# SAVE THE DATES



**Vacation Bible School** 

Tuesdays in July July 2, 9, 16, 23 3:00-5:00 pm



FREE Summer Lunch

6 Weeks, M-F July 1-Aug 2, Aug 12-16 12:00-1:00 pm

Elijah Kellogg Church 917 Harpswell Neck Road, Harpswell FMI 833-6026 or elijahkelloggchurch@gmail.com

#### **Church Calendar**

Sunday, May 26 10 am - Sunday Service

11:15 am - Choir practice

Monday, May 27 Memorial Day - Church Office Closed

June Newsletter Articles Due in Office

Wednesday, May 29 7 pm - Cribbage

Thursday, May 30 11 am - Bible Study

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 May 26, 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.

Organ Prelude

**Christian Greetings and Announcements** 

Introit and Quieting our Hearts for Worship

\*Call to Worship (Responsive) (from Psalm 67)

Let the people praise You, O God; let all the peoples praise You.

That your way may be known upon earth, and your saving power among all nations.

Let the people praise You, O God, let all the peoples praise You.

For You judge the people with equity, and guide the nations upon earth.

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\*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.

\*Hymn 251 "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Mission Moment Summer Lunch Program at EKC, Mary Sasso (Children are dismissed to Sunday School.
Child care for young children is available.)

First Lesson

John 14: 1-7

Pew Bible, p 877

**Responsive Reading** (Romans 8)

Those who live according to the flesh set their minds on things of the flesh.

To set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace.

You are not in the flesh; you are in the Spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you.

If Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness.

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.

And if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ.



Saturday, June 29

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Elijah Kellogg Church** 

To rent a table call Anita at: 833-5918

FMI call Sharon at: 833-5533

Do you have items you would like to donate to our sale?

**Drop off times at the Barn:** 

Saturdays: June 8th,

June 15th, 22nd (last day) 10 am-2 pm

Wednesdays: June 5th, 12th, 19th 5-7 pm

Monday: June 17th 5-7 pm

Items that we don't take include: computers, printers, TVs, or other electronics, clothing, bedding, (handmade quilts or afghans are ok), books, magazines, tapes, CDs, stuffed animals or any items in poor condition.

Do you have items of your own you want to sell?

Come join this community sale event by renting a table to showcase your own goods and wares.

Table costs are \$25 each.

### **Serving You this Morning**

Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Cromwell
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	Arnold & Nancy Bennett
Ushers	Ned Pierce, Susan Anderson
Reader	Ken Chutchian
Nursery Attendants	Denise & Zach Perry
Trustee	Chris McIntire 833-3399
Hospitality	Hospitality



The flowers are given by Woody "Alden" Woodbury in loving memory of Syd and Scott Woodbury.

### **Church Contact Information:**

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#### Service

# \*Gloria Patri (#513)

Anthem "There Is a Balm" (Spiritual, arr. Mary McDonald,

Kevin Boesiger)

Second Lesson John 14: 15-27 Pew Bible, p 877

Sermon "I will not leave you orphaned..."

\*Hymn 243 "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine"

# **Prayers of the People and Pastoral Prayer**

**Sharing Joys and Concerns** 

Silent Prayer

**Pastoral Prayer** 

**Choral Response** 

Call to Giving

Offertory

\*Doxology (#515)

## \*Prayer of Dedication

\*Hymn 321 "My God, Accept My Heart This Day"

### \*Benediction

**Choral Blessing** 

Organ Postlude

\*All who are able, please stand.

### **Notes & News**

**Craft Group:** Tuesday May 28 we will meeting in the craft room at 10 am. There are crafts to finish and if anyone has one to share please bring it. If you have any rug covers we can use them for pincushions .If you made any projects at home please bring them to show.

Calling All Cribbage Players! Do you like to play the game? Did you know that there's a friendly, loyal and welcoming group of people from the area who gather monthly here at EKC to play? This month's gathering has been scheduled for Wednesday evening, May 29, at 7 pm, and all are welcome!

The group is also looking for someone to arrange and oversee their gatherings. If you're interested in learning more, or have any questions about the group, please contact Ruth Allen at 833-2970 or akallen131@gmail.com

**VOLUNTEERS WANTED:** 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.

Please welcome Mary Sasso. She will be sharing a Mission Moment with us today informing us about the Summer Lunch Program. . Mary grew up in Harpswell and graduated from Brunswick High School. After graduating from Wheaton College last year she made it her goal to return home and work in service. She is currently the Coordinator for the Summer Food Service Program at Mid Coast Hunger Prevention Program in Brunswick.

Check out the new **"Summer Volunteer Opportunities"** bulletin board located next to the Pastor's office. There you will find times to join the <u>Summer Lunch Program</u>, our <u>VBS</u>, and/or our <u>Mission Week</u>. Sign-up for as many opportunities as you can! If you have any questions, just ask Denise.



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

### 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 Calendar for June 9th** - The Sunday school will lead the worship service celebrating Pentecost, the birthday of the church. After the service, please join us for our annual **All Church Picnic**. Please bring a pot luck dish to share. The Christian Ed board will provide hot dogs and beverages. A sign-up sheet can be located on the "Church Business" bulletin board.

It's time to Reduce, Reuse, Recycle. Help is needed to sort through the Christian Ed supplies that have been stored in our basement for years. We will be working from 9-noon on June 3, 7, and 15 and would welcome your assistance.

**Needed Nursery Attendants for Sunday Services** - During the summer months we continue to offer nursery care for children during the worship service. We are looking for 2 individuals each Sunday to supervise the children. You can speak with Denise or simply sign-up on the sheet located on the "Church Business" bulletin board.

<u>OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:</u> During the months of May & June we will be collecting WOW items for boys and girls ages 2-14. Suggestions include items such as soccer balls w/pumps, dolls, and stuffed animals. <u>Remember, they need to be able to fit inside the shoebox with the other items.</u> If you would like us to purchase the items for you, simply write a check out to EKC with "shoeboxes" in the memo line, and place it in the CE mailbox. WOW items can be placed in the box on the mission table. Thank you!

