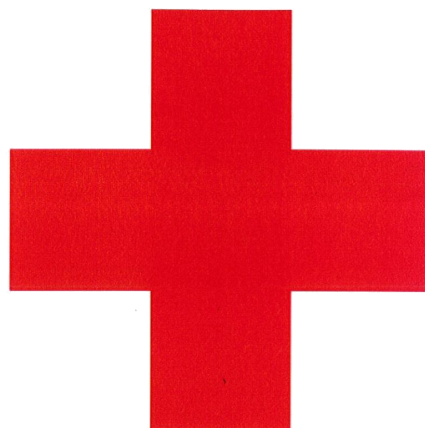


Give blood.

Every 2 seconds someone
in the U.S. needs blood.

American Red Cross



Blood Drive
Harpswell Community
Elijah Kellogg Church

Parish Hall
917 Harpswell Neck Road
Harpswell, ME 04079

Saturday, September 28, 2019
9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Volunteers Needed! Please sign up on bulletin board in hallway.
Looking for someone to provide some baked cookies or snacks.
Thank you!

Please call
1-800-RED CROSS or
visit **Red-**
CrossBlood.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.

1-800-RED CROSS/
1-800-733-2767

Church Calendar

Sunday, September 22	10 am - Sunday Service 11:15 am - Choir practice
Monday, September 23	Newsletter Info Due in Church Office
Wednesday, September 25	10-Noon - Rev. Joe Connolly Office Hours 7 pm - Cribbage
Saturday, September 28	9 am to 2 pm - Red Cross Blood Drive

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
September 22, 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.

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

Prelude

Christian Greeting and Announcements

Introit and Quieting Our Hearts for Worship

***Call to Worship** (Responsive) from Psalm 43

Vindicate us, O God: defend our cause.

Defend O God from deceit and injustice. Deliver us!

In You, O God, I take refuge:
send us Your light and Your truth;

Let these lead us;
let these bring us to Your holy hill, to Your dwelling.

Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy;

I will praise God with harp, with drum, with voice.

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Service

O god, my God—

In You, O God, is my hope.

In You, O God, is my help.

Let us praise God this day.

Let us praise God my help and my hope.

***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 93** "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School.
Childcare is available in the nursery)

First Lesson Luke 16: 1-13 Pew Bible, p 851

Responsive Reading (Psalm 23)

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

**He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
he leadeth me beside the still waters.**

He restoreth my soul;
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his Name's sake.

**Yea, though I walk through the valley
of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil;
for thou art with me;
thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.**

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;
thou annointest my head with oil;
my cup runneth over.

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*All who are able, please stand.

Notes & News

CHRISTMAS BY THE SEA HOLIDAY FAIR at Elijah Kellogg Church

Christmas By the Sea Holiday Fair: November 2, 2019 9 am-2 pm

The Christmas Fair is about one and a half months away! Be sure you have the date and time marked on your calendars!



Raffle to win this table! The beautifully crafted table, by John Wright, for our **Christmas fair raffle** is all set up in the parlor. Pat Myer will be selling tickets after church. **The cost is \$5 per ticket or 5 for \$20.** Be thinking of who in your family, including yourself, could benefit by winning this gorgeous 6'x3' table. It is made from a sugar maple tree that belonged to Doc and Joan Phillips.

September Food Bank
Donation:
Canned Soup



Pot Roast Supper



with Free Flu Clinic
offered by CHANS!
(Donation or Insurance accepted.)

Saturday, Oct. 19
5-7 pm
at **Elijah Kellogg Church**

Menu: Pot Roast, Potatoes, Peas & Onions, Carrots,
Pickled Beets, Rolls, & Brownie Sundae for dessert!

Prices: \$10 person, \$5 under 12

Location: 917 Harpswell Neck Rd., Harpswell, ME

A portion of the proceeds will go to American Legion Post #171.

Service

Surely goodness and mercy
shall follow me all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem "Standin' in the Need of Prayer/So Glad I'm Here"

Second Lesson Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 Pew Bible p. 619

*Hymn 80 "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

Sermon "Useless Foreign gods" Rev. Joe Connolly

Prayers of the People

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Choral Response

Call to Giving

Offering

*Doxology 515

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn 404 "Take My Life and Let It Be"

*Benediction

Choral Blessing

Postlude

*All who are able, please stand.

Serving You this Morning

Minister	Rev. Joe Connolly
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Cromwell
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	Joe & Anita Mattingly
Ushers	Ben & Amber Skinner
Reader	Ashley Braley
Nursery Attendants	Linda Clement & Zach Perry
Trustee	Eric Wohltjen, 833-0924
Hospitality	Finance Committee



The flowers are given by
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Faith & Family



This month we are collecting WOW items. Items can include dolls, stuffed animals, soccer balls, etc. Remember, it needs to fit inside a shoebox!

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



Notes & News

We are hiring a Nursery Attendant: Elijah Kellogg Church is seeking a church nursery care worker to provide dependable, safe, and nurturing care to children ages 0 - 4 during our regular Sunday morning worship service. 1.5 hours on Sundays with a rate of pay of \$25/day. Must be at least 18 years old. Please call the Church Office for more information.

Help Needed for Tedford Meals: On the fourth Saturday of each month Women's fellowship provides a meal for the Tedford Shelter. One of the Brunswick restaurants supplies the main course and Women's Fellowship provides a salad, bread, and dessert.

Please consider helping with one of these monthly meals. A sign-up sheet can be found on the bulletin board leading to Fellowship Hall. The person delivering the food will contact you and arrange to pick up your contribution. Thank you for your help with this important mission.

Large Print Bibles Available. The Deacons have provided ten large print bibles for church use. They are located in the vestibule on the tables when you enter. Please feel free to use them during the service. You may leave them in your seat when you leave, and the ushers will return them to the vestibule for you. Please give us your comments!

Treasures at the Holiday Fair. If you have donations to give you can place them on the table under the sanctuary. Items we cannot accept include: computers, printers, TVs, or other electronics, furniture, clothing, tapes, CDs, stuffed animals or any items in poor condition. Thank you, Anita Mattingly, & Sharon Kirker.