



# Cape Neddick Tide

*What's Coming and Going at the Cape Neddick Baptist Church  
February 2017*

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## **Pastoral Ponderings**

Rev. David Strosahl will be with us during the month of February. During the first part of the month his sermon's will be speaking about Holy Places and Spaces. Do you have some holy spaces or places?

## **Birthday and Anniversary List**

The new birthday and anniversary sheet for February 2017 is on the table beneath the bulletin board.

If there is anyone who would like to be included in our birthday listing [month and date --no year], please let Betty Lovering know.

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*Bud is doing well, but I know he would love hearing from you!*

## **Christian Education**

Sunday School classes for children, youth and adults are held each Sunday at 9:00 AM. Come and see the new youth Sunday School space. Check-out our progress. The Board of Christian Education arranges for and provides Children's Messages and Children's Church each week during the worship service.

Alexander Lumenello, Nicholas Lumenello and Shawna Norton were awarded their Cape Neddick

Baptist Church Sunday School Scholarships for the academic year 2016-2017 in mid-January. Zander is majoring in Public Health at Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences; Nick is majoring in Pre-Med at the University of New England; and Shawna is majoring in Kinesiology at San Diego State University. We are thankful to the generosity and forward-thinking of the Leetch sisters enabling our church family to encourage and support these young men and young woman.

Nick Lumenello and his friend Tyler, a pre-pharmacy student from UNE, provided special music on January 22<sup>nd</sup>. "God of Wonder" was their selection.

Looking ahead: We are working on plans for a winter youth event. Check the website for details.



**Pulpit Committee (Pastoral Search Committee)**

The CNBC Advisory Board selected nine members to serve on the Pulpit Committee: David Butler, Crystal Butler, Dianne Hludik, Frank Hludik, Robert (Bo) Kinsman, Sheri Nadeau, Sue Norton, Louise Todd and Henry Warner. With God's leading our mission is to seek the person that He has called to pastor our church.

With input from the entire congregation, we will conduct a self study that will be used to develop a Church profile. The Church profile along with other material that describes our church family and facilities will be used to develop database search criteria and a packet of information for potential pastors. The American Baptist Churches USA national database will be used to search for potential ministers that will fit the needs of our church family.

Please pray the God will clearly reveal the one He is preparing to call to pastor our church. It is with God that we look to the future.



**Snow-Pal Reveal and Thank-You Valentine Luncheon**

On Sunday February 12<sup>th</sup>, after the worship service, a luncheon will be held to reveal our snow pals and thank Rev. Dr. Richard Visser and Rev. Carol Visser for ministering to us over the past years. The Vissers served as an interim ministry team at our church before Pastor Don's pastorate began. The Vissers are currently the Area Resource Ministers serving the York County American Baptist Churches and will retire at the end of February. We wish to thank them for all the love, support, prayer and care that they have provided. A basket for thank-you cards will be available at the luncheon.



**Pies Needed for York Ecumenical Meal**

The Cape Neddick Baptist Church will help make pies for the York Ecumenical Meal on Saturday, March 4, at noon. This is a FREE complete Turkey Dinner to be served at St. Christopher Church Hall at 4 Barrell Lane in York.

This meal is hosted by: St. George's Episcopal Church, St. Christopher Catholic Church, First Parish Congregational Church, United Methodist Church of Cape Neddick and Ogunquit, Cape Neddick Baptist Church, and Union Congregational Church.

They would like us to donate ten pies. A signup sheet for making pies will be posted on the sanctuary bulletin board. The pies are due on Saturday March 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. at our church.

**ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual meeting of the church was held on January 22nd. All the reports were approved, along with the 2017 budget and the report of the Nominating

Committee. You will find at the back of the sanctuary copies of the annual reports. Please take one, it offers an overview of 2016.

### Church Calendar Entries:

**Sunday January 29<sup>th</sup>** Rev. Dr. Alfred Fletcher will lead the worship service

**Monday January 30<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 p.m. Pulpit Committee Meeting

**Tuesday January 31<sup>st</sup>** at 5:30 p.m. Diaconate Meeting

**Sunday February 12<sup>th</sup>**

Valentine Luncheon

**Monday February 13<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 p.m. Pulpit Committee Meeting

**Wednesday March 1<sup>st</sup>** Lent Begins

**Saturday March 4<sup>th</sup>** at 8:00 a.m. Pies due for Ecumenical Meal

### CNBC Faith Crafting Together Group

What exactly goes on during this particular Life Together Group?

*FELLOWSHIP ~FUN~ FAITH CRAFTING* projects & sometimes even a little bit of *FOOD* are all part of what is happening!

If you are interested in coming out to one of the

times listed below to have some fellowship, a snack and enjoy learning something new, or bring one of your projects to do, then please join us in our church vestry.

Looking forward to you joining us

**Thursday February 16<sup>th</sup>**  
9-11a 1-3p and 6-8pm

### Any Questions?

Please call or email Crystal Butler 207-752-1994  
cbutler2@maine.rr.com

### Verse of the month

[Galatians 6:9](#)

*And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart.*

If anyone has a favorite verse that they would like to use for the verse of the month, please let Sue Norton know. Thank you.



### Are you a knitter?

We are knitting prayer shawls to donate to the York Hospital Hospice. If you (or someone you know) knits

and would like to make one, talk to Betty Lovering or Sheri Nadeau. We will provide the yarn!

### CNBC Women Save the Date

**Women of Joy with Natalie Grant, Margaret Feinberg, Lisa Harper and more!**



August 18-19, 2017  
Lowell Memorial Auditorium  
~ Lowell, MA

### Food Pantry

We continue to collect donations for the Food Pantry. The collection box is located in the back of the sanctuary.