



Ladies' Corner

Ladies Bible Class: will be Sunday, October 5 during the men's meeting. We will continue with our study of Rebekah.

Nursing Home: Our next visit will be Thursday, October 9 at 9:30 am.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Men's Business Meeting:** Sunday, October 5, after services
- **Potluck Fellowship:** Sunday, October 12, after services

September Birthdays:

28th – Bethany Boucher

30th – Red Fraser

SNACKS!

Sept. 28: Amber
Oct. 5: Shirley

Ladies Bread Ministry

October 5: Susana

~ UPCOMING EVENTS ~

Kittery Gospel Meeting

with Ian McGuiggan

Sept 28 — Oct 1

Northern New England Lectures

Lakes Region Church of Christ
Tilton, NE — October 10-12

- GOSPEL MEETING ATTENDANCE -

Sun AM—21 Sun PM—18 Mon—32

Tues—20 Wed—13

Order of Worship

September 28, 2014

"Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord."

- Colossians 3:16 -

Song Leader: *Nate Hios*

Song

Opening Prayer: *Henry Terrill*

Song

Scripture Reading: *George Nick*

- Colossians 3:12-14 -

Song

The Lord's Supper:

George Nick & Tony Grant

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Brent Newton*

"The Christian's Dress Code"

Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:

Wayne Sampson

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Greeter: *Henry and/or Karolyn Terrill*

Lord's Supper Prep: *Jan Sampson*

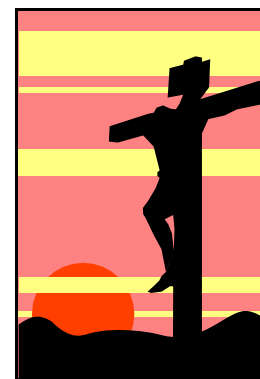
# Southern Maine Church of Christ

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**September 28, 2014**

## 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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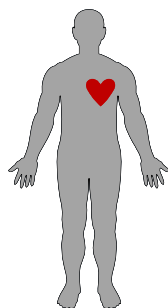
## Prayer Requests:

- Blake - recently diagnosed with Lyme Disease
- Lesley (Rebecca's friend) - please pray for strength for Lesley & healing for her husband
- Micho (Blake's uncle) - recently suffered a stroke at age 48; please pray for full recovery
- Nate Hios - suffering with bronchitis
- Paul & Sandy - Paul at River Ridge doing well & making steady progress. Sandy is back at River Ridge after successful hip replacement surgery and is doing well; now in rehab; thanks for your continued prayers!
- Paula Kennedy - experiencing back problems and in a lot of pain; MRI revealed a torn disk in lower back; currently undergoing PT
- Terry Kennedy - has knee surgery scheduled for November 5th; pray for good results
- Ernie Perry - health issues & concerns
- Priscilla (Kathy's friend) - stage four stomach cancer; her condition is worsening
- Rebecca & Caren - as teachers, their school situations are very challenging
- Taylor Moseley (Susana's grandson) - part of a team programming drones sent overseas to bomb the enemy; pray that God will guide them as they shoulder this big responsibility
- Matthew Sampson - recently experienced a self-inflicted gunshot wound in left femur while cleaning a gun; surgery removed bullet and repaired damaged femur; is now home; healing will be about two months
- Please pray for our nation (1 Timothy 2:1-3)
- Please pray for those not with us today

**Note:** Items not regularly updated will be removed at the end of each month. Thank you.



In the busiest and noisiest part of your day, become quiet before God and you will be blessed.



## A Vessel Fit for the Master's Use

In 2 Timothy 2:20, the Apostle Paul uses a familiar metaphor to describe God's servants—*vessels*. The Zondervan Bible


Dictionary defines the word “vessel” employed in this verse as “a person used as an instrument of God's will.” That's a great definition! God desires to use us as vessels for His glory, as instruments in His hands to accomplish His good purpose.

Specifically in this verse, Paul contrasts two distinct categories of household vessels: those of gold and silver—for *honor*; and those of wood and clay—for *dishonor*. There are not many of us who would desire to be included in the category of *dishonor*. Most, would definitely want to be included in the *honor* category. But in order for this to happen, we must cooperate with God and cleanse ourselves from something (v. 21).

*“Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity”* (v. 19).

*“Flee also youthful lusts; but pursue righteousness, faith, love, peace with a pure heart”* (v. 22).

When we render obedience to God in this all important area of our lives, the Scripture says we will be “a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work” (v. 21). Now that's the category you and I want to be in! Vessels used as instruments of God's will to accomplish His good purpose and bring Him glory! (Ephesians 3:20-21). — **Terry Schmidt** ✍



### WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS FOR OCTOBER

Opening Prayer:  
Tony Grant

Scripture Reading:  
George Nick

Lord's Supper:  
Wayne Sampson & Terry Schmidt

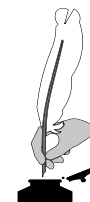
Announcements/Prayer: George Nick

Greeter: Tony and/or Nancy Grant

Lord's Supper Prep: Betty Schmidt

Dearest Church Family,

I do not know where to begin. There is so much to say in regards to the loving, caring and giving of this church family. Paul & I are so blessed to be a part of it.



There have been many hills and valleys along the way! Some were extremely difficult to say the least. But...the Lord is ever present, and keeping our hope, trust and faith in Him is the one and only answer!

Thanks from our hearts to all for being who you are...and again we are so gratefully thankful!



In Christian love — Sandy & Paul

## 😊 Welcome Visitors! 😊

We are glad you have come to worship with us today. We want you to know that you are welcome. Please don't hesitate to ask if you have questions or if we can help you in any way. Please fill out a visitor's card and sign our guest book before you depart. Have a great week!