

THE RIVER OF GRACE

Grace United Methodist Church, 193 Union Street, Bangor, Maine 04401 ~ 207-942-8320

Monday 5/22: GUMC and Thrift Shop closed. Pastor's Sabbath day.

Tuesday 5/23: Thrift Shop & **Food Ministry** open 9am-1pm; **Leadership Board Meeting 6:30pm**

Wednesday 5/24: Thrift Shop & **Food Ministry** open 9am-1pm, **8am Prayer meeting**

Thursday 5/25: Thrift Shop & **Food Ministry** open 9am-1pm, **Charlie does food pick up at Hannaford @ 7:30am, Bible Study 10am & 1:30pm, Vet's Clinic 6:45pm**

Friday 5/26: Thrift Shop & **Food Ministry** open 9am-1pm, Street Pastors 8pm-1am.

Saturday 5/27: Thrift Shop & **Food Ministry** open 9am-1pm

Sunday 5/28: Sunday Worship at 10am

Monday 5/29: **MEMORIAL DAY: Please fly the American Flag to honor all who died for our country.**

THOSE WE SHALL PRAY FOR.....

The Family and Friends of all who died in the Manchester England bombing, Megan's friend, Anthony, Rachel, Dawn, Beve, my brother Peter, Alton family who's one year old was run over and died, all men that they might love the Lord, Sharon ~ that her body might be healed in the name of Jesus, Candy that her kidney troubles heal, God's children to show kindness to all family the way God intended it to be, children of the world especially immigrants and refugees, all those who came to serve the community meal including those from Unlimited Solutions, GUMC, Bucksport UMC, and Hampden Highlands UMC, all those who attended the Community luncheon ~ may God bless them and open their hearts to Christ, those graduating from school this spring that God's blessing and guidance be upon them, Jason (healing for arm and money for surgery), Sylvia, Dianna W. soul, family and friends of Anthony Sawtelle, GUMC Leadership Board that our hearts will align with God's, the homeless, goof health for: Mike, Lynn, Ed, Dot, Joys, Barbara, Annie, Pat Suzanne and Rowena, all the people who live in areas affected by tornadoes and floods, Anna's soul & her children and many friends, my son, Wong J., Unspoken, God's blessings and guidance for our community as groups, agencies, and churches work together to address the needs of the people, blessing and protection for all first responders and teachers, our church to be committed to growing in God's Word for it is a lamp unto our feet, our partners in Saving Grace Ministries: Hannaford on Union Street, Good Shepherds Food Bank, Moe's BBQ, Friar's Bake House, the Ecumenical Food Cupboard, Orono UMC, NBEUMC, Grant's Memorial UMC, Hampden Highlands UMC, Unlimited Solutions, and many disciples!, Travis, Janie, Raymond, Rev. Doty, granddaughter's appointment at Johns Hopkins Hospital, forgiveness of our sins, kindness and understanding, Abby and her family, praise to God for the abundant blessings he pours out on our lives, Jeff, Tom, Suzanne O., Kenny L. & Adam C., those needing a new kidney, those struggling with transplanted kidneys, reuniting of family, Kelly, Dan that he find shelter and get out of homelessness, God's comfort for all affected by suicide and that those who are thinking that suicide is the only way to escape their pain will be filled with God's hope, that there will be help for all who suffer from depression, Jean, Lisa & her family, the children and adults of Syria who have been brutalized, gassed and killed by their own government, Humam and family, Marie's friends & family, Debbie C., Andrea, unspoken, Kate & Tim, all people kept in poverty or slavery, all who face addictions, Jasmin, Lee's mother, Gerry, Annette, Fran G. and **all known only to God!**

CONCERT @ GUMC June 20th! Details are coming soon!!

Pocket Prayer *(keep in pocket all week and pray):* **“The LORD makes firm the steps of the one who delights in him; though he may stumble, he will not fall, for the LORD upholds him with his hand.”** *Psalm 37:23-24 (NIV)*



Would you like to get involved in the Saving Grace Ministries? We are in need of a few more volunteers for Wednesdays & Saturdays. Shift runs from 9am to 1pm. Please call Lynn in the church office. 942-8320. We can be flexible on the hours!

YARDSALE~ BAKE SALE~ HOT DOG SALE

Saturday, June 3

8am-2pm

Grace United Methodist Church

Rent a table for \$20. Call office: 942-8320

Gently used Vera Bradley Handbags will be featured!



Thursday Bible Studies:

At 10 am we are doing a book exploring how to tap into God's strength. See Pastor Gretchen if you would like to get the book

At 1:30pm we will be studying the Sunday scriptures. Only a Bible is needed for this study. All are welcome and encouraged to come!

If you would like to send a sympathy card to Anna McCloskey's family you can send it to Anna's son, Edward McCloskey, at the following address:

PO Box 1361, Bangor, ME 04402

Anna's daughter's name is Anna and a card for her can be sent to her brother above. There is no funeral or memorial service scheduled at this time. When we have any information we will forward it.

Beverly Kane is downsizing and is in need of selling some of her possessions. She has recently found more items she wants to part with. Below is a list of items she has available to sell. She wants to thank Nancy Soucy for all the hours she has spent helping to get the possessions in order. If not for Nancy's help Beve would not be able to do this! Please read the list over and give Beve a call if you'd like to purchase any of the items. Proceeds will go to Grace United Methodist Church and Saving Grace Ministries!

2 Garment Bags on wheels 1 Adult Size Rocking Chair

1 Child size rocking chair – no seat 1 High back Kitchen Chair

1 Table stand approximately 2ft by 2ft by 2ft high 1 set of Bean Pot canisters

1 old fashion grinder 1 Oil lamp w/ deflector

1 Red lantern (electrified) 1 small weber charcoal grille – new

Tea Service for 6 by Johnson Bros. - England (cups, saucers, tea plates, sugar, creamer, tea pot)

1 tea cup and saucer: Royal Adderley-fine bone china

1 tea cup and saucer: Find bone china-England-Paragon

1 oil lamp on base: very old

Picture by Rev. Grace Bartlett-"Road Less Traveled"

1 folding metal carrier w/wheels

1 oval wicker tray w/glass top & 2 metal Samsonite folding chairs w/padded seats

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Pastor Gretchen Casey ~ 207-702-3960, Administrative Assistant: Lynn Ryan ~ 942-8320 Church Office open Tuesday-Friday 9am-1pm, Thrift Store open Tues.-Sat. 9am-1pm Donations accepted during regular business hours.