 from 5:00–7:00 pm. If you can provide a pie, please put your name on the sign-up sheet on the hall bulletin board. Pies can be brought to the church kitchen on Friday, Sept. 15 or before 5 pm on Sept. 16. Thank you for your help!

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.

Once again, the Country Store is looking for donations of jams, jellies, pickles, chili, baked beans, brown bread, fresh produce, homemade candies/fudge and other items suitable to the Country Store theme. We welcome your contributions! For more information feel free to contact Win or Linda Gillis (E-Mail lindarich@myfairpoint.net or tel. 833-6074).

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. **September's gift theme is Toys & Games!** Let's see how many boxes our congregation can fill!

***Remember, all gifts must fit inside of a shoebox!**

