

Mutual Ministry at the First Church in Jaffrey

Central to our congregational vision of faith and spirit is the idea that God is most richly reflected in the fullness of community. This means specifically that the ministry of the First Church in Jaffrey is a shared effort – everyone has a part to play whether you are a long-time member or a new friend. Our mutual ministry consists not only of the tasks we share, but in the spirit of love and care we bring to every moment of our time together.

Be Involved at First Church

Calendar this week:

Monday, July 8, 6:30 pm – Jaffrey Scout Troop 33 (*Pond*)

Tuesday, July 9, 9:00 am – Strength and Stretch Class

No Summer Faith Series: next 7/23

Wednesday, July 10, 8:00 pm – AA meeting

Friday, July 12, 9:00 am – Strength and Stretch Class

Steve is Away

Steve is away this week at church camp (Horton Center) in the White Mountains and will be out of town until he is back in the pulpit on July 14th – if you have an emergency, please reach out to Sam Greene or Janet Grant – we have pastors on call to help.

107th Summer Fair! August 7th - save the date!

Quality merchandise that we can sell at the Fair may be

donated at any of these dates: *Tuesday, July 16th, 10 – 12,*

Thursday, July 25th, 2 – 4, Saturday, Aug. 3rd, 11 - 1

Drop off location is behind the parsonage. No power tools, electronics, or exercise equipment this year. But we welcome antiques, fine art, jewelry, fabrics & linens, puzzles, garden merchandise, baked goods, white elephant, among other collectibles.

Pies at First Church are Back!

Selling most summer Fridays at 2 pm, lots of fruit pies each week but come early. Pies are always needed and don't worry if they wouldn't win "best in show". As long as they taste good, they'll sell! We did not selling pies this Friday July 5th because of the holiday. But we will be back selling pies on July 12th. Then off again on Friday July 19th and back selling on July 26th. (Our selling dates in August are 2,16,23).

Firesale on Firewood

Bruce Hill, Dan Wilfrid and our Scouts have been busy splitting the logs left from recent tree removal in the Memorial Garden and are ready to offer firewood to those who can come and get it in exchange for a donation to the church. Some already have, but the supply is plentiful, and we need to clear the area before parsonage painting happens in late August. The amount of the donation is up to you. It can approximate what you'd pay elsewhere, reflect a significant "Member Discount," or even be minimal if some free wood would help a tight household budget. For more information, and perhaps even for some help loading, contact Dan Wilfrid at 774-364-1449.