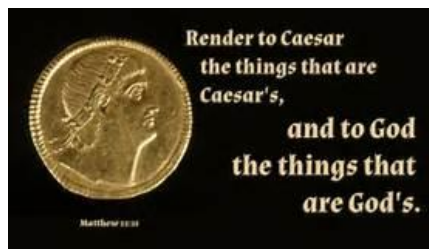


# Church of Our Father

## Weekly Announcements

### October 20, 2017



Sunday, October 22 ~ 8 am & 10 am Rite II ~ 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Pentecost

- ✦ **The Rev. John Allison, Celebrant; The Rev. Mary Carol-Griffin, Deacon; Tony Sousa~ Pianist**
- ✦ **Eucharistic Visitors:** Mike Bullard & Gail Leland
- **Altar Guild - 8 am:** Mike Bullard **10 am:** Barbara Craighead & Lynn Thompson

**Next Sunday's Readings:** *Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18: Psalm 1;1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8: Matthew 22:34-46; POP V*

<b>October 22<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Pentecost</b>	Audrey & David Mills	Jen Caeti Barbara Craighead	David Hawkes	<b>Crucifer/Server</b> Carol Johnston <b>Gospel</b> Steve Johnson	Larry Johnston Gail Leland	Mary Mc Enroe <i>(tbc)</i> Gina Farnsworth	<b>Isaiah 45: 1-7:</b> Wendy Copson- Higgins <b>1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10:</b> Liam Higgins <b>POP IV:</b> Lynn Thompson
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#### **Church of Our Father Events:**

#### October is Pastor Appreciation Month!

##### **Save the Date!**

- ✦ October 22 – Parish meeting following the 10am Eucharist. We will be discussing the partnership: how is it going so far? What are our hopes for the coming year? Please be directed to Father John's October newsletter article for a more detailed explanation. (See "Event's" tab on website for past newsletters)
- ✦ October 28 – 198th Annual Convention, Bangor [www.episcopalmaine.org](http://www.episcopalmaine.org).
- ✦ October 29 – **10 am** – Partnership Joint Worship Service at COOF

**1<sup>st</sup> MDI Partnership Joint Worship**

Sunday, October 29, 2017  
10 am  
Church of Our Father, Hulls Cove  
(91 State Hwy 3, Bar Harbor, ME 04609 -GPS Locator - not mailing address)

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✦ An Assembling of the Episcopal Churches of Mount Desert Island  
✦ A Partnership  
✦ Joint Worship

Every 5<sup>th</sup> Month Sunday there will be a rotation and participation among:

- † Church of Our Father, Hulls Cove  
The Rev. John Allison
- † St Saviour, Bar Harbor  
The Rev. Timothy Fleck
- † St Mary/St Jude, Northeast Harbor  
The Rev. Jane Corman
- † St Andrew/St John, Southwest Harbor  
The Rev. Kathleen Killian

#### **Please prepare and present Labors & Newsletter submissions promptly for November**

**Waste Not Want Not Thrift Shop** Will close this month (Oct 28)  
Come BUY and visit us. Until then, Open -**Weds 3:30-6 pm. & Sat 9-noon**

#### **Completion of Support for Father Chuck and Beth's Three Year Mission**

Father Chuck and Beth completed their 3 yr mission to Mityana about a year ago. However, there are still unpaid expenses expected from and to SAMS. As a church, we have not provided financial support to this mission for the past 18 months; however, individuals among us probably have. They are receiving some periodic financial support separate from Church of Our Father. Nevertheless, about \$1000 is owed to SAMS. As the supporting and sending church for the Bradshaws, we should as individuals help meet their financial needs as requested from SAMS. As a church, we through the Outreach, Mission and Evangelism Committee will provide some yet to be determined support to SAMS this year. We celebrated their return in a wonderful evening of sharing this past spring. Now is the time for us to complete this chapter in Church of Our Father mission endeavors

#### **Fr. John's Office Hours are:**

- ✦ Tuesday, 11am-2pm
  - ✦ Wednesday, 9 am—Noon
  - ✦ Thursday, Noon-2 pm  
*Out of the office every third Thursday for Ministry meetings)*
  - ✦ Friday, Noon-2 pm
- Additional hours by appointment  
Call **207-669-2033**  
E-mail : [fr.jallison@gmail.com](mailto:fr.jallison@gmail.com)

You may reach **Lena** via e-mail  
[ShalomCOOF@gmail.com](mailto:ShalomCOOF@gmail.com)  
You may text or call her at:  
**207-469-8872**

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#### **From the Diocese of Maine**

Register now for the 198th Annual Convention of the Diocese of Maine



Saturday, October 28, 2017  
Cross Insurance Center, Bangor  
• Early Registration Fee through October 2nd: \$30.00  
• Regular Registration Fee through October 11th: \$35.00  
[Register HERE at episcopalmaine.org.](http://www.episcopalmaine.org)

Please note: Pre-convention meetings will be held a week earlier than originally scheduled.

Wednesday, September 27, at 7 pm at St. Martin's, Palmyra  
Thursday, September 28, at 7 pm at Trinity, Portland

If you have any questions, please contact Teresa Pinney  
at [tpinney@episcopalmaine.org](mailto:tpinney@episcopalmaine.org).

#### **This Week's Anniversaries**

- 10/25 Audrey Mills
- 10/28 Gail Reeves

#### Services at the Partnership Parishes:

##### **St. Andrew & St. John**

The Rev. Kathleen Killian (718) 775-6069 Southwest Harbor, Church Office (244-3229)

[www.saintsmdi.org](http://www.saintsmdi.org) The church office is open from Monday- Thursday.

- Friday, October 20 & 27 & Monday, Oct 22  
1 pm - Mahjong
- Sunday, October 22  
**9:00 a.m.** – Holy Eucharist at St. John's  
10:15 a.m. – Forum
- Tuesday, October 24  
4:00 p.m. – Meditation
- Thursday, October 25  
12:00 noon – Healing Prayer Eucharist

##### **St Mary's and St. Jude's:**

The Rev. Jane Cornman P.O. Box 105, 20 South Shore Dr. Northeast Harbor Maine 04662

Tel: 207-276-5588 Fax: 207-276-3220

E-mail: [ssmaryjudemdi@gmail.com](mailto:ssmaryjudemdi@gmail.com)

- Sundays - 8 and 10 am Eucharist (with Sunday School)

- Thursdays - 10:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry: All are welcome!

At the Neighborhood House

- Sundays Worship - 8 and 10 am \*

\*St. Mary's Chapel 5 Kimball Rd. Northeast Harbor • Closed for renovation

##### **St. Saviour's**

The Rev. Tim Fleck. St. Saviour's, Bar Harbor 207-288-4215

[www.stsaviours.me](http://www.stsaviours.me)

- Sundays—7:30 and 10:00 a.m. Eucharist with music in the Sanctuary
- Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:30am—Morning Prayer
- Wednesdays, 12:00 noon—Saint of the day & Healing Prayer Eucharist
- Fridays- noon. Contemplative Prayer-in the Library

##### **St Dunstan's**

The Rev. Johanna-Karen Johannson, Priest; The Rev. Joan Preble, Deacon Ellsworth,

207-667-5495 [www.St.DunstansEllsworth.org](http://www.St.DunstansEllsworth.org)

- Wednesdays - 6 pm Eucharist

## Community Happenings

### Friday, October 20, 2017

- **Friday Art Jam**, 6-8 p.m., ArtWaves Town Hill Art Center. Create nail art using assorted sized nails, brads, hammers, and colored twine. \$6 members; \$10 nonmembers.
- **"Our Town,"** live on stage, 7 p.m., The Grand. \$20 adults/seniors; \$18 Grand members and military; \$10 for students (17 and under). Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).
- **Verse Unleashed! Poetry Slam**, 7 p.m., Jesup Memorial Library. Open mic for poets to share their work in a fun and friendly atmosphere. Info: 288-4245.
- **First Annual Paul Hammond Memorial Lecture**, 7 p.m., Jesup Memorial Library. Michael D. Burroughs, director of the Kegley Institute of Ethics, will speak on "Paul, Pluralism, and Public Philosophy: Reflecting on Philosophical Possibilities." Info: 288-4245.

### Saturday, October 21, 2017

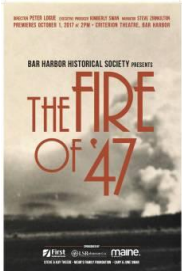
- **AA meeting** 9:30 am, Parish Hall, St Mary's NEH
- **Auditions for "A Christmas Carol Musical,"** 9 a.m.-1 p.m., The Grand. Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).
- **Musical Reading by children's author Brian Estes**, 10:30 a.m., Ellsworth Public Library. Estes will read from his new book "Flying Pigs & Dinosaurs & Things You've Never Seen Before." Info: 667-6363.
- **Free Screening of Ken Burns' "The Vietnam War,"** part two, 1 p.m., Ellsworth Public Library. Info: 667-6363 or [www.ellsworth.lib.me.us](http://www.ellsworth.lib.me.us).
- **Children's Activity, "Constellation Pumpkin Carving,"** 1 p.m., Jesup Memorial Library. For children ages 5 and up. Registration requested. Info: 288-4245.
- **"Our Town,"** live on stage, 2 p.m., The Grand. \$20 adults/seniors; \$18 Grand members and military; \$10 for students (17 and under). Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).
- **Contra Dance**, 7:30-11 p.m., Trenton Grange Hall. Beginners and all ages welcome. \$8. Info: 244-4193.

### Sunday, October 22, 2017

- **Weekly Popover Service** 9 a.m. – noon Common Good Café, 19 Clark Point Road, Southwest Harbor. Live music will be provided. For info Call 266-2733
- **"Our Town,"** live on stage, 2 p.m., The Grand. \$20 adults/seniors; \$18 Grand members and military; \$10 for students (17 and under). Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).
- **Alanon/AA 7 pm** St John's SWH

### Monday, October 23, 2017

- **Free Community Meal, "Everybody Eats"** 3 p.m., St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church, 134 State Street, Ellsworth 3 p.m. All are welcome. Info: 667-5495.
- **Alanon Noon**, in the Rectory Library at St Saviour's Bar Harbor



- Film, **"The Fire of '47,"** 7 p.m., Jesup Memorial Library. Info: 288-4245.
- **AA 7 pm** in the Parish Hall at St Saviour's Bar Harbor

### Tuesday, October 24, 2017

- **Training Session, "Communicating with Individuals with Dementia,"** 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Downeast Horizons. Info: Ashley Johnson, 667-7464, ext. 19.
- **Blood Drive**, noon-6 p.m., Down East Family YMCA gym. Sponsored by Rotary Club of Ellsworth. Info: (800) 733-2767 or [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org).
- **12 Step** at Noon in the Rectory Library, at St Saviour's Bar Harbor
- **Open Golf Croquet**, 2-4 p.m., Woodlawn Museum. \$10 per person. Equipment provided if needed. Info: 667-8671 or [www.woodlawnmuseum.org](http://www.woodlawnmuseum.org).
- **Human Ecology Forum, "Gerrymandering in the U.S.: History, Law, Math, Politics,"** 4:10 p.m., McCormick Lecture Hall, College of the Atlantic. Speaker is COA math and physics professor David Feldman. Info: [www.coa.edu](http://www.coa.edu).
- **Talk, "After 38 Years, a 2nd Appalachian Trail thru-hike."** 5:30 p.m., Southwest Harbor Public Library. Speaker is Carey Kish. Info: 244-7065.
- **Talk, "189 Days on the Appalachian Trail,"** 5:30 p.m., Southwest Harbor Public Library. Speaker is Carey Kish. Info: 244-7065.
- **Film, "It Comes at Night,"** 7:30 p.m., The Grand. \$8 adults; \$7 seniors/students; \$6 Grand members. Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).

### Wednesday, October 25, 2017

- **AA Noon** in the Parish Hall at St Saviour's Bar Harbor
- **The Welcome Table Free Community Meal** 3-6 p.m., First Congregational Church of Ellsworth, 2 Church St, All are welcome. Info: 479-7294.
- **Storytelling Event featuring paranormal stories**, 5 p.m., Northeast Harbor Library. Info: 276-3333.
- **Southwest Harbor Drama Club Meeting**, 5 p.m., Southwest Harbor Public Library. Group will read the play "The Bat" by Mary Roberts Rinehart. Info: 244-7065.
- **Author Talk, 6 p.m.**, Ellsworth Public Library. Laurel Davis Huber will discuss her novel "The Velveteen Daughter." Info: 667-6363.
- **Auditions for "A Christmas Carol,"** 6 p.m., Reach Performing Arts Center. Show to be staged Dec. 13-15. Info: John Lincoln at [jlincoln@dishs.org](mailto:jlincoln@dishs.org).
- **Lecture, "Apples of Downeast Maine, 1670 to the Present,"** 7 p.m., Woodlawn Museum. Speaker is College of the Atlantic professor Todd Little-Siebold. Info: 667-8671 or [www.woodlawnmuseum.com](http://www.woodlawnmuseum.com).
- **"A Midsummer Night's Dream,"** presented by Theatre at Monmouth, 7 p.m., The Grand. \$12 adults; \$8 youth (12 and under). Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).

### Thursday, October 26, 2017

- **AA** – @ St John's SWH, 7 pm
- **MDI Hospital Legislative Advocacy Breakfast**, 7:30-9 a.m., Birch Bay Village. Info: Oka Hutchins, 288-5082, ext. 1423 or [oka.hutchins@mdihospital.org](mailto:oka.hutchins@mdihospital.org)
- **Pumpkin Festival**, 1-7:30 p.m., Southwest Harbor Public Library. Pumpkin carving, family Halloween show and more. Info: 244-7065.
- **NT Live Encore: "Frankenstein,"** 2 p.m., The Grand. \$15 adults/seniors; \$12 Grand members and military; \$10 students. Info: 667-9500 or visit [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).
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Next Week...

**Friday, October 27, 2017**

- **Talk, "Conserving Land in the MDI Region,"** noon, Birch Bay Village. Speaker is Misha Mytar of Maine Coast Heritage Trust. Hot buffet lunch at 11:30 for \$11. Reservations required. Info: 288-9500 or [learn@acadiaseniorcollege.org](mailto:learn@acadiaseniorcollege.org).
- **Happy Hallo'Wine Wine Tasting,** 4-7 p.m., House Wine. Info: 288-1200.
- **"Murder by the Book"** Meet and Mingle, 5:30-8 p.m., Jesup Memorial Library. Meet mystery authors and hear their works at a special wine reception. \$25. Info: 288-4245
- **"Our Town,"** live on stage, 7 p.m., The Grand. \$20 adults/seniors; \$18 Grand members and military; \$10 for students (17 and under). Info: 667-9500 or [www.grandonline.org](http://www.grandonline.org).
- **Concert by classical pianist Edward Picton-Turbervill,** 7 p.m., Thomas S. Gates Jr. Community Center, College of the Atlantic. Free admission. Picton-Turbervill will perform J.S. Bach's Goldberg Variations, BWV 988. Info: [www.coa.edu](http://www.coa.edu).
- **"The Dining Room," presented by Lamoine Community Arts,** 7 p.m., Lamoine-Bayside Grange Hall. \$10. Info/reservations: 667-7969.
- **Clint Black in Concert,** 8 p.m., Criterion Theatre. \$50-\$70. Info: [www.criteriontheatre.org](http://www.criteriontheatre.org) or call 288-0829.

**An Invitation from Birch Bay**

When: Sunday, October 22nd from 3-5:00pm

What: You are invited to an afternoon of live music, food and brews.  
Harvest & Hops

Where: Birch Bay Retirement Village

Cost: Tickets are \$25.00 per person or \$40.00 per couple.

Includes hors d'oeuvres & live music.  
Cash Bar & Silent Auction.

Entertainment will be provided by the Fletcher's Landing Philharmonic Band

Please RSVP with Susanne Hopkins at [shopkins@birchbayvillage.us](mailto:shopkins@birchbayvillage.us) or 288-8014 ext 211

Any proceeds will benefit the BBV Jean Plenty Music Fund & Activity Program

**Movement Events for Seniors**

- Malvern Belmont: **Seated exercise class** with some aerobics Contact Kathy Mulligan @ MDI Hospital, 288-5081. Every Tuesday and Thursday, from 9-10 a.m.
- **Keep On Moving! A chair based exercise class** perfect for those with limited mobility. Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:30am - 11:30am YMCA, 21 Park Street, Bar Harbor, 288-3511 FREE to everyone Contact: Elaine Theriault ([rether63@gmail.com](mailto:rether63@gmail.com)).
- **Ready, Fit!** Mondays and Fridays from 10:00am - 11:00am A low impact, low key group exercise class. Good for all ages. FREE to everyone.
- **"Golden Age" A water-based aerobics and strength training class** specifically for Seniors. No swimming skill required. Wednesday and Friday 11am-12pm
- **Water Walking** Tuesday 8:30-9:30 a.m. For more information, contact the MDIY.
- **Low Impact Water Exercise** with Kim Chapman Mon, Wed, Fri from 9:30am - 10:30am Contact Mark at [aquatics@mdiymca.org](mailto:aquatics@mdiymca.org)
- **Pickleball for Seniors** Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1:30-3pm. Weather permitting, they may play on the Bar Harbor town tennis courts. Contact Jared Erskine.
- **Strength building for Seniors Exercise** YWCA, 36 Mount Desert Street, Bar Harbor, 288-5008:, with Cas Dowden, MWF 9-10 AM

**FROM YMCA**

Good afternoon all,

Our volunteers are second-to-none in helping to provide vital YWCA programs and services for the MDI community. Thank you again for so generously donating your time and talent.

I hope you'll mark your calendars and consider helping out with these important upcoming community events:

**NOVEMBER**

- Tuesday, Nov. 21, 10 am - 3:00 pm: Thanksgiving Pie Sale. Many pie bakers and sellers needed for this popular pie sale.
- Tuesday, Nov. 21, 5:00 pm: Community Thanksgiving Dinner. Volunteers needed for cooking, serving, setup and cleanup.

**DECEMBER**

- Friday, December 1 and Saturday, December 2: IAA Christmas Craft Fair at Atlantic Oceanside. Volunteers needed for food service, baking, and sales.
- Saturday, Dec. 9, 9:00 - noon: Children's Christmas Bazaar. Volunteers needed to be shopkeepers, shopper helpers, and gift wrappers.

Please contact me if you would like to sign up or have any questions. I look forward to hearing from you!

Thanks as always,

Annie

Dear Church of Our Father Members,

It's time to update our church directory. PLEASE submit any corrections or new information to Lena at [shalomcoof@gmail.com](mailto:shalomcoof@gmail.com) Please have submissions in before the end of November when we print. Members can use the information for Christmas Cards.



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We invite you to listen to our **YouTube** Channel And sermons by The Rev. John Allison Which will be posted weekly on our church web site and Facebook pages Follow this link to listen

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZXD7IPUtBoY&t=10s>