

# **July Food Bank Donation:**

# **Canned Fruit**

Baskets are located in Fellowship Hall and in the front of the Sanctuary.

Thank you!

**Your Board of Missions** 

### **Church Calendar**

Sunday, July 09: 9:30 am - Bell Choir Practice

10 am - Service

11:15 am - Choir Practice

**Thursday, July 13:** 11 am - Bible Study, parlor

Saturday, July 15: 11 am - Virginia Crawford's memorial, here



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

> Sunday Service July 09, 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) Psalm 85

Let me hear what the Lord will speak, for God will speak peace to His people.

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other.

Faithfulness will spring up from the ground, and righteousness look down from the sky.

Righteousness will go before Him, and make a path for His steps.

#### 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 251 "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

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

First Lesson

Matthew 6:5-15

Pew Bible, p. 787

**Responsive Reading - from Colossians 3** 

Since you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above.

Set your minds on things above, not on things on earth.

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness and humility.

Bear with one another, and forgive each other, just as the Lord has forgiven you.

Let the Word of God dwell in you richly.

And whatever you do, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.



# A Great Way to Socialize

Lunch with Friends...

was piloted by HAH on Bailey Island for 11 Tuesdays during the winter. Over 400 free meals were served. Lunches were hosted by seven community groups and a number of individuals. It was a great opportunity to greet old friends and make new ones. At the 4th luncheon, one woman commented, "These lunches mean so much to me. Getting together with friends and sharing good food is wonderful. I look forward to it each week."

The May Lunch with Friends had a special guest, Melinda Richter, from the Island Candy Company. Melinda gave a truffle-making demonstration followed by each of the 48 attendees putting the finishing touches on their own truffle.

Lunch with Friends will continue this fall at the Merriconeag Grange Hall and the Bailey Island Church with at least two events per month. If you or your group would like to host an event, please contact Surrey Hardcastle at 207-833-0092.

# Have a Few Hours to Spare This Summer?

Volunteering with HAH is a great way to meet new people, get connected, and make a difference.
Sign up on our website www.hah.community or email hah@hah.community.



# Harpswell Walks for 50+ Third Wednesdays at 1 p.m.

Interested in an easy guided walk on some of Harpswell's beautiful trails? Harpswell 50+ walks are a great way to spend time outdoors, walk on mostly level ground, meet new people and have fun. Join Harpswell Aging at Home, Harpswell Heritage Land Trust, and Harpswell Recreation on the third Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. Transportation and hiking poles are available if needed. If you need transportation, call the Volunteer Transportation Network (VTN) at 729-0757. Be sure to register with VTN in advance. Participants are limited to 15. Please register for the walks in advance by calling Linda Strickland at the Harpswell Town Office at 833-5771.

Wednesday, July 19, 1 p.m. at the Giant's Stairs Trail and McIntosh Lot Preserve. This is a walk of approx. 1/2 mile, round trip, along a mostly even dirt path and road. Views are spectacular! Please park at Johnson Field Preserve, 25 Abner Point Road. A shuttle service to the trail head will be provided.

Wednesday, August 16, 1 p.m. along Pott's Point Road to Pott's Point Preserve. This is a walk of approx. 3/4 mile, round trip, along a dirt road. At the very end there is a short trail to the beach at Pott's Point Preserve. Parking is located at the very southern end of Harpswell Neck Road. Park by the side of the road, but please do not block access to any buildings or businesses.

Wednesday, September 20, 1 p.m. at Curtis Farm Preserve.

This is a walk of approx. 1/2 mile on a level and even trail around a field, including a spur trail to a large glacial erratic nicknamed "The Pebble." Parking is located at 1554 Harpswell Neck Road. Look for a sign.

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# Chicken BBQ



at Elijah Kellogg Church

# Prices:

\$10.00 per Person \$6.00 for Children 10 & under

# **Location:**

Elijah Kellogg Church 917 Harpswell Neck Rd. Harpswell, Maine

FMI call: 833-6026

# Menu:

Chicken, Salads, Watermelon, Chips, Lemonade, Water, and Cupcakes.

## Service

### \*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem "How Can I Keep from Singing"

(American Folk Hymn, arr. Andy Beck)

Second Lesson Romans 8:9-17 Pew Bible, p. 919

Sermon "Our Father..."

\*Hymn 485 "This Is My Father's World"

Prayers of the People

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer Choral Response

Call to Giving

Offertory

\*Doxology 515

# \*Prayer of Dedication

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

## \*Benediction

Choral Blessing

Postlude

\*All who are able, please stand.

## Serving You this Morning

Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Quimby
Choir Director	Kate Huntington Gray
Greeters	Greeters
Ushers	Patty & Paul O'Brien Carrier
Reader	Janice Maranda
Nursery Attendants	Denise Perry
Trustee	Morgan Sanford, 751-6251
Hospitality	Hospitality



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## **Notes & News**

**Craft Group meets on Tuesdays** from 10 am until 12 noon in the craft room. We will be making Dryer Balls Tuesday, July 25th upstairs in the church. Elly and Susan

Virginia Crawford's memorial is Saturday, July 15th, here at 11 am.

Annual Chicken BBQ is Saturday, July 22, 5-7 pm! Volunteers needed! Sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. Come join the fun!!

The next Habitat connect will be on July 19 to provide lunches for 12 college students volunteering at House #44 on Hope Lane in Brunswick. If you can help with sandwiches, chips or cookies, please sign up on the bulletin board. Thank you again for being part of this exciting covenant. Alicia and Karin

# 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

Casual Sunday School. NEEDED!!! Caring adults to worship with the children a Sunday (or two) this summer, to share a story and have fun doing games or activities together. All materials are prepared for you. Please see Denise for any questions. The sign-up sheet is located on the bulletin board in the hall-way.

August 7-11 - God's Galaxy ... With God every mission is possible. Our Summer Days Vacation Bible School will run from 9am-noon. Help us spread the news - let's go fishing for children ages 3 to10. Older children are welcome to come and help too. Registration forms are available in the office. FMI contact Denise.

"Dear Auntie Denise and the Congregation, I just wanted to take a moment and say thank you to everyone for all of the birthday wishes. It means a lot to me that you all took time from your busy lives to wish me a happy birthday, and I feel very blessed to have each and every one of you. Thank you again for thinking of me on my special day. Your caring child, Beatriz Dimain."

