



Ladies' Corner

Nursing Home: Our next Nursing Home visit will be Thurs, August 14 at 9:30 am. All ladies are welcome.

Your beauty should come from the inside. It should come from the heart. This is the kind that lasts. Your beauty should be a gentle and quiet spirit. In God's sight this is of great worth and no amount of money can buy it. — 1 Peter 3:4

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Next Men's Business Meeting:**
Sunday, August 3rd, after services

Birthdays:

29th – Shirley Boucher
6th – Scott Colvin
13th - Janice Grabowski
14th - Robert (Susana's husband)
14th – Wayne Sampson

Happy Anniversary:

Eric & Janice — 14th
Nate & Rebecca — 3rd
Chuck & Martha Shaffer — 7th
Mike & Teal — 20th

SNACKS!

July 27: Betty
August 3: Amber

Ladies Bread Ministry

July 27: Nancy

Numbers for 7/20/14

Attendance - 34
Contribution - \$634.

Order of Worship

July 27, 2014

"Salvation to our God who sits upon the throne,
and unto the Lamb." And all...fell before the
throne on their faces, and worshiped God,
Saying, "Amen: Blessing, and glory, and wisdom,
and thanksgiving, and honor, and power, and
might, be unto our God forever and ever. Amen."
- Revelation 7:10-12 -

Song Leader: *Nate Hios*

Song

Opening Prayer: *George Nick*

Song

Scripture Reading: *George Nick*
~ Colossians 3:1-4 ~

Song

The Lord's Supper:
Henry Terrill & Wayne Sampson
- 1 Corinthians 11:23-29 -

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*
"Since You Have Been Raised With Christ"

Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:
Tony Grant

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Greeter: *Henry and/or Karolyn Terrill*

Lord's Supper Prep: *Betty Schmidt*

# Southern Maine Church of Christ

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July 27, 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:

- Anthony (Paula's Dad) - has Sarcoma bone cancer
- Caren: suffering w/ chronic fatigue syndrome
- Nate: suffering with severe allergies; asthma
- Paul & Sandy - Paul at River Ridge doing well & making steady progress. Sandy is progressing well; please pray for hip-joint replacement surgery once doctors give the OK
- Rosemary Johnson (sister in Christ) - daughter Pamelyn had surgery to remove cyst and is doing fine; thanks for your prayers
- Terry Kennedy - has resumed PT for her knee; prayers for better movement and less pain
- Priscilla (Kathy's friend) - stage four stomach cancer
- Wealthie - recently suffered angina attacks
- 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.



## POINTS TO PONDER:

"Heaven is a prepared place for a prepared people." (see Jn 14:1-3)

## ~ UPCOMING EVENTS ~

### Gander Brook "Family of Faith" Encampment 2014

August 29 — September 1

### Gander Brook Ladies' Retreat

September 11-13

### Gander Brook Men's Retreat

September 18-20

### Gospel Meeting w/ Brent Newton

"Questions for the Soul"

September 21-24

## It's All in What You're Looking For

The story is told of a service station owner who had his young attendant with him at the pumps serving his customers one day. A man drove into the station and asked the owner, "What kind of people do you have in this town?" The owner then asked, "What kind of people were in the town you came from?" "Oh," he replied, "they were the nicest, friendliest, most kind and loving group of people you'd ever want to meet!" "Well," said the owner, "I'm glad to say you'll find the same kind of people in this town!"

A short while later another man drove into the station and asked, "Hey, what kind of people do you have in this town?" The owner again asked, "What kind of people were in the town you came from?" "Oh," replied the man, "they were the meanest, nastiest, most unkind and inconsiderate bunch of people you'd ever want to meet!" "Well," said the owner, "I'm afraid you're going to find the same kind of people in this town."

After the man drove away, the young attendant expressed his confusion and bewilderment. "How could you give both those men such different answers to the same question?" he asked the owner. The wise man answered, "Son, you're going to find what you're looking for!"

The truth of this man's observation is echoed by the divinely inspired men of the Bible. The apostle Paul notes in 1 Corinthians 13 that agape' love always looks for the best in others. The Christ-follower will make it a habit to look for the good in others and strive to build them up — not tear them down (2 Corinthians 13:10; 1 Thessalonians 5:11). Solomon, the wisest mortal who ever lived says, "Whoever looks for good will find kindness. But whoever looks for evil will find trouble." (Proverbs 11:27 - NCV).

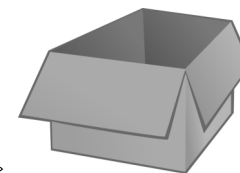
Paul, in addressing the Colossians said, "If you then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sits on the right hand of God" (Colossians 3:1).

We are to focus on and be most concerned with spiritual things which are eternal and of greatest importance (1 Corinthians 2:12-15; 2 Corinthians 4:18). We are to set our "minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God" (Colossians 3:2-3). "So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation" (Hebrews 9:28). Yes, "it's all in what you're looking for!"

— Terry Schmidt ✍

## We Need Boxes!

Those having access to good quality, heavy-duty cardboard boxes are asked to bring them to the building in preparation for our move. Thank you!



## WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS FOR AUGUST

Opening Prayer:

Wayne Sampson

Scripture Reading:

George Nick

Lord's Supper:

Tony Grant & Henry Terrill

Closing Prayer: Henry Terrill

Greeter: Terry and/or Betty Schmidt

Lord's Supper Prep: Terry Kennedy

## ☺ 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!