FRYEBURG NEW CHURCH



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CHURCH OFFICE

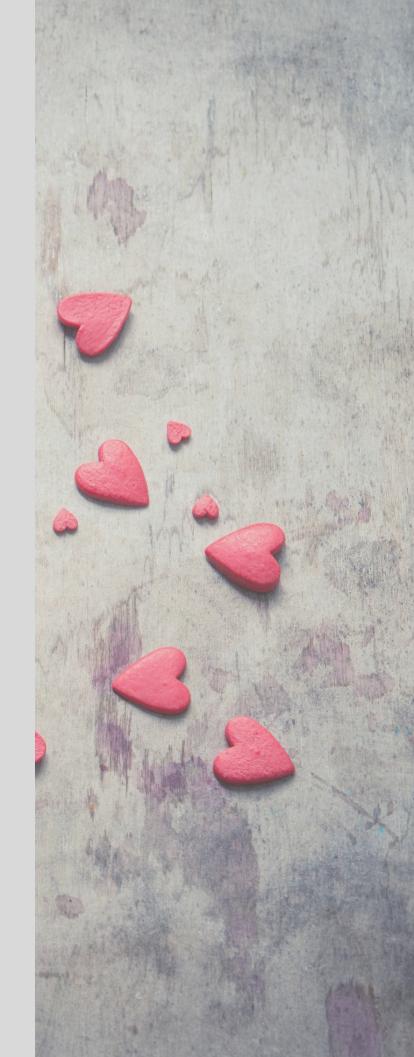
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Secretary hours: (school vacation week)

Wednesday 10 - 2 Thursday 10 - 2 Friday 10 - 2 subject to change without notice

Pastor:

Wed. & Thursday 9:30 - 1:00 Friday, Sat. & Sun. By appointment fryeburgnewchurchpastor@gmail.com



Church Services

HYBRID WORSHIP



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Have an announcement? Let the office know and we'll get it in the newsletter.
- PHOTOS NEEDED! Raise your vibes with reiki. An exchange of energy to help promote a feeling of well being and balance.
- Reiki at FNC ~ Terrie will be offering reiki at the church. Donations will go to the church. Call her at (207) 890-5415 for more information and an appointment.
- Would you like to read the Bible scriptures for the day? How about leading a children's message? And yes, you can volunteer to do either of those while being online! Please contact Rev. Catherine at

<u>fryeburgnewchurchpastor@gmail.com</u> if you would like to contribute to our worship life in any of these ways.

ZOOM LINK

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85357860199

Meeting ID: 853 5786 0199

Dial by your location: 1 929 205 6099

GIVING TO THE CHURCH

Ongoing General support is needed for everything from paying the Church staff's salaries to keeping the lights on at the church to buying music for our choir. We depend on donations from our congregation to help offset all of our expenses.

Donations may be made by check mailed to FNC, 12 Oxford Street, Fryeburg, ME 04037, or by donating through PayPal,

https://fryeburgnewchurch.org/giving

PayPal is an online financial service that allows you to pay for items using a secure internet account. You simply choose the bank account, credit card or debit card that you want to use when making a donation. The Trustees chose PayPal because of its name-brand recognition and its excellent reputation for security. Plus, you don't have to have an account with PayPal; you can use it as a guest.

Donations in any amount are always welcomed and very much appreciated.

Thank you for your support!

Please take note:



PHOTOS NEEDED

Our Church will have a shiny, new updated website soon!

Do you happen to have any photos of Church activities that you are willing to share? Vintage and current photos of the Fair booth, kitchen, pies, craft fair, etc. Please let Susan Logan know or the Church office. Thank you!

PRAYER SHAWL GROUP

Is anybody interested in getting together to knit or crochet prayer shawls? Please let Debbie or Dottie know and they will figure out a meeting time that will work for everyone.

Debbie Dolley (207) 510-1900 Dottie Eastman (207) 890-8760



WARM COATS NEEDED



AND MITTENS, GLOVES, HATS, SCARVES

FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN

NEW OR GENTLY USED

New Mainer families living at the West End II apartments in South Portland are in desperate need of winter outerwear.

Drop off your donations 8:30am—4:30pm, Monday-Thursday 600 Westbrook Street, South Portland

At the office, last door of building, on corner of Westbrook Street and Wermuth Road



Calendar

- Family Worship Sundays @ 10:00 am
- COFFEE HOUR ~ Volunteers needed
- Trustees meeting ~ March 12 hybrid @ 6:30 pm
- Worship Committee mtg. ~ TBA
- Tai Chi ~Saturdays 8:30 10:00 am (contact Greg Huang-Dale)
- Dinner Bell at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church ~
 Wednesdays 5pm 6pm drive through pick-up.
 No Dinner Bell during school vacations.
- Game Night at FNC ~ every 2nd & 4th Weds. 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
- Sound Bath Meditations ~ Wednesday February 21 and 28 at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom.
- Have an event to list here? Please let the office know.
- Random Acts of Kindness Day ~ February 17
- President's Day ~ February 19
- MSAD #72 February Vacation ~ February 19th through the 23rd
- Hoodie Hoo Day ~ February 20
- Study Group with Rev. Catherine begins ~ February 25
- Leap Day ~ February 29
- World Day of Prayer ~ March 1
- Daylight Savings begins at 2:00 a.m. ~ March 10
- Fair Booth Committee Meeting ~ March 10 after worship
- Ramadan ~ March 11
- Johnny Appleseed Day ~ March 11
- Spring (Vernal) Equinox ~ March 19
- Palm Sunday ~ March 24
- Easter ~ March 31
- Fun Holidays ~ <u>Wacky, Bizarre Days by Holiday Insights</u> www.holidayinsights.com/moreholidays/

Have something to add to the calendar or newsletter? Please let the office know by giving a call or sending an email.

"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving."

~ Mother Theresa ~

Is There Religion In The Afterlife?

Off The Left Eye is a part of the Swedenborg Foundation. Through a variety of media, we dig into Emanuel Swedenborg's writings to learn more about the spiritual backdrop of this life we're living, and then bring you those insights in entertaining, informative, and inspiring ways.

"Some have imagined that heaven is a state of endless worship rituals. But Swedenborg learned that heavenly "worship" is actually much more interesting, active and practical."

~Off the Left Eye, YouTube

Watch on YouTube:

Off The Left Eye looks at life and death through the uplifting perspectives provided by eighteenth-century scientist and spiritual teacher, Emanuel Swedenborg. They explore topics from Swedenborg's writings and discuss how they relate to modern-day spiritual growth seekers. They cover the afterlife, angels and spirits, near-death experiences, God, spirituality, and more, and try to balance these faith-based topics with evidence-based research from subject experts.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?
v=HYcGFkiiH6w

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