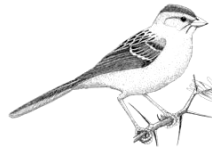


## Prayer Requests:

*"Pray for one another"* — James 5:16

- Larry Butler - recently diagnosed with a rare form of cancer in his abdomen; treatment options are still being evaluated
- Diane Cote - diagnosed with kidney disease
- Paul & Sandy Gagnon - Paul: at River Ridge; Sandy: at home and doing well - *Praise God!*
- Jean Gortot - suffering with advanced cancer
- Erik & Janice Grabowski - "please pray that the Lord would open doors for us to have a child"
- Susana Kazel - prayers for her & Bob for safe travel to Florida this week; health concerns
- Jason & Paula Kennedy - mourning the death of Paula's mother Mary last week
- Laurie (Caren's friend) - suffering with cancer; now undergoing radiation therapy
- David Murphy (Sandy's brother) - inoperable prostate cancer
- George & Caren Nick - ongoing family struggles
- Ernie Perry - recent colonoscopy went well; no real problems; also dealing with COPD issues
- Wealthie Perry - cancerous tumor on pancreas is of a serious & severe nature and in advanced progression; has begun chemotherapy
- Don Pfeiffer - bladder cancer has returned
- Jerry Prestridge (Bob & Phyllis' son) - serving in Afghanistan for the next 6 to 9 months
- Kathy Rader - has a lot to deal with right now and requests our prayers for her & her mom
- Robert (Shirley's Dad) - serious heart condition; now at Atlantic Heights in Saco and doing well
- Karlee Wells - chronic pain; health concerns
- Blake Williams - personal & family struggles
- Peter Wolenty (Sandy's brother-in law) - various health concerns
- Please pray for our nation (1 Timothy 2:1-3)
- Please pray that we might find a suitable and affordable permanent meeting place
- Please pray for those not with us today

*"Pray without ceasing."* - 1 Thess 5:17



## The Sparrow

"I am only a tiny sparrow,  
A bird of low degree;  
My life is of little value,  
But our dear Lord cares for me.

"I have no barn nor storehouse,  
I neither sow nor reap;  
God gives me a sparrow's portion,  
But never a seed to keep.

"There are many, many sparrows;  
All over the world we're found;  
But our heavenly Father knoweth  
When one falls to the ground.

"Though small, we are not forgotten;  
Though weak, we are never afraid;  
For we know our dear Lord careth  
For all creatures that he made.

"I fly through the thickest forest,  
I light just where I may;  
I have no chart nor compass,  
But never lose my way.

"I fold my wings at twilight  
Wherever I happen to be;  
For the Father is always watching,  
And no harm will come to me.

"I am only a little sparrow,  
A bird of low degree,  
But I know the Father loves me;  
Have you less faith than we?"

— Author Unknown



## Our Deepest Sympathy

Our sincerest condolences are extended to **Paula and family** as they mourn the passing of Paula's mom Mary. She had been suffering with inoperable liver cancer for quite some time. May God's steadfast presence and tender compassion provide strength and comfort to these dear ones during this difficult time of grief and loss. †



## WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS FOR OCTOBER

Song Leader: Paul Cote

Opening Prayer: Jason Kennedy

Scripture Reading: George Nick

Lord's Supper:

Wayne Sampson & Erik Grabowski

Announcements/Prayer: Terry Schmidt

Lord's Supper Prep: Betty Schmidt

## ~ UPCOMING EVENTS ~

### 21st Northern New England Lectures

Lakes Region church of Christ

October 7, 8 & 9

"Epistle to the church at Ephesus"

### Kittery Ladies Day

October 22 — 9:00am-2:00pm

Linda King: "Perseverance"

Valerie Seaton: "The Art of Apology and Forgiveness"

(more info on back table)



## Ladies' Corner

Next ladies' ministry meeting: Sunday,  
October 2nd, after services

Nursing home: The next nursing home visit will be  
Tuesday, October 11th, at 9:30 am. Afterwards, we go  
to *Perfectos* in Kennebunk for lunch and fellowship.

Ladies Night Out: Friday, October 21st at Sandy's.  
Fellowship will be from 5pm to 8pm. You are asked to  
bring a snack or beverage. A sign up sheet will be on  
the back table. All ladies are encouraged to attend.



## October Birthdays



9/28 – Bethany Boucher

10th - Keith Wells

14th - Hayden Wells

18th – Robyn Mackey

21st – Clara Clark

26th – Nancy Campbell-Jones

28th – Terry Kennedy

## Happy Anniversary:

Wayne & Jan — October 9th

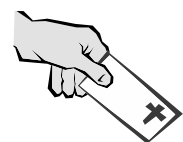
Jason & Paula — October 25th

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Next men's ministry meeting: Sunday,  
October 2nd, after services
- Next pot luck fellowship: Sunday,  
October 9th, after services

## SNACKS!

September 25: Diane  
October 2: Nancy



Numbers for 9/18/16

Attendance - 25

Contribution - \$625.

## Order of Worship

September 25, 2016

*“And they continued steadfastly in the  
Apostle’s doctrine and fellowship, and  
in breaking of bread, and in prayers.”*

— Acts 2:42 —

Song Leader: *Paul Cote*

Song

Opening Prayer: *Erik Grabowski*

Song

Scripture Reading: *Wayne Sampson*  
~ Matthew 10:28-31 ~

Song

The Lord’s Supper:  
*Terry Schmidt & Ernie Perry*

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*  
“You Are of Great Value to God!”

Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:  
*Jason Kennedy*

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Lord’s Supper Prep: *Terry Kennedy*

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*We love Him, because  
He first loved us.  
- 1 John 4:19 -*

**September 25, 2016**

## Sunday Assembly Times:

9:30 am — Bible Class  
10:30 am—Worship  
6:00—Bible Study

## Wednesday Assembly:

7:00 — Bible Study

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