

# **Church Calendar**

Sunday, July 01:	10 am - Service	
	11:15 am - Choir practice	
Wednesday, July 04:	Church office closed for holiday.	
Thursday, July 05:	11 am - Bible Study, parlor	
Saturday, July 06:	9 am - 2 pm - Barn Sale!	

Do you have a bulletin announcement? Please submit it by Wednesday, 9 am, the week before. Email to: adminassist@elijahkelloggchurch.org. Thank you. 8



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

> Communion Service July 01, 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 Psalm 1

Blessed are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or stand in the way of sinners.

Their delight is the law of the Lord, and on this law they meditate day and night.

They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in due season.

Their leaves do not whither. In all they do, they prosper.

#### 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 82

"High in the Heavens, Eternal God"

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

First Lesson Matthew 7:24-29 Pew Bible, p. 788

#### **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

"Prayer for My Country" (Penny Rodriguez)

Prayers of the People

Sharing Joys and Concerns Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer Choral Response





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Call to Giving Offertory *Doxology 515					
*Prayer of Dedication					
Second Lesson	Matthew 5:1-12	Pew Bible, p. 785			
Meditation	"Beginning with the End in	n Mind"			
*Hymn	"Jesus, Thou Joy of Lov	<b>ring Hearts"</b> (see page 6)			
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 L	ord, I Go"			
*Benediction					
Choral Blessing					
		*All who are able, please stand.			

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Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Cromwell
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	Ruth Weeks, Rob Porter
Ushers	Rick & Signe Daniel
Reader	Dave Luce
Nursery Attendant	Karin Soderberg
Trustee	David Deinzer, 833-5433
Hospitality	The Braley Family



The flowers today are given in loving memory of Anne Swann Goodrich from all her family.

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#### Notes & News

No directory photos will be taken today.

Craft group does not meet Tuesday, July 3rd.

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

Greeters for July 8: Lew & Krista Hinman

Ushers for July 8: Herb Ferris, Dave Fitzgerald

**Bake Sale at the Barn Sale, July 7th:** Women's Fellowship will be having their Scrumptious Bake Sale under the tent at the Barn Sale. Donations of home-baked goodies from your kitchen help us provide scholarships for youngsters to attend Harpswell Community Nursery School. We will be at the church from 7:30 am on July 7 to accept your welcome donations. Then please be sure to stop by and shop on the day of the sale! Any questions or offers of help can be directed to: Janice Maranda at (207) 409-1681, or (207) 751-8608, or at: jmaranda734@gmail.com.



July Food Bank Donation: Canned Fruit

# 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

**7 more individuals needed** to spend just 45 minutes sharing time with the youth during our "Getting to Know You" Summer Sunday's (10:15-11am). This is an informal time to talk, tell stories, play games, ask questions ... a time to get to know each other. Please consider giving the gift of yourself to the youth of our church. Sign-up is on the bulletin board in the hallway.

**Cardboard boxes needed!** Cereal boxes, packing boxes, boxes of all sizes. We will be using them for our VBS in August. Boxes can be placed in the room marked, "Creation Station".

**NEEDED: Brochures, maps,** places of interest in Harpswell and the Greater Brunswick area. These resources will be made available to the Mission Group that we are hosting the week of July 15th.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** – So far, we have collected enough "WOW" items to fill 25 boxes! During the month of June, we will continue to collect t-shirts, pajamas, and undies for boys and girls ages 2-14 to add to those WOW items. Please place your donations in the box on the mission table. Thank you!

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

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