

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Pot Luck Fellowship: TODAY!

November Birthdays:

21st Sandy Gagnon
26th Rebecca Hios



Due to so much going on and with the holiday season quickly approaching, the decision was made to postpone the ladies' Bible class until January 2014.

SNACKS?

November 10: Sampson

November 17: Gagnon

Ladies Bread Ministry

November 10: Jan Sampson

POINTS TO PONDER:

"Worship is enjoying the presence of God."

Numbers for 11/3/13

Attendance - 22

Contribution - \$461.10

BULLETIN ITEMS: If you have a prayer request or an announcement for the bulletin, please contact Terry Schmidt at 284-9191 or e-mail at tls654b@ghi.net Thank you! ☺



Shortest New Testament Prayer:
"Lord, save me!"
The Apostle Peter - (Matt 14:30)

Order of Worship

"Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith...."

- Hebrews 10: 22 -

Song Leader:

Nate Hios

Song

Opening Prayer:

Tony Grant

Song

Scripture Reading:

Nate Hios - Psalm 94:16-23

Song

The Lord's Supper:

George Nick & Wayne Sampson

Contribution

Song

Sermon:

Terry Schmidt — "Pride"

Song

Announcements:

Terry Schmidt

Closing Prayer:

Wayne Sampson

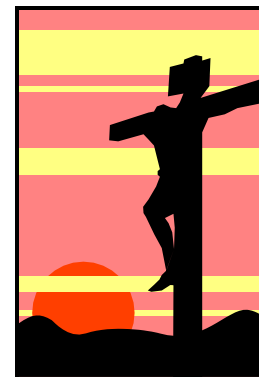
Greeters: *Nate and/or Rebecca Hios*

Lord's Supper Prep: *Betty Schmidt*

Southern Maine Church of Christ

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November 10, 2013

Sunday Assembly Times:

9:30 am - Bible Classes for all ages

10:30 am—Worship

6:00—Bible Study

Wednesday Assembly:

7:00 - Bible Study for all ages

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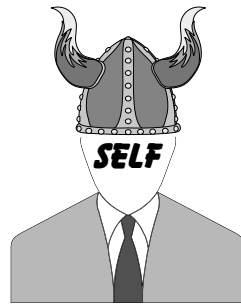
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Prayer Requests:

- Anthony - hole in his neck healing well; having surgery on December 20 to remove cyst
- Dorothy Boone (Terrill's relation) - now in the hospital and very frail; needs long-term care
- Cambrie - 9 month old undergoing her 3rd heart surgery when doctors give OK
- Caren - that paperwork to go to South Africa in June is processed speedily
- Carrie (Sandy's daughter)- diagnosed with an auto-immune disease; currently undergoing chemo-therapy
- Chuck (friend of Ernie & Terry S.) -requests prayers for strength in dealing with the loss of his mother
- Bob Cook - home from the hospital, regaining his strength and doing much better
- Paul & Sandy and family - Paul is now at the River Ridge Center in Kennebunk and making good progress with his rehabilitation
- Sandy Gagnon - prayers for right foot to heal
- Janice Grabowski - had gall bladder surgery on 11/4, but with some complications
- Heather (friend of Vivian) - facing some rather challenging circumstances
- Terry Kennedy - prayers for continued healing from knee replacement surgery
- Kim Murray & family (friend of Amber) - 2 year old son Tripp has a very aggressive form of cancer; undergoing aggressive chemo-therapy; prognosis is not good
- Nick Family - prayers for strength
- Ariana (George & Caren's granddaughter) - prayers for serious health issues
- Philip (Terry & Betty's son) - experiencing difficulties & challenging circumstances
- Prayers for our nation (1 Timothy 2:1-3)
- Jan Sampson - prayers for her ankle to heal
- Prayers for WBS students
- Continued prayers for church growth
- Prayers for those not with us today



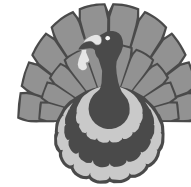
The Problem of "Self"

In John 3:30, John the Baptist made a short but profound statement when he said of Jesus Christ, "He must increase, but I must decrease." We live in a world of selfishness, self-centeredness and self-gratification. In such a world, it's quite easy for us to become filled and consumed with self-interest.

But God's word says, "Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others" (Philippians 2:4). In order for us to survive spiritually in this materialistic world, the influence of Jesus in our lives must increase, while the influence of self must decrease. Our attitude needs to become the same as that of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ (Philippians 2:5). The question is, how is this accomplished?

The answer is seemingly simple, but difficult to realize. We must die to "self!" (Luke 9:23; John 12:22-26). And dying to self is not easy and doesn't just happen. Dying to self is a process involving daily self-examination, self-control, and self-denial. Because only when we are emptied of ourselves (of our own self-will as it is opposed to God's will), can God fill us with the character, nature, and personality of Jesus Christ (Romans 8:29; 2 Corinthians 3:18; 2 Peter 1:4). May we fully cooperate with God as He seeks to conform us into the image of His blessed Son!

— Terry Schmidt ✍



THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

It was decided at the Men's Business Meeting last Sunday that the church put together 6 Thanksgiving baskets and 6 Christmas baskets. The church will provide the perishable items such as: 5# potatoes, rolls and squash. Turkeys are being donated. Each family is asked to bring 1 or 2 of each of the items on the list and put them in the barrel at the building. Please buy only specified amount. Your donations are greatly appreciated. Monetary donations will also be accepted. If you know someone who needs a basket, contact Nancy. If you are interested in making a bread to put in the basket, contact Betty.

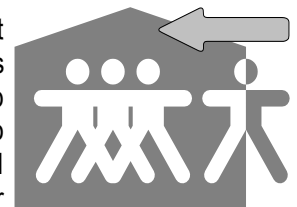
FOR 11/10/13

1-15 oz can of corn
1-15 oz can of peas and carrots
1-15 oz can cranberry sauce
1 bag or box of turkey stuffing
for a 15# to 20# turkey

FOR 11/17/13

1 can cream of mushroom soup
2-14 oz cans of green beans (not French cut)
10 oz French fried onion

Our sister in Christ Linda Woodruff desires to place membership here. We are pleased to have her with us and welcome her to our spiritual family! ☺



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New Member!