

Old Home Day - Breakfast at Church
Saturday, August 4, 8:00 – 11:00



Campton Old Home Day begins

with breakfast here at the Campton Congregational Church. Please join us between 8 – 11 a.m. for a fantastic meal. There will be pancakes, scrambled eggs, muffins, bacon, sausage, fresh fruit, apple and orange juice, coffee, and tea. Please make this a part of your celebration. We look forward to seeing you here, bring everyone you know. We'll have our joyous kitchen helpers here to serve you with great food, lots of smiles and plenty of laughter.



If anyone would like to help with the meal please let Sandy Manson know. Set-up if Friday at 10:00. Many hands make light the work and you will be uplifted when you spend time with our wonderful volunteers.



POTLUCK BARBECUE
MARY DURGIN'S
SUNDAY, AUGUST 12

Mary Durgin has again graciously invited our Church Family to her Squam Lake home up for a potluck barbecue. Please plan to join us in worship on August 12 and then let us car pool to Holderness for our gathering.



Please sign-up to bring a salad or dessert today, this will help with planning the meal. Your presence with us will add to the joy of this occasions. Bring your bathing suit if you want to take a swim ☺



Sunday Morning Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. and 11:15 a.m.

We meet in the classroom to pray that the Power and Presence of God's Holy Spirit will enter into the hearts, minds, and souls of everyone here. We pray that we will always seek God's Will in all we do. Join us, bring your requests, God is here, Hallelujah!



FIELD TRIP
TRAIN RIDE
FROM MEREDITH

Tuesday, August 14, 9:00 a.m.



Leave for our trip from church at 9:00 a.m. We will ride from Meredith to Lakeport and back on our two-hour round-trip on the shores of lake Winnepesaukee. Tickets for adults are \$20.00, children 3 – 11 are \$ 16.00 children under 2 are free. Group rate of \$17.00 is good IF we have 21 or more adults and we call to reserve our ride at least 4 days in advance. Sign-up today, please.

CAMPTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

YARD SALE

At BLAIR CHAPEL

Saturday, August 25, 9:00 – 1:00



Please join us at the Chapel on NH Route 3 across from the Red Sleigh Condominiums. We will have all kinds of wonderful items for your perusal. You may know a treasure! We are gathering items as we write this to make your hunt worthwhile.

If you have any items you wish to donate toward this very important event, please call the Church Office for information on drop-off times and locations. Thank you in advance for contributing to this sale. AND thank you for attending this sale and purchasing all kinds of wonderful surprises. ☺

GOD'S HOLY SCRIPTURES

1 John 1:3–7 NIV

“We proclaim to you what we have seen and heard, so that you also may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ ⁴ We write this to make our joy complete. ⁵ This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. ⁶ If we claim to have fellowship with him yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live by the truth. ⁷ But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin.”





CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Our adult Bible studies meet at 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday. Our children gather at 3:15 p.m. All classes are open to everyone interested in learning about Jesus Christ and all the Holy Bible has to say.

There will also be sermon talkbacks, and other opportunities to learn about our Christian Faith. You are always welcome here.

PRAYER and HYMNSINGS

Sunday, August 19th at 1:00 p.m. we will gather at the Campton Mills for an hour of joyful hymn singing, prayer and communion with the folks.



On Sunday, September 16th at 1:00 p.m. we will meet at Campton Woods for singing and prayer. Again, you are invited to join us.

On both August 19th and September 16th we will meet at the Campton Congregational Church at 6:30 p.m. to sing and pray. Pastors will lead us in prayer, and Jim Tyrrell will be with us at the piano.



Please note, these are the third Sundays of each month, a change from our usual Sunday. We hope you will be with us, yes we do make a joyful noise to the Lord; and our hearts and souls are better for this.

Strawbery Banke Museum (Yes the Spelling is correct) ☺

Portsmouth, NH
September 18
(Please notice change of date)
Leave at 8:30 a.m.



We will leave together from church at 8:30 a.m. and travel to Portsmouth. Tickets are Adult, \$19.50, Child (5-17), \$9 and Under 5, free; Group rate of \$12.00 per person for groups of 10 or more adults with ADVANCE NOTICE. Please sign-up today, thank you.

NACCC NH FELLOWSHIP ANNUAL GATHERING Sunday September 23, 2:00 p.m. Pittsfield Congregational Church Diapers and Baby wipes



Our theme this year is “We are ONE in CHRIST.” We will focus on the joys we find in being those who bring Christ’s Love into communities through our missions’ projects. Each church is asked to bring information about the missions’ projects in which they have shared over the past year. Please think about what we can contribute and how we will create a collage, table of samples and/or a poster board of pictures and facts.



We will gather for a time to get-to-know one another and spend time in song and sharing communion.

There will be a business meeting at which time we will vote on Moderator and Treasurer. The majority of our time will be spent enjoying one another’s company.



We are also being asked to join together in a state-wide mission. Please bring a sealed box of disposable baby diapers (Pampers, Huggies, Luvs, or whatever brand you would like) and/or a box of baby wipes (again the brand of your choice). We will gather these here from now until September 23rd and take them with us to Pittsfield. We hope to bring a lot of these items to help those who have difficulty affording them for their infants.



This is a project that our friends in Pittsfield have been involved in for over 4 years. The ministry has grown exponentially and they serve people from Pittsfield to Concord and beyond. We will learn about how this project has increased over the years.

Let us plan to car-pool from Campton. Pastor Russ and Cindy would love to take you along as passengers or lead the way if you are not sure of the way. We are praying that a large number of us will take this trip. The more of us who attend the more joy we will share. Thank you for considering being involved in the ministry and this trip.

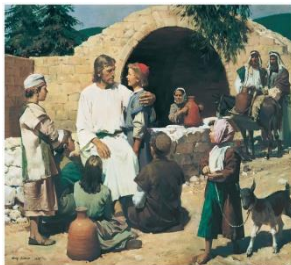
**INTERNATIONAL
DAY OF PRAYER
FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS**
Sunday, November 4

More information next month.

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

Matthew 5:15-17

“A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.”



and JESUS SAID

Matthew 5:11 - 16

¹¹ "Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you. ¹³ "You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men. ¹⁴ "You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵ Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶ In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.

2018 FUTURE FIELD TRIPS

All trips include a meal and ice cream

We will leave our parking lot at 9:00 a.m.

October

Tuesday 2nd Windy Ridge for cider donuts ☺

December

Tuesday 4th 4:00 p.m. to Loudon Race Track for Christmas Lights

Saturday 15th 4:00 p.m. trip to Lasallette Shrine Enfield



MEDICAL FACT



Scientists have shown that hugging causes the body to produce oxytocin, helping to calm the nervous system and create relaxation, but oxytocin has another as well. It reduces **blood pressure** and **heart stress**. Bottom line: Hugging leads to **lower blood pressure** and a reduced **heart rate**.

Sooo if you need another reason to give hugs, here you go!!



**OCTOBER/NOVEMBER
NEWSLETTER**

The deadline for the October - November Newsletter is **Tuesday, September 11th**. Please give your articles to ANNE PULSIFER, for this issue. Information on all activities will be shared. Pictures are also welcome. This is your Newsletter and it will be as long or as short as your articles require.

**GOD BLESS YOU
EVERY ONE**

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we gather to
Learn and Grow in our
Christian Faith**