

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Pot Luck Fellowship:** Today after services

## March Birthdays:

10th – Bob Cook  
23rd – Sophia Colvin  
30th – Amber Williams

## *Happy Anniversary:*

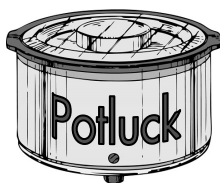
Henry & Karolyn Terrill — March 31st

## Ladies Bread Ministry

March 9: Terry K.

## SNACKS!

March 9: Nancy  
March 16: Sandy



Today after services.  
There's plenty for all.  
Please stay for this  
special time of food,  
fun and fellowship!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Biddeford Ladies Day

Saturday, Mar 22 — 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

### Conway Ladies Weekend

April 4-6

### New England Lectureship

"Back to Bible Basics"

May 2-4 — Taunton, MA

## Order of Worship

"And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers." — Acts 2:42

Song Leader: *Nate Hios*

Song

Opening Prayer: *Tony Grant*

Song

Scripture Reading: *George Nick*  
- Colossians 2:6-12 -

Song

The Lord's Supper:  
*Wayne Sampson & Terry Schmidt*

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*  
"Christ is All You Need"

Song

Announcements: *Terry Schmidt*

Closing Prayer: *George Nick*

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Greeter: *Terry and/or Betty Schmidt*

Lord's Supper Prep: *Betty Schmidt*

## Southern Maine Church of Christ

1228 Portland Road (Rt. 1)  
Arundel, ME 04043



**March 9, 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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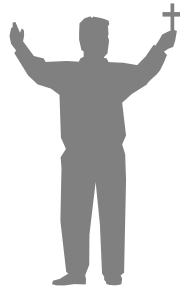
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## Prayer Requests:

- Becky (Terry & Betty's daughter) - having surgery for endometriosis on 4/15; migraines
- John Bonner & the Sabattus church
- Colleen (Amber's mom) - having high risk disc fusion surgery on her neck this Tuesday
- Caren - prayers to receive passport soon and visa for planned trip to South Africa in June; salvation for family, friends & loved ones
- Caroline (Caren's sister) - planning a trip here in May; prayers requested for her safety
- Ariana - now requires weekly shots; health
- Jody (Caren's nephew) - needs new & better arrangements for his care
- Carrie - has auto-immune disease; chemo
- Bob - at MMC for dehydration & depression; also recovering from broken left shoulder
- Paul & Sandy - Paul is back at River Ridge and doing well. Sandy may have cortisone shots in her hips to help ease arthritis pain; plans to consult w/ doctors about hip replacement
- Tony - torn muscles in right shoulder require surgery & 3-6 months rehab
- Nancy - still having pain in left shoulder
- Nate - suffering with asthma
- Josh - 22 year old fighting a heroin addiction
- Larry - mental confusion, in rehab
- Richard - Parkinson's/Alzheimer's
- Ernie - COPD; had tests for possible kidney disease; problems with high blood pressure
- Wealthie - suffering w/ frozen left shoulder; taking physical therapy and doing better
- Jan - ankle & shoulder pain
- Teal & Mike - for a normal pregnancy; that the baby will be healthy in all respects
- Philip - exp. difficulties & challenges
- Blake & Amber and family - Blake: persistent & worsening shoulder pain; Amber: suffering with migraines; Christine: recovering from severe flu; Anthony: MRI revealed small cyst, will have non-invasive outpatient surgery
- Prayers for those not with us today



## Complete in Christ

In Colossians 2:10, Paul assures us that we are complete in Christ. The Greek word translated complete brings out the idea of a “filling” or being “made full.”

This is why the translators of the NIV render it: “you have been given fullness in Christ.” The word can also mean “to fulfill, complete, carry out to the full.”

In Colossians 2:9, we read that “In Him [Christ] dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily.” The word fullness here means wholly filled, perfect completion. Those who have been baptized into Christ for the remission of their sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16), have put on, or clothed themselves with Christ (Galatians 3:27)—in whom resides all the fullness of the Deity in bodily form (NIV). So, we are complete *in Him* because we are *in* the One who is fully complete!

And He is *in us* as well. Those in Christ can assuredly affirm, along with the Apostle Paul, “I [*your name here*] have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me (Galatians 2:20).

Those in Christ have *all* spiritual blessings (Ephesians 1:3). And when we seek to put Him first in all things, He provides us with everything else we need as well (Matthew 6:33; Philippians 4:19). So, if you are in Christ, you are complete in Him. Christ is all you need!

We can confidently echo the sentiments expressed by the Psalmist in Psalm 73:25-26, “What else do I have in heaven but you? Since I have you, what else could I want on earth? My mind and my body may grow weak, but God is my strength; he is all I ever need” (GNB). Amen!

— Terry Schmidt ✍

Perhaps at times we dream of accomplishing great things for the Lord. But nothing we do can repay His goodness. Instead, He calls us to quiet lives of faithful service, to Him, and to those around us. We praise and promise in the presence of all God's people so they may see our good works and glorify our Father in heaven (Matthew 5:16). — Gary Holloway



## POINTS TO PONDER:

True faith considers it vital to pray to the Father to make things happen. Trusting is our business. Outcomes are *His*.



*“Let my prayer come before Thee: incline Thine ear unto my cry; for my soul is full of troubles....”*

~ Psalm 88:2-3 ~

Numbers for 3/2/14

Attendance - 16

Contribution - \$659.

## ☺ 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!

