To touch lives through the power of God's love Worship Information

Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School: .KOM (Sept.-June) (Kids On Mission), Wednesday Worship 7 p.m.

Office and Communications Coordinator:

Sue Mitchell secretarythumc@maine.rr.com

Church Office Hours Monday-Friday:

9:00am-12:00 pm 774-0487 (Church Office)

Building Blocks Director: Sue Galbraith, 761-3936

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Choir Practice: Thurs., 7 p.m. (September-June)

Pastor:

Reverend Ami Sawtelle pastor@thorntonheightsumc.com (207) 774-0487

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Monday-Thursday; 9:30 AM-12:30 PM (unless Pastor has a meeting; and by appointment)

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One in Spirit, All in Ministry

Ministers: Everyone!

Lay Leaders: Tom Eschner & Brenda Kane

Nursery: Melanie Coro & Amy Kane

.KOM (Kids on Mission): Cori Heatley & Allison Doody

Greeter(s): Carolyn Williams & Innez Kierstead

Reader: Sharon Ward

Ushers: Sharon Ward, Chris Byrd, Danielle Byrd **Counters:** Linda Brown & Barbara Lambach

Coffee Fellowship: Betty Lanoue

This Week at Thornton Heights UMC

Today: Worship & KOM, 9:30am

AA (open), 6:30-8pm

Monday: SPNH Worship 10am, Methodism Class 12pm

Boy Scouts 6pm Finance Mtg 6pm

Tuesday: God Time, 9am

TOPS, 5pm

Wednesday: THAT Group (Friendly's), 9 am

Girl Scouts, 6-7 pm

Simple Supper, 6-6:45pm; Wednesday Worship, 7pm

Thursday: Girl Scouts, 6-7 pm; Choir, 7pm

AA (Men's Step - Closed), 7:00-8:30pm

Friday: Office Closed-Veteran's Day

(Pastor's day off)

Next Sunday: Sunday Worship, & KOM, 9:30am

AA (open), 6:30-8pm

Reader: Nancy Horton

Ushers: Nancy & Dick Horton, Bobbi Thomas & Marie Floyd

Counters: Tom Eschner & Clyde Hamlin

Coffee Fellowship: Please signup on the signup sheet.

Altar Flowers: Barbara Meyers

Thornton Heights United Methodist Church Grapevine ~ Nov 6 - 12, 2016



Volunteers Needed

Wednesday Nov9th At 10am volunteers are needed to help pack Rerun shoes. Contact Sharon Ward for more information. 799-0327



SHOES. NEW LIVES.

Snowflake Fair

Sat., November 19th 9am - 2pm It isn't too early to start thinking about what you would like to Craft, Can, make or bake for the fair. As well as, we are always looking for volunteers before, during and after the fair. Many hands make light work! For more information contact Brenda at 415-5363



ANGEL TREE



It is that time again to think about how to spread the news "Christ Is Born". We have done this by giving to some special children at The Root Cellar gifts they may not receive without us. We also support "Grace Street Ministry" with gift certificates for Dunkin Donuts (\$5.00-as many as you wish). We also give **Walmart** or **Target** gift certificates to some of our BBLC families. Last but not least you can choose a tag to support The Pastor's Discretionary Fund which is used all year to help people in need. Thank you for your help. God's Blessings Upon you.

Bonnie Shibles

7 PM WEDNESDAY WORSHIP & SIMPLE SUPPER

Can't make worship on Sunday? Need a midweek lift? Want to pray in a guiet space? Want to receive Holy Communion? Want to draw close to God and others? These are iust some of the good reasons to make a connection and join us as we each gather for Wednesday Worship at 7p.m. Tell others about this connection with God. Arrive at 6:00-6:45 for a simple supper before worship.

Hello, My Name Is

Please be sure to wear your name badge so that Pastor Ami can learn everyone's name. Wearing a name badge is a helpful gesture to visitors. If you need a name badge, please let us know by adding your name to the Name Badge list on the table and we will have one for you the following week. Thank you.

HOST COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Coffee Fellowship is an important ministry that conveys warmth and hospitality to visitors and the congregation.

A simple beverage and snack is all that is needed. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Questions? Please contact Jeannette Taylor (899-3708).

OUILT GROUP Friday, Dec 2nd & Dec 30th ~ 2:30-4:30

Quilt group is held on the 1st and last Friday of the month. Bring your sewing machine and project and join the group.

Interested in becoming a member of Thornton Heights UMC or learning more about the **United Methodist Church?**

Contact Pastor Ami for information



SING, SING, SING! Love to sing? Join the THUMC Choir! Choir rehearsal is Thursday at 7pm.

≥A note of thanks... My heartfelt thanks and deepest gratitude to my THUMC family for the prayers, cards, calls and meals during my recent surgery. How blessed I am to be a part of such a Melodie Foster loving family.

PLEASE HELP US FIND!!

The Worship Team is looking for a small box of oil canisters used in the tall candles that stand beside the Altar Table. They are 6" tall with a wick. Box was labeled "oil canisters" of which there were 8 full.

These were special ordered & cannot be bought locally. Please contact Marie Eschner @ 883-7061 or meschner@maine.rr.com if found.

Harvest Supper

Tonight from 4-6 pm Camp Mechuwana 93 Holmes Rd, Winthrop. \$7 Adults \$4 Children 5-11 Ages 4 & younger eat free. This fundraiser is to replace their kitchen fridge and freezer which are 40 yrs old. Any questions please call: 207-377-2924.

Stewardship thought... Ministry Support (Fund 3), Maintains historical records and documents of our churches. Source: New England Conference United Methodist Church



Grapevine ~ Nov 6~ Nov 12, 2016



Prayer List

Please hold these friends and world concerns in your prayers this week. Gail & Bob MacLean ~ Steve Link ~ Avis Moffitt ~ Kathy Lyons ~ Joel Marsden ~ JoAnn Dix Wood ~Aubrey Cotta ~ Ray Paquette ~ Tom Kraut ~ Rev. Calvin Dancer ~ Scott Blumenthal ~Martha Murphy ~ Betty Schroeder ~ Debbie Smith ~ Bonnie Dorsey ~Jeff Link ~ Cindi & Harold Ingerman ~ Richard Hoisington ~ Lois Matthews ~ Sherry & Laurie Thomas ~ Midge Dix ~ Joseph Ring (Midge Dix' great -grandson) ~ Earl Wright ~ Jeanne Oddy ~ Margaret Smith ~ Natalie Beveridge ~ Ruby Syska ~ Georgia & Linton Millett ~ Dick & Sally Kingsbury ~ Micky Grass ~ Richard & Cathy Cleaves ~ Tammy Goble ~ Barbara Lank ~ Charlene Cook ~ Kathy Greene ~ Kathy Lewis ~ Colon Mills ~ Alison Hirst ~ Donna Dunlap ~ Lyra Meserve-Elms ~ Ben Tripp ~ The Church ~ Building Blocks Learning Center ~ World Migrant Situation~ Leaders & people of the Middle East ~ All victims of violence ~ The election~

Lord. hear our prayers!

(*Please let us know in the office if you have updates to the Prayer List.*)



November Birthday

- 1 Harrison William Byrd
- 5 Evelyn Roloff
- 6 Janice Waterhouse
- 11 Jason Gardiner
- 12 Rachel Deans 18 Barbara Bell
- 19 John Goff
- 24 William Bell 26 Thomas Tanguay
- 27 Michael Bell

FOOD CUPBOARD

(Hours: Thursdays from 8:30-11:30am; 874-0379) Individuals and families can access The Food Cupboard once a month. Located at 130 Thadeus St., So. Portland

Our shelves need: Turkey stuffing, turkey gravy, cocoa, oatmeal in pkgs & pie mixes. Please.

Nov 13 Macaroni, spaghetti, macaroni & cheese

Nov 20 Cheerios, Corn Flakes, Rice Krispies

Nov 27 Baked beans, tomato, spaghetti sauce

Dec 04 Coffee, tea, hot chocolate, evaporated milk

PLEASE—BRING EGG CARTONS! We need some, we only use the grey, 12 egg, cartons. Please check the expiration date before placing items in the cart.



Anniversaries

26 Art and Elizabeth DiMauro

28 Georgia and Linton Millett

ALTAR FLOWERS

Beautify God's Altar with flowers. The altar flowers sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. Give altar flowers to the glory of God in memory of loved ones or to celebrate a special occasion.



SAVE THE DATE Saturday, November 19th (9a-2p) ~ Snowflake Fair