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THE PASTOR'S PLACE . . .

A GRATEFUL UPDATE

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you all once again for your kindness, your prayers, and your marvelous participation in the life of our church during this time of my recovery from head injury. It certainly has been a longer road than I ever could have anticipated, and I am glad to say that I have made great progress. Recently, I was evaluated again by my physician, and she has decided to allow me to increase my availability to 24 hours per week, effective July 1. Though this means that my availability will still be quite limited, it certainly is good to have it expanded. Most of that time will be devoted to worship and sermon preparation, worship leadership, urgent pastoral care, and crucial communications. As a practical matter, to get in touch with me, it is best to call the office and leave a message with Julie.

As I have mentioned before, this has been a deeply spiritual time. I have turned to God many times for strength, peace of mind, and wisdom in finding the best way forward. I am grateful to be healing well, having gone from being able to do very little to being able to do many of the things that I normally do. While I still have a number of struggles and limitations, my rehab therapists and doctors assure me that they feel my recovery will eventually be complete. I am learning more about daring to ask for help when I need it, recognizing my own limitations, and being more realistic about what I can and cannot accomplish in a given period of time. While I am not certain when my doctor will clear me for full-time work, I continue to celebrate the way our church carries itself in the world to lovingly offer itself in service, being the church for and with one another and in the wider community and world.

I suspect that my ministry will now be more contemplative, a little slower moving, and less prone to juggling multiple things at once than it was in the past. Last January, when I saw a neurologist, she said to me that in six months I would feel quite a bit better, but that I would be a "different person." Her words, I must admit, frightened and overwhelmed me at the time, but I now "get" what she meant. She was right. I feel worlds better, and I am different. Some of the changes in me might be thought of as deficits — I am slower to comprehend reading material; I do not think as quickly on my feet as I once did, nor do I always fully understand what is being said to me or read all situations correctly. I have to plan more carefully, and it takes me more time than it used to do just about everything; I still tire easily and struggle with other symptoms if I overdo. Yet with each unexpected change, God has shown me that there are new things to learn, and that one can make the very best of what happens. I thank God for that, for all the great helpers working with me, for all of you, and for my dear family. May this be a blessed summer for all!

Blessings and peace,
Mary

Be still, and know that I am God.

Psalm 46: 10

COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Please consider helping out at a coffee hour this month. Volunteers are needed to set-up and serve, and to clean up. Sign up sheets are on the serving table in the Fellowship Hall.

PARISH HELPERS PICNIC AND MORE

It's time for some fun! On July 13th, the Parish Helpers will have their annual picnic on the shores of Pine River Pond at the home of Carol Lundgren. As usual, we will have our pot-luck lunch with one BIG change! If you are 80 years old or older, you DO NOT HAVE TO BRING ANYTHING! This is a special offer for our most special members! Come along and have some fun and let the under 80s treat you!

For the under 80s, please bring a dish to share (we love salads!) The hosts, Carol Lundgren, Carol Jeffery, and Ginny Schweitzer, will provide the beverages and desserts. Also, please bring a chair if you can!

Carol's house is located at 94 Grenier Road, Wakefield. You can get there from Pine River Pond Road, to Lord Road, right at fork to Grenier Road. It's on the right - a brown house, white shutters, red roof.

The Treasure Shop is open and we **NEED YOU** to help out. Rachel, Carole and their trusty team of volunteers cleaned and organized over the past month, and now they need **YOU** to step up and sign up to spend 3 hours on a Wednesday or Saturday! Please contact Rachel and let her know your availability!

Also, keep in mind that the **Village Fair** will be held on Saturday, August 12. We'll be looking for pie and cookie bakers, craft makers, and helping hands at the Fair. For more information, please contact Carol Jeffery or Ginny Schweitzer. We will have sign up sheets at the picnic! See you soon!

Carol Jeffery

For more information on articles you read in the Steeple Views, contact the editor at steepleviews@gmail.com or call the church office at 603-522-3189.



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INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CHURCH? WONDERFUL!

It was a joy to recently welcome 11 new members into our congregation. We are currently putting together another new member information session! If you are interested in becoming a member, we warmly invite you to speak with Pastor Mary about your interest. You may contact her by calling the church at 522-3189, or by emailing her at fccwpastor@gmail.com. Members of the church are able to enter into a deeper level of participation in the common life of the church, and are also able to vote on matters of importance to the church at congregational meetings. It is always a joy to welcome new members, and to discover how our church will grow change, becoming new again and again with the input sharing of gifts and talents of new friends!

SPIFFING UP THE CHURCH GROUNDS

Coming soon - three new cement pads will be poured on the driveway side of the church to meet the street. We are still expecting a crosswalk to be painted from the front of the Tripp House to this extension of the walkway. In addition, we will be prepping the area of lawn where the present church sign is in order to receive a new sign that is in development. Just wanted you to be in the know of activities ... and be careful coming/going when this work is being done. Thanks for your understanding.

Carol Lundgren

CALMER STREET COMING SOON TO WAKEFIELD ROAD

Thanks to a very generous grant, the B&G team in partnership with the Wakefield Inn team (Colleen) will be purchasing two Traffic Calming Devices. Working with the Chief of Police and the Town, they will be installed on both ends of Wakefield Rd on the 30 MPH speed limit signs.

So what is a Traffic Calming Device? It is a battery or solar powered radar unit that can be seen from at least 1,000 ft away. It displays to the driver what their speed is and it is mounted just below the posted speed limit. Depending on which units we select, these devices may turn red when someone is over the speed limit and green when they are at or below the speed limit. They have been shown to be very effective in many parts of not only America but the world. They are used a lot in School Zones. Again, depending on the model we choose they may also record the number of cars going by and the average speed which can be of great value to the Police Department in traffic enforcement. They will not have a camera so they will not be taking down license plates or snooping on us as we drive by. They will just remind us all to SLOW DOWN in the Village District. Look for them soon!

Carol Lundgren, Building and Grounds

ZIMBABWE NEWS

Much love and thanks to all who donated. What an amazing array of items! Absolutely wonderful. Ann and Jo, our shipping container coordinators, will need some help finishing up. Big need for good sewing machines so we can start some sewing classes! I am so excited to be a representative of the Wakefield Church in Zimbabwe! PKZ is on the move!



Packers! Jo Szirbi, Ann Bilodeau, Julia McCarthy



More packers! Julia McCarthy, Jillian Currier, Connie Littlefield, Max Gehring.

A CHANGE IN OUR CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

In an effort to trim the budget for 2017-18, Building and Grounds has re-contracted with our cleaning service, Pam's Professional Cleaning Co., to clean every other week instead of every week. We are looking for volunteer helpers to do some light duty work on the in between weeks: empty waste baskets, refill toilet paper and paper towels and tidy up entry ways if needed. Nothing heavy. Can you help? Looking for 4 to 6 people. Each person would volunteer **once a month for less than an hour**. Email carollundgren@roadrunner.com if able/interested. Thank you!

Carol Lundgren, Building and Grounds

THE TREASURE SHOP -- GOING STRONG AFTER 50+ YEARS!

The Treasure Shop will be open this summer on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. beginning on June 21 at the Old Town Hall, 2695 Wakefield Road.

The Old Town Hall was built in 1837 and was used as the town hall until 1895 when the current town hall was built. The now vacant Old Town Hall was leased to the Ladies Social Circle (now the Parish Helpers) and it has been leased to them ever since. For many years it was used as a meeting place for the women's group and for dinners, fairs, and events for the church and the town. When the church burned down as a result of a lightning strike in 1956, it was used for church services while the church was rebuilt.

In 1963, the Parish Helpers began having a Treasure Sale at the Old Town Hall on Wednesday afternoons. Thus, the Treasure Shop came into existence. It has changed somewhat over the past 50+ years. They no longer sell clothing, and they don't sell larger items, but they have just about everything else. You can find fine china and toys. Small appliances and yarn! There's a large selection of used books, and there are curtains, jewelry, hardware and more! Something for everyone!

The Treasure Shop is the primary fundraiser for the Parish Helpers. From its beginning in 1857, the Parish Helpers has contributed primarily to the operation of the First Congregational Church which it calls home. Over the course of the last 160 years, the Parish Helpers has expanded its philanthropies and now donates to many other local and global charities as well.

Stop by this summer and see what treasures await you at the Treasure Shop! For more information about the First Congregational Church or the Parish Helpers, visit www.fccwakefieldnh.org

Carol Jeffery



FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

The Food Pantry Collection for July is

**Macaroni and Cheese and
Canned Fruit**

TREASURER'S REPORT

Operating Budget (Non-restricted): July 1, 2016 to May 31, 2017

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| General Income: | \$ 123,988.26 |
| Additional Income Sources: | \$ 32,500.00 |
| Expenditures: | <u>\$(153,065.44)</u> |
| Net Income over Expenses | \$ 3,422.82 |

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| Checking Non-Restricted balance: | \$ 7,111.33 |
| Checking Restricted Funds balance: | <u>\$ 3,222.16</u> |
| Total Checking A/C balance: 5/31/17 | \$10,333.49 |

As I write, our current fiscal year is almost over. The Treasurer's Annual Report, covering July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017, will be posted and distributed by email in July.

On July 1, our church begins a new fiscal year and with it, a few changes to the Treasury team. Julie Kessler, and I will be continuing as Assistant Treasurer and Co-Treasurer, respectively.

Shannon Johnson is stepping down as Co-Treasurer, the position she has held for the past two fiscal years. I want to express an extra special thank you to Shannon for her invaluable service during this time. She worked quietly behind the scenes performing many tasks including paying bills and keeping me on my toes. I could not have done it without her.

Annie Gehring will be the new Co-Treasurer. Welcome, Annie and thank you for taking on this position. I am looking forward to working with you.

An extremely important component to running our church is the Annual Budget. As in years past, after months of preparation, the 2017-18 Proposed Leadership Council Budget was presented, discussed and approved by the church membership at the Annual Meeting on June 11th. The Annual Meeting is a vital part of our church's life. Thank you to those who were able to attend.

Janice Brejwo, Co-Treasurer
fccwtreasurer@gmail.com

HELP! VISITOR BAGS NEEDED!

This is a good news/bad news situation. We have had so many first time visitors to our worship services (good news), that we've run out of visitor bags to give to them! (not so good news.) You can help us out by making a few bags with the extra fabric you have in your sewing rooms. We need adult size bags (6 inches by 8 inches) please, no more child size bags right now.

See below for directions on how to make the bags. No need to worry about filling them; we have lots of good information to include. Thanks and blessings for your help!

Harriet Wilson

WOULD YOU LIKE TO MAKE A VISITOR BAG? HERE ARE THE DIRECTIONS!

The finished size for an adult bag is 6 inches by 8 inches, and the finished size of a child's bag is 4 inches by 5 inches. You will need fabric and ribbon for the tie.

Use any pretty lightweight fabric. (This is a good way to use up some of the small pieces you can't bear to throw away!) Cut a rectangle 14 inches by 10 inches (9 inches by 7 inches for the child's bag). Make a sleeve at one long side for a ribbon tie by folding down about an inch (wrong sides together) and stitching it down. Fold the fabric right sides together, bringing the short sides together, and stitch from the fold along the bottom and up one side to the stitch line for the sleeve (this will leave an opening to insert the ribbon). The other side is the fold and no stitching necessary. The sleeve will be at the top. Insert a narrow ribbon about 18 inches long (14 inches for the child's bag) through the sleeve. Turn the bag right side out and tie the two ends of the ribbon together. You're done!

Harriet Wilson



THE FCCW-SPONSORED T BALL TEAM!

NEW MEMBERS

On June 11, we welcomed 11 new members into our church. They are Brian Shipley, Ron and Sally Kratt, Wendy Croteau, Laura Frye, John and Sarah Duplinsky, Julie and Dana Margolis, Colleen Nicastro, and Richard Messer. We will introduce a few at a time in this and future issue of the Steeple Views.

Meet Wendy Croteau



Wendy was born and raised in Clearwater, FL and came to UNH for college graduating in 1985 in Physical Education/teaching. She has stayed in New England since then the currently lives in a peaceful spot of woods in Barrington.

She has taught Physical Education and aquatics for many years, then got into the building facilities field. She is currently working as an evening custodian for the City of Rochester. She has always been involved with athletics being on the track team in high school and college throwing many different things like discus, shot put and javelin. She's always been a golfer and that is her current passion.

Her mom owned a knitting company and they traveled all over the United States doing sheep and wool shows. She and her mom owned Pine Tree Kennels and were recreational dog-sledders, all of their dogs being Huskies.

After going to 3 FCCW events and meeting many people, she started attending church services. She feels very comfortable and welcomed here, loves the community spirit which led her to join our church family.

Meet Ron and Sally Kratt

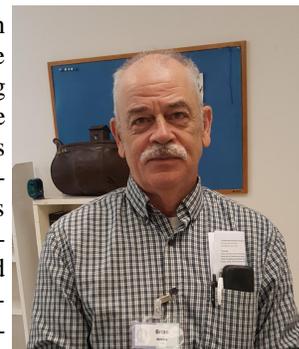
North meets South with Ron and Sally. Sally was born in Winchester, TN and graduated from Middle Tennessee State University in 1972, moved to Atlanta, Georgia and went to work for Delta Air Lines as a flight attendant. Ron was born in Detroit, Michigan and graduated from Michigan State University in 1965, was commissioned to the United States Air Force, and served 5 years as a pilot during the Vietnam War. In 1970 he began a 32-year career as a pilot with Delta Air Lines, retiring in 2002.



They met while working at Delta and married in 1977. They have 3 sons, Brian and twins Tim and Todd, one daughter-in-law, Tara, and granddaughter Sadie. After moving to Wakefield full time, they transferred their membership to FCCW from the UCC Conway church where they had been active since 2005. Church has always been an important aspect of their lives and after attending our church they were quite impressed by the friendliness of the congregation and Pastor Mary James's messages, compassion and love,

Meet Brian Shipley

Brian is from Dunstable, MA which is just south of Nashua, NH. He grew up there and after graduating from High School, he enlisted in the US Army where he spent 20 years and 20 months as a combat engineer. He served in many posts around the world including Germany, Korea and around the United States, at times serving in the Special Forces also as a combat engineer. Before enlisting in 1970, he married and had two children, a boy and girl. Unfortunately, he was divorced after many years of marriage.



Following his retirement from the Army, he worked a variety of jobs including delivering medical supplies, installing gas lines and with the Highway Department in Westford, MA. He moved to East Wakefield in 2016, bought a home on Ballard's Ridge on Belleau Lake, found a good pontoon boat and began looking for a church.

Dave Schweitzer

LIBRARY CORNER

Church: One Pilgrim's Progress by David Johnson Rowe (R-CL) Here is description of this book from its cover: "David Rowe offers an affirming theology of church built on the stories of his life, career and faith. Part memoir, part theology, this book is a celebration of Christian faith lived out in the relative simplicity of rather traditional church life." The author is the pastor of the Greenfield Hill Congregational Church in Fairfield, Connecticut, Elizabeth Banks MacRury's home church, and he donated this book to our library.

The Talented Banks Sisters

Elizabeth Banks MacRury was a long-term member of our church and resident of Wakefield Corner, our historic neighborhood, who died in 2015 at the age of 99. She created a board game called New England Town Meeting Game which is on our Mobile Shelving Unit. She also wrote the history of our town, Footsteps of pride to the past, 1774-1974, Wakefield, New Hampshire. Her sister, Marjorie G.H. Banks, wrote a comprehensive history book about our church entitled, Through the Open Doors of the First Congregational Church. If you are interested in buying this book, please contact me.

Linda Petkunas, Church Librarian

BELL FESTIVAL CONFERENCE

Members of our Wakefield Memorial Bell Choir are off to Amherst, MA to take part in the 2017 Bell Festival Conference. This event occurs every 2 years and there will be about 600 ringers and an orchestra. The Conference is being held at the University of Massachusetts from June 29 to July 2.

You are invited to join the Wakefield Memorial Bell Choir in attending the final concert of the 2017 Bell Festival Conference on July 2 at 3 p.m.



Bell Ringers ready to go! L to R: Mandy Boggs, Nancy Dee, Jan Stanley, Evy Truhn, Patricia Golden, and Kevin Connell

HORTON CENTER ACTIVITIES

There are many summer long events happening at Horton Center this year. Two events that some may be interested in are:

Passin' Time (on the mountain) this occurs from August 8th through the 12th. George Ackerman will be attending this event from the 10th through the 12th and is inviting any of the gentlemen of the FCCW to join him for any or all of these days.

Trails and Passages Women's Weekend is the event I plan on attending. It runs from August 11th through the 14th. I will be there from Friday the 11th until Sunday the 13th. As with the other event, you can attend for a day, a night, or a combination of various times. I hope many of the FCCW ladies join me for this weekend of grace and relaxation.

Both of these activities involve anything from relaxing on a front porch to hiking some of the well-groomed trails. Check with www.hortoncenter.org for more details and fees.

Donna V Ackerman

LEMONADE SATURDAYS

On Saturday mornings during the summer, both the Treasure Shop and the Farmer's Market are open and there is a lot of traffic passing by our church.

Our Vitality Team has started a welcoming tradition of setting up a free lemonade and water stand in front of our church on those busy Saturday mornings. People who have offered their time for Lemonade Saturdays have found it to be a very enjoyable experience. But we need many more of you to become involved. It's best to have at least two people working together, and it's more fun. Here's what you do.

Open the big double doors of the church. Set out a card table or two as close to the road as possible so you look welcoming. Bring out a chair for you to sit on. Make a thermos of cold lemonade. Put out a cooler with bottles of cold water. If you like you can bring a bag of cookies to offer. Put out prayer squares and prayer rocks. Put out the "Free Lemonade" sign, then just sit and welcome people who stop by. Clean up after you're done. That's it.

Please invite people to enter our sanctuary to have a peek or rest for a moment, and allow people to use the rest room. The more people feel invited and welcomed into our building, the greater the chances they might return.

The supplies of lemonade mix, water bottles, ice, prayer square and rocks will be ready. But we need YOU to welcome people to our church. Please help.

Contact Margie for more information or to sign up for a Saturday. balchlaker@gmail.com or 522-6647. There is also a sign-up sheet at church.

Margie Galabrun

ANNUAL YARD SALE IS COMING SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

Calling all volunteers to set August 26 aside for the YARD SALE at church. Also, we will need volunteers for set up on Friday, August 25 and break down the end of Saturday. It takes a lot of hands to put this together and it is always a successful and positive event! Dalton Ostrye is in charge of the event and Carol Lundgren is coordinating volunteers. If you have things to donate, please hold them until Friday, August 25 and bring them then. Thanks!

Carol Lundgren

Celebrations!

JULY BIRTHDAYS

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| 1 Chrissie Mooers Levesque | 17 Rick Denver |
| 1 Betty Seibert | 20 Andrea Szirbik |
| 2 Marjorie Berg | 22 Linda Foss |
| 3 Tammy Canney | 22 Patricia Golden |
| 4 Brenna Hagy | 23 Linda Petkunas |
| 5 Royal Doughty | 24 JohnPaul Eaton |
| 7 Robert Baldwin | 24 Chip Hagy |
| 8 Lee Robinson | 24 Dick Nelson |
| 9 Keaghan Canney | 24 Stephen Royle |
| 9 Bob Foulks | 25 Sandy Burr |
| 10 Linda Shepard | 26 Faith Harvey |
| 13 Titia Bozuwa | 26 Janet Twombly |
| 14 Michelle Crew | 28 Sue Littlefield |
| 16 Kathy Frothingham | 28 Lynn Weeks |
| | 30 Jan Fairchild |

JULY ANNIVERSARIES

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| 4 Buddy & Nancy Dee |
| 15 Curt & MaryBeth Cook |
| 17 David & Ginny Schweitzer |
| 24 Jean-Michel & Margie Galabrun |

YOU ARE INVITED

There will be a gathering of the Leadership Council on Sunday, July 16th, after coffee hour. If you are a coordinator or co-coordinator of a ministry, you are requested to attend to represent your ministry. If you are interested in our church, you are invited to join us. We will discuss what meeting schedule best fits us for the coming year, and will establish advance meeting dates, so please bring your calendars. If you have an agenda item, please contact me, balchlaker@gmail.com. See you on Sunday, July 16th

Margie Galabrun, Moderator

FELLOWSHIP OF CONCERN

PLEASE PRAY FOR:



We ask your continued prayers and support for those members of our church and wider community who are ill, or who suffer in mind, body, or spirit, and for their families

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| Dot R. | Jan F. |
| Tom and Barbara T. | Donald L. |
| George B. | George J. |
| Mackenzie M. | Sid S. |
| Marcia | Marcia H. |
| Marsha A. | Jim P. |

AND FOR:

Our global neighbors in places where there is great strife.

Our servicemen and women

Our friends at Rufumiso Church, Zimbabwe
Residents of the Nursing Homes and Retirement
Communities in our area

RELAY FOR LIFE

Relay For Life of Lake Winnepesaukee is in the books! The entire event raised \$43,349.38. Team Wakefield Wonders raised \$3,141. It was a tough day, with very strong winds most of the day. We decided to end it early when thunderstorms were predicted (which never came). I am very grateful for the fabulous team members and support that came from FCCW.

For me, the highlight of the day was the opening speaker, a young woman named Emily, who is an American Cancer Society funded researcher. It is nice to know our hard earned dollars go to find a cure for this disease which affects so many people. Thank you for everything.

Nancy Dee, Team Captain

JULY 2017

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | | | | | 1 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon |
| 2 4th Sunday after Pentecost Worship with Holy Communion and Church School – 10 a.m. Coffee Hour | 3 Choir Practice 6 p.m. | 4  | 5 Treasure Shop Open -9 to noon Scrabble 10 a.m. Diaconate Meeting =4 p.m. | 6 Bereavement Support Group 11 a.m. Community String Band 6:30 p.m. | 7 | 8 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon |
| 9 5th Sunday after Pentecost Family Worship—10 a.m. Coffee Hour | 10 Choir Practice 6 p.m. | 11 Bible Study 12 noon | 12 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon Pairs and Spares 6 p.m. | 13 Parish Helpers Picnic—12 noon Community String Band 6:30 p.m. | 14 | 15 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon |
| 16 6th Sunday after Pentecost Worship—10 a.m. Coffee Hour | 17 Choir Practice 6 p.m. | 18 Scrabble 10 a.m. Bible Study 12 noon | 19 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon | 20 Prayer Shawl Ministry 10 a.m. Community String Band 6:30 p.m. | 21 | 22 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon |
| 23 7th Sunday after Pentecost Worship—10 a.m. Coffee Hour | 24 Music Camp 9—12 noon Choir Practice 6 p.m. | 25 Music Camp 9—12 noon Bible Study 12 noon | 26 Music Camp 9—12 noon Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon | 27 Music Camp 9—12 noon Community String Band 6:30 p.m. | 28 Music Camp 9—12 noon | 29 Treasure Shop Open 9 to noon |
| 30 8th Sunday after Pentecost Worship—10 a.m. Coffee Hour | 31 | | | | | |



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**SUMMER MUSIC CAMP FOR KIDS PLANNED FOR
JULY 24 THROUGH 28TH - DIRECTED BY JANICE STANLEY**



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Registration for this week-long music camp for children in grades K thru 6 is now open! The Camp is free of charge, ecumenical in format and takes place from 9-12 noon. To reserve a space for your child or children, please contact the Church Office by calling 522-3189 or emailing: fccwakefieldnh@gmail.com. You can download the registration form at our website: www.fccwakefieldnh.org. (See events on homepage.)

Children will enjoy a variety of musical activities: singing, dance, and learning to make music with boom whackers, hand chimes, and simple instruments. Following Bible story themes, there will also be crafts, outdoor play and healthy snacks. The children will be treated to a delightful presentation of lively music by guest performers at the end of the week.