

PEW REVIEW



JUNE 2009

SECOND BAPTIST
CHURCH

CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES

We are proud of you

(Church Mouse con't)

I don't know how many of you have read Dr. Seuss' "Oh, The Places You Will Go." so I have attached a copy. This book is a great guideline on how to get through life. Read and enjoy. Love, Maudie



Diaconate News -
Pastor is conducting a New Disciple Class for those seeking baptism and membership.
Work is going to begin on revising the church

Executive Board -
^Voted to support another Red Sox Trip.
Denis Lovely will organize this.
^Carole Smith volunteered to be the new collector.
^Discussed having a Water Booth at the International Festival Parade.

Christian Education Board is working on plans for Vacation Bible School for the week of August 10-14.

The Trustees voted to have locks put on the church office and closet doors.
The committee will look into having a "dump sink" put into the kitchen closet.
Irene Gallway will work with the Youthwork leaders this summer to be sure everyone understands the care of the church.
The Board is considering putting all security and fire alarms under one company. This will depend on the cost.

The Bible: More



up-to-date than tomorrow's newspaper.

Have you

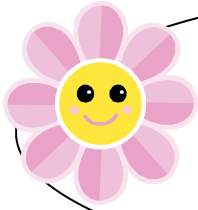


hugged a kid today?

"Angels may not dress the part,
With robes and wings that soar.
Often angels come as friends
Knocking at your door."

Please excuse this edition, it was done very quickly and my mind just couldn't get around it.

SORRY!



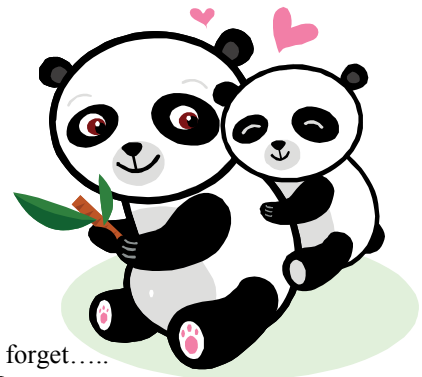
KUDOS TO:

John Demmons—for always being here when we need him.
Nancy Beal—for her delicious American Chop Suey.
Mary McLellan—for things accomplished that no one knows about.

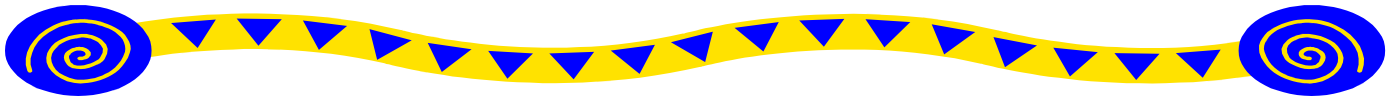
June Greeters

June 7 Elaine C/Ada T.
June 14 Dana J./Mike F.
June 21 The Hodson Family
June 28 Bud & Irene

There is nothing more miserable in the world than to arrive in paradise and look like your passport photo



Don't forget.....
The Nursery
needs helpers.



The Church Mouse

Oh, this is one of my favorite days...Children's Day and Graduation Sunday. Do you realize that the little ones you see here today will someday be our leaders. Maybe it will be here in this church, somewhere in the state, or even on a national level. Just think of the influence you have of each and everyone of them; do they see Jesus through you? The teenagers are preparing for graduation activities next week. What have we done in their lives?

I did a little investigating this week and found that our graduates are just not sitting back and taking life easy. They plan to go on to college or a job and will be working hard in their chosen fields. Look at what they are doing:

Tessa Clark	Smith College
Cody Staples	Unknown
Kayla Beaton	Thomas College
Sean Cavanaugh	U of Maine, Orono
Macy Gillespie	U of Maine, Orono
Tommy Ginn	Southern Maine Community College
Merrick Harding	Unknown
Alissa Lovely	Washington County Community College
Lara Marshall	U of Maine, Orono
Mary McAdams	U of Maine, Machias
Tony Slater	Unknown
Michael Perkins	Unknown
Zachery Newman	University of Southern Maine
Ben Pagels	U of Maine, Orono

Those students with "unknown" after their names indicates that they either haven't decided on their school or future employment.

THIS 'N THAT

Sorry to hear that Bruce Howland has been a little under the weather. A quick trip to the hospital, and he is now at home feeling much better.

Our sympathy goes out to Jeff & Patti Gagner. Jeff's sister died unexpectedly in Florida.

Also, our hearts were saddened by the tragic death of a local teenager. Prayers go out to his family.

Muriel Doten is just a "card selling fanatic." That lady sold over 150 boxes of cards. The proceeds from the sales go to the mortgage. Thank you, Muriel.

As of June 7, we will begin our summer church schedule. Morning worship will begin at 10 am. Tom & Debbie Doherty will continue their Bible Fundamental classes throughout the summer starting at 9am Sunday mornings. This class will meet in the sanctuary.

Believe it or not, it's time for the Youthwork kids to arrive. Whitney Merrell, who has been here for the past two years will be the Site Leader. The 4 local leaders will be here on May 31 and prepare for the kids to arrive on June 14. Another busy, noisy summer.

A big "Thank You" goes out to Bill & Sandra Quigley, and Ron and Ginny Bubak for their continue support. Let's hope we get to see them this summer.

At this writing, we haven't celebrated the open houses for Issie (80th birthday) and Cecil & Irene's 50th anniversary. But, I dare say, a great time will be had at both events.

Thank you to John Demmons for "volunteering" to mow the lawn at the parsonage. You did good!!! :-)

Not many workers showed up for the work day last week, but those here en-

Thank you, Nancy.

Abe Holmes is learning how to operate the sound booth. Thank you, Abe, for stepping in and giving Austin a well deserved break.



Sally & Beth Doten traveled to Presque Isle on May 15th to celebrate the graduations of Stacey Doten from the nursing program at Northern Maine Community College and Ashley Marden's graduation from University of Maine at Presque Isle. Thirty family members were there to celebrate.

Mike Bailey, son of Bruce & Sharon has been transferred to Hospice Care. Our prayers are with the family during a difficult period.

Happy to report that Pastor Dave's mom's health has improved. Keep her in your prayers.

OUR COLLEGE GRADUATES

Now seeking jobs, with a new degree in hand are:



Brad Demmons
David Rae
Stacey Doten
Ashley Marden



GOOD LUCK
To each of
you.