Country Store at the Holiday Fair, Saturday, Nov. 3.

There is a chill in the air and fall is near! Once again it's that time of the year to stock the shelves at the Country Store with those delicious home canned items. New proprietors Dana and Sally Clark are seeking your help in stocking the shelves!

Dana and I have already been busy canning dill pickles, icicle pickles, old fashion corn relish, hot dog relish, Dutch mustard cauliflower, blueberry jam, raspberry jam.

Dana's job is to put the covers on and tighten them, then hide them from the kids. They keep asking when they are receiving their share and we tell them SORRY your share is going to the church this year.

Any donations will be greatly appreciated: pickles, relishes, jams, jellies, and any home canned items, (spaghetti sauce, chili, vegetables.) YOU CAN IT AND WE WILL SELL IT!!

How about homemade fudge: Does anyone make Divinity Fudge? Or Potato Fudge? All flavors accepted! Or Caramel Apples-Popcorn Balls-Chocolates-Peanut Brittle-Old Fashion Taffy-Caramels -Apple Pies-Apple Turnovers-Homemade Breads-Baked Beans??

IF YOU HAVE LEFTOVER GARDEN VEGETABLES TO SPARE THE COUNTRY STORE HAS A SPOT FOR THEM IN AN OLD-FASHION BASKET.

We will also be selling: Vermont Cheddar Cheese, and Marion Sage's Cheesecake by the slice (48 years ago I attended a Christmas fair and they were selling this cheesecake. I asked the lady if she would give me the recipe, she thought a few minutes and had me write my name and address down, two weeks later I received the recipe. It has been a family favorite ever since!)

There will be other items for sale at the Country Store. If you have any homemade country items you would like to donate, we would appreciate receiving them to sell at the Country Store.

Thank you in advance for all of your support, and we hope to see all of you at the Country Store with smiles and handshakes. Hugs are free!

PS: There will be a sign up sheet on the bulletin board to help us keep track of what we are receiving. If you have any questions call us at 207-576-9019 or email us at <u>zepher63@outlook.com</u>.

See you in church! Sally

Church Calendar

Sunday, Sep. 23:	10 am - Service		
	11:15 am - Choir practice		
Monday, Sep. 24:	Newsletter info due to office.		
Wednesday, Sep. 26:	7 pm - Cribbage, Fellowship Hall		
Thursday, Sep. 27:	11 am - Bible Study, parlor		
Saturday, Sept. 29:	29: 9a-2p - ARC Blood Drive, Fellowship Hall		
	9a-1p - Stephen Ministry Workshop, East Auburn Baptist Church		

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

> Sunday Service September 23, 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 100

Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into His presence with singing!

Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and come into His courts with praise!

For the Lord is good. His mercy is from everlasting to everlasting.

And His truth endures for all generations.

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

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 114 "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates"

Children's Time

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

First Lesson Matthew 7:21-23 Pew Bible, p. 788

Responsive Reading from Psalm 24

The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it; the world and all that lives within it.

For He has founded it on the seas, and established it on the rivers.

Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord, and who shall stand in His holy place?

Those who have clean hands and pure hearts; who do not lift up their souls to what is false, and do not swear deceitfully.

They will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the God of their salvation.

Such is the company of those who seek Him, who seek the face of God.



Saturday, Oct.13 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.



Every 2 seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood. American Red Cross

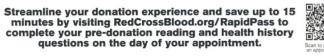
Blood Drive Elijah Kellogg Church

Parish Hall 917 Harpswell Neck Road Harpswell, ME 04079

Saturday, September 29, 2018 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Please call David at 607-3576 or below.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org and enter: 'HarpswellME' to schedule an appointment.



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Service

*Gloria Patri 513				
Anthem	"Songs of Peace" (arr. Joseph Martin)			
Second Lesson	James 3:1-12	Pew Bible, p. 981		
Sermon	"Faith and Words"			
*Hymn 234	"Breathe on Me, Br	eath of God"		
Prayers of the People Sharing Joys and Concerns Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer Choral Response				
Call to Giving Offertory * Doxology	515			
*Prayer of Dedication				
*Hymn 397	"Lord, Speak to Me	, that I May Speak"		
*Benediction				
Choral Blessing				
Postlude				

*All who are able, please stand.

Serving You this Morning

Minister	Rev. John Carson	
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry	
Pianist	Clarissa Brown	
Choir Director	Sue Luce	
Greeters	Ernie Machesney, Elizabeth Dyer	
Ushers	Win Gillis, Joe Mattingly	
Reader	Ned Pierce	
Nursery Attendants	Sue Ferris	
Trustee	Dick Collins, 725-2881	
Hospitality	Hospitality	



The flowers today are given by Virginia Wright in loving memory of Frank Wright.

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Notes & News

Craft group meets this Tuesday at 10 am. Sally Clark will be here to work on jewelry.

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

We will be having our Fall Blood Drive on Saturday, Sept. 29th, here from 9 am-2 pm. You can register at redcrossblood.org or call David at 607-3576 to reserve a time, or for more info.

Stephen Ministry Workshop is Saturday, Sept. 29th, 9 am-1 pm at the East Auburn Baptist Church in Auburn. This half-day workshop features Session 1: Ministering to Those Experiencing Grief: Session 2: An Introduction to Stephen Ministry; Session 3: How to Care in a Distinctively Christian Way. The church has reserved space for 4 or more...

Greeters for September 30: Doc & Joan Phillips

Ushers for September 30: Elizabeth & Art Dyer

Pot Roast Public Supper is Sunday, October 13th. We still need 1 crock pot, and many helping hands to prepare the vegetables, carve the meat, set up the dining room, and clean up after the supper. Please indicate how you can help on the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. American Legion Post #171 will be serving the dinner and receiving a portion of the proceeds. CHANS will be offering a free flu clinic during the supper.

Will you join our Mission Team? Our first Mission Day is happening on Saturday, Oct. 27. Independence Association has opportunities for volunteers to help with fall clean-up and yard maintenance at many of their housing facilities. Please let Pastor John or Denise know if you want to be part of this outreach. There is also a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Let's go out and help our neighbors!

Nov. 3rd is our Christmas By the Sea Fair!! The Craft ladies have been busy making ornaments, handmade items and more. A few items have already been collected for the silent auction. Now is the time to be making pickles, jams, & jelly for the Country Store. Are you thinking of cleaning the attic or downsizing? Keep the treasures committee in mind for your unwanted items. Are you willing to bake for the bake sale or help with the chowder/lobster roll luncheon? Think of how you can contribute in helping to make the fair a big success and have fun too!! Fair Co-Chairs: Mickey Maidl, Kay Hunter 865-2280, Joan Philips 729-6110. Thank you!

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

Operation Christmas Child – Contributions for our shoeboxes have been amazing! During the month of September donations are school items, please place in the box on the mission table. We are also accepting donations for shipping expenses. Each box costs \$9 to ship. Please place your donations in the collection plate, or place it in the Christian Education mailbox, or mail it to the church (917 Harpswell Neck Rd.) Thank you!

Do you want to snuggle with an infant? We are in need of someone to care for Merritt Ravenscroft in the nursery on Nov. 25th. Please let Denise know if you are able to help.

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