

RELIGION

Things to Do Religion

ATKINSON — The 29th annual quilt show, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, July 16, Atkinson United Methodist Church. Luncheon 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Admission \$2. For information, call Linda Roebuck at 564-7060 or Martha Andrews at 564-2435.

BANGOR — Glad Tidings Church Thrift Store, 1033 Broadway, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturdays. gtcbangor.com or facebook.com/gtcbangor.

BANGOR — Summer worship, 9 a.m. July and August, All Souls Congregational Church, 10 Broadway. 942-7354.

BANGOR — New Beginnings Church, self-described “come as you are” kind of church located at 1606 Hammond St., with ministries for children, couples, women, men and outreach. Services, 10:30 a.m. Sundays; Healing School, 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays. 945-4051 or newbeginningsbangor.org.

BANGOR — Bangor Community Chorus welcomes singers to participate in this nonaudition, diverse chorus, which rehearses 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays, First United Methodist Church, 703 Essex St. Stacy George, 333-0980 or sgeo8@roadrunner.com.

BANGOR — Sermon to be announced, 10 a.m. Sunday, July 3, Unitarian Universalist Society of Bangor, 120 Park St. 947-7009 or UUBangor.org.

BANGOR — Sermon “Surprising Prophets” by the Rev. Dr. Mark A. Doty, and Holy Communion, 10 a.m. Sunday, July 3, Hammond Street Congregational Church, UCC, corner of Hammond and High streets. Adult study, 9 a.m.; coffee hour, 11:30 a.m.

BANGOR — Tuesday Night Coffeehouse and open mic night, 7-10 p.m. Tuesdays, Unitarian Universalist Society of Bangor, 120 Park St. Perform songs, slam poetry or read a short story. Bring your voice and instrument, but keep it acoustic. Coffee, tea and baked goods available for purchase. Free, but donations accepted.

BANGOR — Kids Bible Club, 5:30-7 p.m. Wednesdays, Glad Tidings Church, 1033 Broad-

way. For kindergartners through eighth-graders. Choose from sports or crafts, followed by Bible time and a light meal. 947-0324, ext. 15, or Facebook.com/GTCBangor.

BANGOR — Free community meal, 12:30 p.m. Sundays, Columbia Street Baptist Church, 63 Columbia St. 945-6616.

BELFAST — Belfast Area Friends Meeting, Religious Society of Friends (Quakers), silent, unprogrammed meeting for worship, 11 a.m. Sundays, The Lounge at First Baptist Church, 95 High St. Take the path through the Peace Garden to enter the Friends' worship space. Handicapped-accessible. Child care available. 338-3080 or 930-3518.

BELFAST — Free community supper, 5 p.m. Saturday, July 2, Belfast United Methodist Church, 23 Mill Lane. Menu includes barbecued pulled chicken sandwich, corn on the cob, coleslaw, chips, Jell-O cake with whipped topping.

BELFAST — Summer fair and yard sale, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday, July 9, The First Church in Belfast, UCC, corner of Spring and Court streets. Pies, books, white elephant, plants, baked goods, quilt and afghan raffles, lunch. 338-2882.

BLUE HILL — Simmering Pot free community meals, 2:30-6 p.m. Mondays, First Congregational Church of Blue Hill, 22 Tenney Hill. Closed Monday, July 4, for Fourth of July holiday, and reopens Monday, July 11. Local produce often featured. Worship services, 10 a.m. Sundays. Donations accepted. 374-2891.

BLUE HILL — Exhibit “Icons of the Eastern Orthodox Church,” July 8-Aug. 20, as part of 50th anniversary of Liros Gallery. Talk by Kent Russell, curator and CEO, Russian Icon Museum in Clinton, Massachusetts, 6 p.m. Friday, July 8, at the gallery, 14 Parker Point Road. An icon is a sacred image of The Eastern Orthodox Church painted on wood in tempera by monks in monasteries. 374-5370, lirosgallery.com or liros@lirosgallery.com.

BLUE HILL — Gerald Wheeler, keyboardist/music director of First Congregational Church in

Blue Hill, and Deirdre McArdle performing works for flute, organ, harpsichord and piano in a program dedicated to Edmund Battersby, Nov. 11, 1949-March 25, 2016, 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 8, at the church, 22 Tenney Hill.

BREWER — Totally Catholic Vacation Bible Camp “Cave Quest — Following Jesus — The Light of the World!” 9 a.m.-noon July 18-22, St. Joseph's Church, 531 North Main St. Prekindergarten-entering fifth grade. Free or \$10 donation.

CALAIS — ARISE Addiction Recovery, a faith-based treatment approach to drug and alcohol addiction, is partnering with The Refuge Church and Machias Christian Fellowship to host weekly recovery meetings, 7 p.m. Tuesdays, The Refuge Church, basement of Calais Congregational Church, 21 Calais Ave. Open to men, women and families affected by drug and alcohol addiction. Child care provided. Dan McDonald, 214-0890, ariseaddictionrecovery.com or “ARISE Addiction Recovery” on Facebook.

CAMDEN — Coffee and Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; worship service, 10:45 a.m. Sundays; free community breakfast, 6:30-9 a.m. Mondays; prayer, 7:30-8 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays; devotion and prayer gathering, 7 p.m. Wednesdays; men's group, 7-9 a.m. Saturdays, Chestnut Street Baptist Church, 29 Chestnut St. 236-2195. For men's group information, call Brian Vanden Brink at 236-3922.

CAMDEN — Testimony meetings, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays; Sunday service, 10-11 a.m.; Sunday school for up to age 20, 10-11 a.m., Christian Science Reading Room, 1 Central St., open to listen to chats, lectures and read inspirational magazines, noon-3 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; 5:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday; 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday. Men's group, 7-9 a.m. Saturdays, second-floor high school classroom. 236-4040.

CARMEL — Summer services, 9 a.m. Sundays, through Aug. 28, Carmel Union Congregational Church, Plymouth Road. No church school during summer. 848-3191.

CASTINE — Seventh Sunday of Pentecost and Holy Eucharist by the Rev. Stephen Hayward, celebrant and preacher, 9 a.m. Sunday, July 3, Trinity Episcopal Church, 150 Perkins St. Guest pianist Mark DeMareo; Mickey Gast, soprano. Refreshments.

CASTINE — Sermon “Political Correctness, Religion and the Nation's ‘Barbarous Ancestors’” by historian Lynn H. Parsons, 10:30 a.m. Sunday, July 3, Meeting House, Castine Town Common, followed by the annual picnic. 326-9083, office@uucastine.org or minister@uucastine.org.

CASTINE — Sermon “Getting Over Myself” by the Rev. Tim Hall, 9:30 a.m. Sunday, July 3, Trinitarian Congregational Parish of Castine, 68 Main St. Service of Holy Communion. Refreshments. 326-9486 or tcpoc.org.

DEXTER — Kids Bible Club for children in kindergarten-grade five, 5-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, New Hope Baptist Church, 130 Spring St. 924-7419 or NHBCDexter Facebook page.

DEXTER — Coffee fellowship, 8 a.m.; prayer in pastor's office, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 9 a.m.; worship services, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Kid's Bible Club for kindergarten-grade five, 5-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays; Wired Youth Fellowship for grades six-12, 5:30 p.m. Sundays, New Hope Baptist Church, 130 Spring St. Prayer meetings, 6 p.m. Wednesdays; Ladies Bible Study on “The Fruit of the Spirit,” 10 a.m.; special Sunday school class for couples who have children or plan to have children, focusing on marriage. Food pantry distribution, 8-9 a.m. first and third Saturdays each month. NewHopeDexter.org, NHBCDexter Facebook page or 924-7419.

EAST MILLINOCKET — Annual lawn party, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday, July 21, St. Peter's Catholic Church, 58 Cedar St. Baked goods, crafts, knit goods, food, fudge booths; auction, 2 p.m. Spaghetti supper, 4 p.m., parish hall. 746-3333.

ELLSWORTH — Downeast Spiritual Life Conference “Jesus and the Heart of Wisdom,” July 15-16, Moore Community Center. Offered as part of St.

Francis by the Sea Episcopal Church in Blue Hill's “Exploring Jesus' Alternative Social Vision” series. Registration at downeastspiritual.org. 374-5200.

ELLSWORTH — Saturday sanctuary sessions explore faith, religion and spirituality, 4:30-6:30 p.m. second and fourth Saturdays, St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 175 Downeast Highway. Supper is potluck with theme, topic and menu posted on StAndrewME.org and Facebook usually Wednesday before. No alcohol or tobacco. 667-7641.

GUILFORD — Food cupboard, 1:30-3 p.m. Wednesdays, Guilford United Methodist Church, 3 School St. For Elliottsville, Willimantic, Blanchard, Abbot, Guilford, Sangerville, Parkman, Wellington and Cambridge.

GUILFORD — Worship, 10 a.m. Sundays, Guilford United Methodist Church, 3 School St. Coffee hour, 9-9:50 a.m. Choir rehearsal, 9:15 a.m., in the sanctuary.

HOWLAND — Exodus Bible study, 10-11 a.m. Tuesdays; worship, 11 a.m.-noon Sundays, starting July 3, Howland United Methodist Church, 23 Coffin St. 862-4281.

LIMERICK — Sermon by Pastor John Short Jr., 10 a.m. Sundays, Maine Life Gate Christian Church, 3 Foss Road. Saturday service, 6 p.m. Sermons posted at Facebook.com/MaineLifeGateChristianChurch. 793-2610 or info@mlgchurch.com.

LINCOLN — Acts Bible study, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Mondays; free community suppers, 5-6 p.m. Wednesdays; Sunday school, 9:15 a.m.; social hour, 10-10:45 a.m.; followed by worship, 11 a.m. Sundays; informal contemporary evening worship, 6-7 p.m. Sundays, First United Methodist Church, 8 Lee Road. 794-8443.

LINCOLN — Spiritual Growth group, 5:30-6:30 p.m. Mondays; 1-2 p.m. Thursdays, First United Methodist church, 8 Lee Road. Cheryl at 794-8443 or cherylstratton01@gmail.com.

LINCOLN — Programs of Religious Activities with Youth program “God and Church” leads youth in grades six through eight

on a three-part faith journey: meeting Jesus, worshipping God, and witnessing and ministering for Christ, 3-4:30 p.m. Tuesdays, First Methodist Church, 8 Lee Road. 794-8443.

OLD TOWN — GriefShare, a grief support group, 10-11:30 a.m. Fridays, through July 29, Old Town United Methodist Church, 726 Stillwater Ave. Workbook, DVD presentation, discussion and refreshments. Sue, 827-3649 or 944-5323.

OTIS — Community yard sale, 8 a.m. Saturday, July 9, Otis Baptist Church, 9 Church Lane. Free tables with reservation at 537-2432. Baked bean supper, 5 p.m., by donation.

ROCKLAND — Day camp for kindergarten-grade five to promote understanding and goodwill among religions while having fun, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Aug. 22-26, First Universalist Church, 345 Broadway. Buddhism, Hinduism, Islam and Earth Centered Spirituality with storytelling, arts and crafts, games and special visitors. Cost \$125 per child, with adjustments for families; additional \$5 per hour for before and after child care. Registration forms at 594-8750 or online at uurockland.breezechms.com/form/8d03cd95. Positions available for counselors-in-training (grades six-eight) and counselors (grades nine-12). Carney Doucette, dre@uurockland.org.

ROCKLAND — “Dr. Seuss — UU Style,” 10-11 a.m. Sundays, July 10-Sept. 25, First Universalist Church, 345 Broadway. One Dr. Seuss book will be read each Sunday, followed by activities that support a universal message being illustrated in the book. In “Horton Hears a Who,” children learn that their voices do count, and in “I Can Lick 30 Tigers Today,” children learn about how to be humble. Free. 594-8750.

SEARSPORT — Annual auction, knitted and crocheted items, handicrafts, homemade food, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday, July 4, Searsport United Methodist Church, Main Street. Auctioneer Linda Sullivan. Lunch wagon. Ashley Curtis, 548-2462.

For a complete listing of calendar items or to submit your event, visit www.bangordailynews.com.

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4:00PM St. Joseph's..... Brewer

Sunday
7:00AM St. Mary's..... Bangor
8:30AM St. Gabriel's..... Winterport
8:30AM St. Mary's..... Bangor
10:30AM St. John's..... Bangor
10:30AM St. Matthew's..... Hampden
5:30PM St. Teresa's..... Brewer

Confession:
Saturday
2:30 PM to 3:45 PM, St. John's, Bangor
3:00 PM to 3:45 PM, St. Joseph's, Brewer

Sunday
4:30 PM to 5:15 PM, St. Teresa's, Brewer

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

☒ 4PM - Holy Family, Old Town

☒ 5:30PM - St. Ann's, Indian Island

Sunday

☒ 8AM - Holy Family, Old Town

☒ 9:30AM - St. Ann's, Bradley

☒ 11AM - Our Lady of Wisdom / Newman Center, Orono

Quakers - Friends

Meetings for Worship

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