



Prayer Requests:

"Pray for one another"

- James 5:16 -

- Diane Cote - diagnosed with kidney disease & dealing with many other health issues
- Randy Cote - struggling with burdens of life
- Paul & Sandy Gagnon - Paul: at Greenwood Center in Sanford & doing well; Sandy: now home and doing well; able to eat solid food at this time and is re-gaining her strength
- Nate & Rebecca Hios - pray for the Kittery work
- Susana Kazel - pray that all goes well as she and Bob make preparations to move to Florida; we will really miss them! ☺
- Jim Miller - suffering with lower back pain due to a pinched nerve
- David Murphy (Sandy's brother) - inoperable prostate cancer; also has diabetes
- Chris Nick (George's brother) - had a serious stroke recently and is severely debilitated; now at a rehab center undergoing treatment
- Ernie Perry - dealing with COPD issues
- Robert (Shirley's Dad) - serious heart condition; problems with excessive fluid retention
- Wayne Sampson - recently diagnosed with gallstones & fatty liver; also suffering from ongoing anxiety attacks
- Mark Schmidt (Terry & Betty's son) - serving in the USAF, now deployed to Qatar
- Henry Terrill - suffering with lower back pain due to bulging disks pressing on nerves
- Karlee Wells - various health issues; dealing with PTSD, TBI, severe migraines and chronic pain; also legal issues for health compensation
- Blake Williams - personal & family struggles
- Peter Wolenty - ongoing heart problems
- Please pray for the success of current negotiations on a good & affordable piece of land in Kennebunk where we, with God's help, will be able to build our future meeting place
- Please pray for those not with us today

Happy Father's Day!



What is a Father?

A father is one that is forced to endure childbirth...without anesthetic. A father is one who may growl when he feels good...and laugh when he's scared to death. He never feels entirely worthy of the worship in a child's eyes. He's never quite the hero his son thinks he is...never quite the man his daughter believes him to be...and this worries him. He often works too hard to smooth the road for those of his own who will follow after him.

Fathers may grow older faster than other people because they have to stand at the train or bus station and wave goodbye to the young uniform that climbs aboard. And while mothers can cry when it shows, fathers often beam on the outside...but are crushed on the inside. Their stout hearts often appear unbreakable...but they're not. Fathers are those who give their daughters away to other men who aren't nearly good enough...so they can have grandchildren who are smarter than anybody.

Fathers fight dragons almost daily. They hurry away from the breakfast table and rush off to the arena of life...an office...a workshop...a factory. These hard-working, calloused, practical hands tackle a dragon with three heads: work, weariness, and monotony. And although they may never quite win the fight, they never give up! Knights in shining armor...fathers in shining trousers...there's little difference as they march away to work each day in order to provide for their families. God bless our fathers!

- Author Unknown

"Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"

- Acts 16:30 -

Hear the Gospel - John 6:44-45; Rom 10:14,17

Believe [trust in] God - John 3:16; 8:24; Ac 16:31
Heb 11:6

Repent of sins - Luke 13:1-5; Acts 2:38; 3:19; 17:30

Confess Christ - Mt 10:32-33; Ac 8:36-37;
Rom 10:8-10

Be baptized - Mk 16:16; Ac 2:38; 8:36; 22:16;
1 Pet 3:21

Be faithful unto death - Mt 7:21; 10:22; Heb 5:9;
Rev 2:10

"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved." — Acts 4:12




Celebrated on the third Sunday of June, Father's Day is a national holiday honoring fathers. God, our Father who created us all, holds fatherhood in high regard, giving fathers responsibility as the head of the household and a place of honor in the family (Eph 6:1-4; Col 3:18-21; 1 Thess 2:11-12; Heb 12:9). While our permissive society has allowed the respect due our fathers to increasingly diminish over the years, may those who follow Christ set the greatest example in honoring our fathers, not only on this special day, but every day of the year.

☺ **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 before you depart. Have a great week!





Ladies' Corner
Nursing Home Visit: Wednesday, June 21st, Kennebunk Nursing Home at 9:30 followed by lunch and fellowship at *Perfectos* in Kennebunk.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Congregational Meeting:** Sunday, June 25th, after services
- **Men's Ministry Meeting:** Sunday, July 2, after services



Birthdays

6/20 – Caren Nick



Our New Website

The website is a great tool for visitors who are searching for biblical information or a place to worship. Since we have a new website, it is very important that visitors can find us. In order for visitors to find the website in their search, we are asking each person who can to go on the website so it can be moved up to a higher position in the search engines. The website is:

www.southernmainecofc.com



Visits to Our Web Page

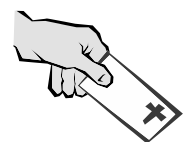
Last 7 days: 330

Last 30 days: 861

SNACKS!

June 18: Betty

June 25: Kim



Numbers for 6/11/17

Attendance - 24

Contribution - \$655.

Order of Worship

June 18, 2017

"Worthy is the Lamb who was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom, and strength and honor and glory and blessing!"

- Revelation 5:12 -

Song Leader: *Paul Cote*

Song

Opening Prayer: *Erik Grabowski*

Song

Scripture Reading: *Wayne Sampson*

~ Psalm 103:11-18 ~

Song

The Lord's Supper:

Jim Miller & Ernie Perry

Contribution

Song

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*

"Father's Day"

Song

Announcements & Closing Prayer:

George Nick

Alternate/fill-in: *Jason Kennedy*

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Lord's Supper Prep: *Betty Schmidt*

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

June 18, 2017

## 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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