

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 zepher63@outlook.com.

See you in church! Sally

Church Calendar

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| Sunday, Oct. 14: | 10 am - Service
11:15 am - Choir practice
2-4 pm - HCNS Fall Gathering, outside |
| Monday, Oct. 15: | 1 pm - Book Group, parlor |
| Tuesday, Oct. 16: | 7 pm - Council Meeting
(Rev. Carson on vacation Oct. 17-24) |
| Thursday, Oct. 18: | 12:15 pm - Harpswell Garden Club, F.H. |

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
October 14, 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 105

Give thanks to the Lord,
and call on His Name.

**Make known His deeds
among all people.**

Sing to Him. Sing praise to Him.
Tell all His wonderful works.

**Glory in His holy name. Let the hearts
of those who seek the Lord rejoice!**

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 206 “Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim”**

Children’s Time

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

First Lesson Hebrews 4:12-16 Pew Bible, p. 972

Responsive Reading from the Wisdom of Solomon

I prayed and understanding was given to me.
I called upon God, and Wisdom came to me.

**I preferred her to scepters and thrones, and
counted wealth as nothing in comparison.**

Neither did I liken her to any precious gem,

because all gold is but a little sand in her sight.

I chose to have her rather than light,
because her radiance never ceases.

**All good things came to me along with her,
and in her hands is uncounted wealth.**

**The Christmas by the Sea Holiday Fair is only
a few weeks away—Saturday, Nov. 3, 9a-2p!!**

Below is the list of people who have agreed to chair this year's exciting booths. Be sure you have the date and time marked on your calendar. Please volunteer to help in any of the areas below. This is an all church event and many hands are needed to make the fair a great success. Thank you to all!

- Greeter** - Susan Ferris
- Luncheon** - Pat Moody, Vicki Stevens
- Country Store** - Sally & Dana Clark
- Baked Goods** - Louise Huntington
- Crafts** - Susan Carson, Elly Carey
- Treasures** - Sharon Kirker
- Silent Auction** - Patty & Paul O'Brien Carrier
- Healthy Houseplants** - Carolyn Bachman
- Signage** - Carrie Bubier
- Advertising** - Amber Skinner
- Set up/ Take down** - Linda Clement, Ruth Smith
- Credit Card Sales** - Tom Bachman
- Money Management** - Bill Hunter, Sue Luce
- Kellogg Kids** - Denise Perry
- Hotdogs** - Kim Braley
- Parking** - ?
- Fair Co-Chairs:** Mickey Maidl, Kay Hunter 865-2280, Joan Philips 729-6110

**DOES ANYONE HAVE
EXTRA PILLOWCASES?**

I am asking our church family for used pillowcases in good condition to donate to a group of ladies in the RV park where we winter. For years, the ladies have used the pillowcases to make dresses for the girls and as of last year, they made a pattern for boy’s shorts too. They aim to make 200-300 items per year and send to Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Missions. You can see the great need for pillowcases to achieve this mission. I will put a container in fellowship hall for the pillowcases. You have until the end of November to make donations as I am leaving the first of December and will be taking them with me. Thank you in advance for helping make this project a reality! Ruth Allen

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 **October donations are small toys**, please place in the box on the mission table. See below for suggested items. 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.)

Toy suggestions include: Hacky sack, finger puppets, slinky, etch-a-sketch, dress-up items, plastic animals, yo-yos, small Frisbees, small kites, kaleidoscopes, marbles, play cars/trucks/boats.

**Don’t forget to grab your Clynk bag
& recycle your returnable bottles/cans
for Beatriz!**

Thank You!



**October Food Bank Donation:
Canned Meals**

CHRISTMAS BY THE SEA HOLIDAY FAIR

at Elijah Kellogg Church
Saturday, November 3, 2018
9 am - 2 pm



Co-Chairs:
Kay Hunter, 865-2280
Joan Phillips, 729-6110
Mickey Maidl

Hand-made Crafts
Treasures
Silent Auction
Home-made Baked Goods
Country Store with jams, jellies,
cheese, candies and much, much more.

with:

Lobster Roll, Fish Chowder
lunch beginning at 11am!

Credit Cards Accepted!

Location: 917 Harpswell Neck Rd., Harpswell FMI: 833-6026

Service

*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem "For the Beauty of the Earth"
(arr. Phillip Keveren)

Second Lesson Mark 10:17-22, (23-31) Pew Bible, p. 822

Sermon "Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said,
'You lack one thing; go sell what you own,
give to the poor... then, come, follow me.'"

*Hymn "All to Jesus I Surrender" (see insert)

Prayers of the People
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

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	Mickey Maidl, Linda Clement
Ushers	Ned Pierce, Eric Wohltjen
Reader	Gail Johnson
Nursery Attendants	Karin Soderberg
Trustee	Ben Skinner, 833-6386
Hospitality	Music / Carol



*The flowers today are given
by Lisa Secone in loving
memory of Jane & Gerry Gott
on their anniversary.*

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Notes & News

We will be taking church directory photos after church today, if the weather is permitting we will take them outside. If you have not had yours taken yet, please come do so!! Denise and Elly

Book Group meets tomorrow, here at 1 pm in the parlor. The featured book is *The Hidden Life of Trees* by Peter Wohlleben.

Craft Group—on Tuesdays, October 16th and 30th, we will meet at 10 am in the craft room to get items already made organized for the fair. Elly

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

Nor’easters Barbershop Chorus’ 52nd Annual Show, is Saturday, Oct. 20th, 2 pm at the United Methodist Church, 320 Church Rd., Brunswick. Tickets at the door. FMI call Lee Johnson at 841-2603.

Greeters for October 21: Dick & Jane Collins

Ushers for October 21: Dana McIntire, Ann McIntire

Sunday, Oct. 21st the Deacons invite you to join them for lunch in Fellowship Hall after the service. We will be serving soup made by Dick Moseley, and bread. We hope that you will be able to stay and join us for fellowship, friends, and good food!

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 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!

Women’s fellowship will be held Tuesday, October 30th, at 11 am, instead of Tuesday, November 6th. (I made a mistake and wrote the 24th in the newsletter.) At this meeting, we will be pricing items made for the craft table.

Would you like to have a family portrait done by Tom Jones? Tom is planning to have family portrait sessions held on Sundays during the month of October—right here after the worship services!! Please call Tom at 522-1247 for pricing and scheduling. All proceeds go to EKC.

Christmas Fair Luncheon. Plan to shop at all the wonderful Christmas Fair displays, then relax and enjoy a delicious luncheon featuring lobster rolls, fish chowder, egg salad sandwiches, hotdogs, and homemade pies. **But, before we can tempt you with all of the above**, we need your help! If you can provide a pie, please add your name to the list that’s posted in the hallway. If you are able to help with the shelling of lobsters on Wednesday, Oct. 31 at 9:30am, please sign the lobster list that is also in the hallway. On the following day, Nov.1, we will be peeling potatoes and onions at 2:30pm. That sign-up sheet is with the others or you may speak to Vicki Stevens (729-8315) or Pat Moody (833-5535). Many thanks for your help!

If you have healthy houseplants that are taking up too much space or that could be divided to share, please consider donating them to the Holiday Fair! We will have a table set up for houseplants only. *Please do not donate outside plants.* Thank you!!

Treasures at the Holiday Fair. As you may have heard, we will be using the old fellowship hall and classrooms under the sanctuary for Treasures this year. As exciting as this is, it also means a lot of extra work getting the area presentable for the public. We have had a large number of donations and will have many more before Nov. 1st. There are many jobs to be done—cleaning, sorting, and displaying in the next several weeks. Then pricing after that! This is a call for all hands on deck. **If you can help, work days are: Oct. 15, 17, 19, 9 am to noon.** If you have donations to give you can place them on the table in the downstairs hall (at the bottom of the backstairs). Thank you, Sharon Kirker, 833-5533.