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Elder's Note

WORDS OF PSALM 146

"I want to share this; it gives hope to all"

By Bob Seppala

Greetings of grace and peace from our God. I just wanted to share this text with all. It gives hope to all.

Psalm 146

¹Praise the LORD.

Praise the LORD, my soul.

²I will praise the LORD all my life;

I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.

³Do not put your trust in princes,

in human beings, who cannot save.

⁴When their spirit departs, they return to the ground;

on that very day their plans come to nothing.

⁵Blessed are those whose help is the God of Jacob,

whose hope is in the LORD their God.

⁶He is the Maker of heaven and earth,

the sea, and everything in them —

he remains faithful forever.

⁷He upholds the cause of the oppressed

and gives food to the hungry.

The LORD sets prisoners free,

⁸ the LORD gives sight to the blind,

the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down,

the LORD loves the righteous.

⁹The LORD watches over the foreigner

and sustains the fatherless and the widow,

but he frustrates the ways of the wicked.

¹⁰The LORD reigns forever,

your God, O Zion, for all generations.

Praise the LORD.

Thank you and God bless,

Bob Seppala

Note: Bob Seppala is taking a sabbatical from the Elder's group. Thank you, Bob, for serving us faithfully!! God bless you!

HOPE IN OUR WORLD

RONNIE GRADUATES, BELIEVERS ARE BAPTIZED, STUDENTS PREPARE FOR VBS

By Ronnie and Tandy Seppala

Happy Spring!

It is winter in Managua. That simply means a season of thick humidity that comes down in daily rainfall. Now that we are living on a small piece of property, we look on with pleasure as God waters the plants and fruit trees.

Ronnie graduated from Seminary! We praise our good God with the close of this chapter of nearly a decade of study. The director of SEBINIC is asking



Ronnie & Tandy Seppala are missionaries in Nicaragua, supported by Hope Fellowship.

Ronnie to teach, and this Friday Ronnie will teach his first class at one of the Seminary's extensions at a local church. It is a 6 weeklong course with about 30 members of the congregation signed up. You can keep him in prayer as he steps out in faith on this new endeavor.

On Easter Sunday we held a baptism service and a woman and four young boys were baptized. A growing group of individuals is waiting for the next baptismal class to begin, and we are excited to see evidence of the Spirit's work. And we pray for laborers.

At the school, the students are looking forward to VBS in June. They are learning the songs and Bible verse for this year. We are thankful for this great springboard, motivating each class to spend more time in God's Word. We await your coming in June!



Easter Sunday baptism in Nicaragua

Through Facebook and through Jody we shared in your joy in the new church building, and we keep you in prayer during this time of transition. If all goes as we plan, we will come for a visit the first week of August.

Ronnie and Tandy with Nathaniel and Lydia

TO NARNIA WE GO

By Bob O'Brien

The Lord has already provided airfare funds for Sheila & I to return to *Narnia* in late August this year. We hope to pick up where we left off by continuing our commitment to *Hope4Narnia*; supplying English reading material for four select villages that we visited these last two years. In addition to books, we hope to bring board games that will help make learning English fun and easy. During our last two visits, we received several requests for projectors and laptops (hoping to bring two of each this year). Additionally we hope to bring MPOWERD™ solar lamps as gifts for the various indigenous people we visit (power often times goes out after 9 pm). Lord willing, we may even have the opportunity to visit another location to witness our indigenous friends share the Gospel using the Jesus video on tablets.

Last year we met a young American lady volunteering with the "Peace Corps" serving in the most remote village that we visit. During our brief

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introduction it was clear that she was overwhelmed and in store for a very challenging two-year commitment. This year we offered to carry back any supplies that her family ships to our home prior to departure. We do the same for long-term M-workers that have been in Narnia for many years. This can be a blessing in itself because it helps them receive personal items from home/America.

Opportunities to partner:

1. Prayer that the Lord will use us to glorify Himself, prepare hearts, bind the enemy and strengthen indigenous believers and allow us to witness conversions.
2. 5 -10 USB's loaded with contemporary gospel music (it could be the same music for each USB)
3. 5, 10, or 15 MPOWERD™ outdoor solar lamps (google mpowered luci-outdoor solar lamps)
4. Board games that will make it fun and easy to reinforce the English language.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please feel free to seek out Bob or Sheila O'Brien or contact us at rsobrien@myfairpoint.net.

*May the Lord bless you and keep you,
Bob & Sheila O'Brien*

GOOD NEWS CLUB NETS 27 KIDS AT HIGHBRIDGE HILL

By Wanda Knisley

Child Evangelism Fellowship puts together programs, like the Good News Club to bring the gospel of Christ to children here in New Hampshire. The Good News Club is geared for elementary age children. It is taught in our schools but also can be taught in other places.

Hope Fellowship Church supports a Good News Club program at Highbridge Hill Elementary in New Ipswich. We held club meetings from December of 2016 to April 10, 2017. We started off with a Christmas Party, "Christmas Around America". A total of 27 children joined our club this year. We met on Mondays, after school, from 3:30-4:45 p.m. Four other moms joined me as volunteers-Sara

Desrosiers, Marcy Stacy, Elizabeth Brown and a new helper, Tina McCabe.

The program we worked through was *God's Good News: The Wordless Book*. The lessons were about *Teaching the Gospel* with a book of colors. Each color was a reminder of a step in the gospel. At the end of the program, each parent received an invitation to join a church for Easter services with a list of local churches they could attend.

There is also a summer program available called *5 Day Club*. *5 Day Clubs* go into homes; you invite neighbors, and friends to come during summer vacation. It takes place for 5 consecutive days, one and a half hour each day. Like the Good News Club program, it includes Bible lessons, songs and activities, geared for children ages 5-12. If you are interested in learning more about hosting a club this summer, contact Wanda Knisley 878-2523 with questions or CEF of NH (Child Evangelism Fellowship of NH) at (603) 369-4566.

HOPE IN OUR YOUTH

HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY STUDENTS ARE AMAZING & HELPFUL

By Jamie Moody

Youth group has been an amazing ministry to be a part of. We have a great group of students who never hesitate to help. Whether it's an exploded soda in the freezer, pairing snacks for the group, or painting tables and chairs, they are always ready and willing. They're energetic and eager to learn about God and worship him. Every week we try to have a mixture of hang out time, game time, time of singing and worship, devotional study and a message from Jordan or other guest speakers.

Our Bible study time is usually very practical. For example, we have done studies that answer questions like: how should we treat mean people? How do we handle stress? But we also use that time to get to know the God we serve – what does it mean – God is

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holy? That is the latest question we are handling in our Student Ministry.

Youth group is continuing through the summer on Sunday nights from 6-8 PM. One thing we would like to do more in the future is to expose the students to more testimonies from the leadership and congregation. If you're interested, please contact Jordan or Jamie Moody. Our main goal is to help our students take their next step in their walk with God. There are many ways in which we are trying to accomplish that but we do need help in this mission.

If God has given you a desire to help mentor students and teens for God's glory please don't hesitate to ask how you can get involved in seeing teens grow in their walk with Jesus.

Jamie Moody

HOPE & FRIENDS GROUP HAS COOL SUMMER PLANS

By Wanda Knisley

WHO WE ARE: Hope & Friends Youth Group:

Encouraging spiritual, social, and recreational growth for those who are physically handicapped, developmentally and/or mentally disabled.

We meet on Thursdays, twice a month, the 1st and 3rd week, 6:30-8pm at Hope Fellowship Church.

New participants, please come 15 minutes early. Connect with us on Face Book- *Hope and Friends Youth Group*- serving people with disabilities. E-mail: hopeandfriends@hfcnh.org or call/text Wanda Knisley at 562-8477. You also can find a link on Hope Fellowship Church web site: hfcnh.org.

Hope & Friends Youth Group is in full swing. Week 1 of the month, we meet in the Youth room at Hope. We pray, do a Bible lesson, then an activity or game to get to know each other and end with prayer. Next, we talk about a planned outing for the THIRD week of the month. Check our facebook page calendar to see plans for monthly outings. In June, we plan to go swimming at *Crotched Mountain Rehab Center*, Greenfield, New Hampshire! In July, we are going to *Hillfest* on Locke Road. in New Ipswich.

We'd love more volunteers! You can be a buddy and come along and join in the fun or a leader and organize an area of our group (ex. activities planner

or Bible study leader.) We would like to send invitations to join our group to local schools soon. Currently, we have 3 participants, 4 volunteers and are praying for more! Some activities will have cost. If you'd like to help by donating, please put a check in a labeled envelope, place in an offering box at Hope. Above all, please pray for us! Thank you!

*Blessings,
Wanda Knisley*

HOPE IN OUR CHURCH

TODDLER CHURCH A FAVORITE MINISTRY

By Jamie Moody

"Let the little children to come unto me and do not forbid them for of such is the kingdom of heaven" Mathew 19:14

Toddler church has been one of my favorite ministries. We get to tell little ones about the God who created them and loves them so much. Yes, we also clean up spilled veggie sticks, kiss hurt fingers, and help clean up their toys - all the while, one is waving a wet diaper from the bathroom door asking for a dry one!

Our mission in Toddler church is for each child to know they are loved. Expanding from one room to two has helped tremendously. The children have extra space to play and there are more teachers available to spend time with them. Bible lessons are now tailored more specifically to each age group. Thank you to all our volunteers who work so hard to create a warm and loving environment!

If toddler church sounds as fun to you as it does me - here are some ways to get involved. Every Sunday we have a teacher, adult helper, and junior helper in each room. We have expanded to two rooms so we need to double our staff. We are looking for teachers for the "ones and twos" room. We can also use more helpers- whether you are a junior (10-15) or an adult (16-and beyond) we have a spot for you in toddler church.

Jamie Moody

THANK YOU, FAMILIES, FOR A GOOD SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR!

By Doug Seppala

Hello Hope Parents and Volunteers,
As we close out another Sunday school year, I'd like to thank everyone that helped to make it happen. First of all, thank you parents for bringing your children each week to join us. Our teachers work hard to prepare a new lesson every week and they spend time praying for your children. A huge thanks to all of the teachers for your hard work and diligence. We could not do this without you!

Thank you volunteers for preparing our snacks each week after class-this is one of the highlights for the students! And thank you David Sikkila, Amanda Ketola and Stacy Sikkila for leading us in singing.

We have gone through some big changes moving into the new building, and we want to thank the Design team for making the transition so smooth! While all these changes are new and exciting, it's comforting to know we serve the God who never changes and is with us wherever we go! Above all, we thank You, Lord, for Your Spirit to empower us and teach and lead your children!

As we look forward to the summer break, we ask that you keep us in prayer, more specifically, pray for more volunteers! We are looking for help with snack prep, teaching and subs for the teachers. Team teaching is something we find very productive. With two teachers, one is always available and it gives the kids a chance to get to know more people. If you feel called or would like to know more about helping out in one of these areas, please get in touch with myself or email secretary@hfcn.org.

I want to thank you all for giving me the opportunity to teach your children, although at times, I think they are teaching me! It has been an eventful year and I look forward to seeing everyone in the fall.

*May God Bless you all,
Doug Seppala*



May 21, 2017 was the last day of Sunday school. The 9th grade class shared testimonies and recited memory passages for the whole congregation in a special Confirmation service. Front, L-R: Jenna Holmes, Halle Sauvola, Emma Knisley, Shannon Wooster, Amber Wooster. Back, L-R: Britain Sauvola, Silas Seppala, Dakota Somero, Decker Ketola, Evan Hill, Noah Holombo and Pastor Jordan Moody.

HOPE FOR FAMILIES

PAYING DEBT IN A TIMELY MANNER

By Bob O'Brien

"Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in your power to do it. 28 Do not say to your neighbor, "Go, and come again, tomorrow I will give it"—when you have it with you." Proverbs 3:27-28 (ESV)

"The wicked borrows but does not pay back, but the righteous is generous and gives" Psalm 37:21 (ESV)

Sometimes people delay paying creditors until the payment is delinquent. I remember when we were landlords; our third set of tenants always required a telephone call prior to sending their delinquent payment, which always included a late fee. It wasn't until many years later when I finally understood that in their economy, the late fee was a part of their monthly rent.

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Godly people should pay their debts and bills as promptly as possible, without depleting all your savings (one should have an emergency reserve at all times). This would also apply to things that we may borrow from family, friends & neighbors; we should return items in a timely manner. It could also apply to compliments, an apology or sending a simple thank note, which could serve as blessing and source of encouragement to the recipient. When you return something quickly or make a payment on time or early, it also frees you of the psychological burden created by owing. When we are delinquent, these pressures can hang over us and create subtle levels of stress and potentially create a wedge in relationships. This doesn't mean to avoid borrowing tools and items from family, neighbors and friends; it helps reinforce community and allows the owner to provide a blessing. God has intended for us to be interdependent.

If you are delinquent, make that phone call to let your lender know that you haven't forgotten and are committed to make that payment or return that item. It will help reassure them that you are reliable and it will take a little pressure/guilt off you. The discussion will most likely lead to an amicable plan.

This information is from both the Bible and Crown Financial Biblical Study. There is a small group study offered by Crown Financial, led by Bob & Sheila O'Brien. The ten series study covers the major stewardship topics and can help you develop a balanced biblical approach that when followed will lead to reduced financial strain and a great life plan while still relying fully on the Lord.

If you would like to learn more about biblical principles of stewardship please speak to Bob O'Brien at church or you can also call or text at 603-831-4952.

HOPE SUMMER CALENDAR 2017

JUNE 18th:

"FASCINATED BY GOD" SERIES BEGINS/PSALMS

Sunday mornings-10:30 am. with Pastor Jordan Moody

"I hope this walk through the book of Psalms will help you encounter God in such a way that you have nothing to say, but WOW."

JULY 9th:

LUNCH WITH OUR LEADERS

Pizza after the Worship service

If you are new to Hope Fellowship, or even fairly new, join us for pizza, get to know us and help us to get to know you! Email: secretary@hfcnh.org, with your name (s), how many? & any dietary restrictions.

JULY 22nd:

HILLFEST WORSHIP FESTIVAL

3-10 pm. Locke Rd. New Ipswich, NH

Phil Wickham/Jason Gray/Citizen Way/Mass Anthem

hfcnh.org for tickets

Hillfest is an outdoor Christian worship festival located in beautiful "Lord's Valley", at the end of Locke Road, New Ipswich, NH. Christian artists, food vendors, activities and merchandise and more make for an exciting one day worship festival.

JULY 27th-30th:

YOUTH CAMP AT CAMP WINAMAC

For teens & young adults, ages 14-19 yrs.

4 day overnight camp in Greenfield, NH.

SEPT. 10th:

HOPE BUILDING DEDICATION SERVICE/OPEN HOUSE

"Come and see what God has done!" A time to reflect & a time to celebrate with church family and community. All welcome! More info to come.

SEPT. 17th:

FIRST DAY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:30 am.

Classes for students in Kindergarten-Grade 9.

Sept. 17, 2017-May 20, 2018.

TOP 3 VOLUNTEER NEEDS at HOPE

1. THREADS OF HOPE: Contact Ruth Ann Moody (603) 759-5451
2. TODDLER CHURCH HELPERS: Contact Rachel West (603) 724-4325
3. AUDIO-VISUAL HELP "Behind the scenes": Contact Cale Sikkila (603) 732-6205

GET TO KNOW A HOPE FAMILY

Todd & Maureen Chamberlain



1. **What town do you live in?**
Jaffrey
2. **Where did you grow up?**
Jaffrey (both)
3. **How did you meet your spouse?**
We met in High School.
4. **What is your job?**
Todd – Project Superintendent for Hutter Construction.
Maureen – Finance Billing Specialists for Infogroup.
5. **Can you tell us something you appreciate today about your spouse?**
Todd – Her strength to endure any situation.
Maureen – His work ethic. He has always been a very hard worker and provided for our family. Also his love for our family.
6. **How many children do you have and what are their names and ages?**
We have 3. Courtney 25, Derek 22, and Dakota 20. We also are blessed with 2 grandchildren – Zahriah 3 yrs. and Emaleah 1 yr.
7. **What do you enjoy doing together with your family?**
Camping and playing games.

8. **What are your favorite hobbies?**
Playing with our grandchildren has to be number one.
Todd – Hiking and biking.
Maureen – Gardening and my new hobby is helping people with their skin care with *Rodan + Fields*.
9. **What brought you to Hope Fellowship Church?**
Our children had started coming about 6 years ago and convinced us to try it. We knew it had to be a special place to get teenagers up and out of the house on a Sunday morning. We have been coming ever since.
10. **What is something you enjoy about Hope Fellowship?**
Todd – I enjoy the way the Bible is broken down and explained.
Maureen – The message is always something I can relate to and understand. I feel like I have learned so much since we started coming to Hope.
11. **Are you currently serving at Hope Fellowship and in what roles?**
Maureen – Nursery and we are both Greeters, Closers and volunteers for Hillfest.
12. **Is there a message you would leave with your children, your children's children and others when you are gone?** Always remember that everything happens for a reason. There are no coincidences. The trials we go through may be used to help someone else someday. So Pray for everyone often and remember God is always good.

Joke Jar

Q: When do you stop on green and go on red?

A: When you're eating watermelon!

Q: What do you call a cow that just had a baby?

A: De-calf-inated!

Q: What kind of beans don't grow in a garden?

A: Jelly beans!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! HAPPY BIRTHDAY! HAPPY BIRTHDAY! HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

MARCH

2-Dakota Chamberlain
 3-Keith Muhonen
 3-Isabel Seppala
 3-Dallas Wooster
 5-Cora Holombo
 6-Eli Knisley
 8-Faith Wooster
 9-Anden Ketola
 9-Emaleah Sikkila
 9-Connie Somero
 10-Lacey Aho
 10-Laura Sauvola
 12-Jasmin Seppala
 14-Maureen Chamberlain
 14-Elisha Hodgson
 14-Rayna Olson
 16-Travis Rautiola
 18-Joe Kangas
 18-Tavin Rautiola
 20-Taran Stenersen
 21-Jon Caruana
 21-Ayden Seppala
 21-Harlow Traffie
 23-Daimon Gibson
 23-Silas Seppala
 23-Lars Stenersen
 27-Rodney Seppala
 29-Harper Seppala
 30-Justus Somero
 30-Lorraine Stenersen

JULY

1-Lainey Holombo
 1-Cheryl Jankowski
 1-Isabella Knisley
 3-Timothy Anderson
 3-Zachary Clark
 3-Blaine Krook
 3-Rand Traffie
 5-Cruz Seppala
 8-David Bradley
 8-Rebecca Saari
 10-Hannah Clark
 10-Elsie Desrosiers
 10-Ivy Desrosiers
 10-Ashley Seppala
 11-Dane Sauvola
 11-Zaden Sikkila
 11-Ashley White
 19-Emmanuel Hodgson
 20-Claire Seppala
 21-Jenna Knisley
 22-Jenna Holmes
 22-Samantha Olson
 22-Jarrett Sikkila
 24-Josie Seppala
 25-Raelene Somero
 28-Robert Ojala
 29-Taylor Rautiola
 29-Dakota Somero
 20-Michael Sauvola

APRIL

1-Jacon Haase
 1-Cheyenne Sauvola
 3-Cade Salo
 3-Marla Somero
 4-Lyle Sauvola
 6-Kayla Olson
 8-Kyra Salo
 10-Audrey Gibson
 10-Ava Nordahl
 10-Kacy Sauvola
 11-Evangeline Hodgson
 12-Sadie Gibson
 12-Simeon Hodgson
 12-Ruth Ann Moody
 12-Reade Salo
 12-Liam Sauvola
 12-Alan Wooster
 13-Jamie Moody
 13-Ron Stenersen
 17-Mason Lehtonen
 17-Kenneth Lehtonen
 18-Steven Hodgson
 18-Ethan Ketola
 18-Asia Raasio
 18-Shannon Wooster
 19-Courtney Sikkila
 20-Daniel Barbre
 20-Shaye Seppala
 21-Donovan Krook
 22-Max Holombo
 23-Abigail Sauvola
 24-Anders Somero
 25-Melonie Ojala
 27-Matt Saari
 27-Angela Traffie
 27-Cashton Traffie
 27-Lars Traffie
 29-Heather Hill
 29-Cale Sikkila

AUGUST

2-Dane Seppala
 3-Chad Gibson
 3-Chad Saari
 3-Jade Traffie
 4-Joni Somero
 6-Brandon Broome
 6-Ross Somero
 7-Asher Traffie
 7-Cole Traffie
 7-Kell Traffie
 8-Mason Nordahl
 9-Sierra Sauvola
 10-Riley Salo
 11-Derek Chamberlain
 13-Beth Clark
 13-Mia Saari
 15-Celia O'Brien
 15-Matson Seppala
 16-David Hill
 16-Jessica Seppala

MAY

1-Shannon Wooster
 4-Julie Marceau
 6-Shane Rautiola
 7-Benjamin Olson
 9-Slater Somero
 11-Joshua Seppala
 11-Jeffrey Seppala
 15-Greg Hodgson
 15-Kevin Moody
 16-Kyle Holombo
 19-Chase Holombo
 21-Sheryl Gibson
 21-Laurie Nitschke
 23-Willa Aho
 24-Hayes Ketola
 24-Joy Seppala
 25-Sasha Sikkila
 27-Troy Holombo
 29-Robert Clark
 30-Morgan Ketola
 31-Todd Chamberlain

AUGUST (cont.)

17-John Jankowski
 19-Jens Saari
 20-Wren Aho
 20-Justin Haase
 23-Gerald Anderson
 23-Britain Sauvola
 23-Draven Seppala
 23-Adam Traffie
 24-Christa Ojala
 24-Brian Parr
 24-Mackenzie Seppala
 25-Trent Seppala
 27-Maddox Nordahl
 28-Kathleen Muhonen
 29-Brianna Hill
 29-Jeremiah Ketola

JUNE

2-Colson Seppala
 3-Sanders Ketola
 5-Gabrielle Gardiner
 5-Jordan Moody
 5-Noah Olson
 6-Stefanie Traffie
 7-Hunter Desrosiers
 8-Jody Rautiola
 8-Azaria Sikkila
 10-Dawn Seppala
 11-Grady Krook
 12-Aubrey Seppala
 13-Jean Thayer
 15-Ariel Anderson
 16-Brooke Bishop
 16-Lynzie Broome
 16-Adrian Somero
 17-Chase Seppala
 17-Trace Traffie
 18-Kara Olson
 21-Pearl Seppala
 22-Shane Carrier
 24-Noah Holombo
 24-Emily Krook
 25-Emily Somero
 26-Sherree Hodgson
 26-Denver Somero
 27-Shae Salo
 29-Amie Broome
 29-Rachel West
 30-Brayen Ketola
 30-Sheila O'Brien
 30-Noah Rautiola

KEY VERSES TO MEMORIZE:

"Humility Cures Worldliness"

Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.

Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded.

Lament and mourn and weep! Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom.

Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up. James 4:7-8 NKJV

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!**MARCH**

10-Mr. & Mrs. Greg Somero
14-Mr. & Mrs. Scott Wooster

APRIL

13-Mr. & Mrs. Casey Gibson
18-Mr. & Mrs. Chad Gibson
21-Mr. & Mrs. Robert Clark
29-Mr. & Mrs. Lyle Sauvola

MAY

13-Mr. & Mrs. Chad Rautiola
21-Mr. & Mrs. John Jankowski
21-Mr. & Mrs. Ross Somero
21-Mr. & Mrs. Adam Traffie
25-Mr. & Mrs. Graham Heagy
28-Mr. & Mrs. David Anderson
29-Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Martel

JUNE

2-Mr. & Mrs. Jordan Moody
7-Mr. & Mrs. Chad Saari
10-Mr. & Mrs. George Nitsche
18-Mr. & Mrs. Lars Stenersen
20-Mr. & Mrs. Randolph Kangas
29-Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Seppala

JULY

3-Mr. & Mrs. Todd Somero
5-Mr. & Mrs. Joshua West
7-Mr. & Mrs. Mark Aho
8-Mr. & Mrs. David Salo
16-Mr. & Mrs. Dane Sauvola
20-Mr. & Mrs. David Sikkila
23-Mr. & Mrs. Zane Broome
23-Mr. & Mrs. Lars Sauvola
25-Mr. & Mrs. Elijah Ketola
29-Mr. & Mrs. Robert Seppala

AUGUST

1-Mr. & Mrs. Corey Bailey
3-Mr. & Mrs. Todd Chamberlain
5-Mr. & Mrs. Curtis Salo
7-Mr. & Mrs. Rodney Seppala

CONGRATULATIONS NEWLYWEDS

Shane & Shelby (Bertram) Rautiola
May 20, 2017



Jeffrey & Meghan (Wilkie) Seppala
June 10, 2017

RECIPES TO SHARE**COFFEE PUNCH**

½ c. instant coffee
1 c. sugar
1 c. water
1 pt. French vanilla creamer
1 gallon milk
¾ bag ice
½ gallon coffee or vanilla ice cream



Combine instant coffee granules, sugar and 1 cup water in a pot. Mix together and bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Cool coffee mixture. (You can make this ahead of time and cool in a mason jar in the refrigerator).

To serve, combine in punch bowl or large jug: coffee syrup mixture, French vanilla creamer, milk and ice. Scoop and add ice cream. Enjoy!

CAESAR CLUB SANDWICH

1 (whole) cooked chicken breast, sliced
4 oz. thinly sliced pancetta
1 lge. garlic clove, chopped
2 T. chopped fresh flat leaf parsley
1 ½ tsp. anchovy paste
1 tsp. Dijon mustard
1 ½ tsp. lemon juice
½ c. mayonnaise
1 large ciabatta bread
2 oz. arugula lettuce
plum tomatoes, sliced
2-3 oz. Parmesan cheese, shaved



Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Place pancetta on a sheet pan in single layer. Roast 10-15 minutes until crispy. Drain on paper towels.

Place garlic and parsley in food processor or blender and mince. Add anchovy paste, mustard, lemon juice and mayonnaise and process to make a smooth dressing.

Slice ciabatta in half horizontally. Toast halves, cut side up for 5-7 minutes in oven. Spread halves with dressing. Then layer on bottom bread: ½ of arugula, tomatoes, parmesan, pancetta, chicken slices. Sprinkle with salt & pepper, add rest of arugula, then top half of bread. Cut in large wedges and serve.

God Bless You 2017 Graduates!**ACADEMY FOR SCIENCE & DESIGN**

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Matthew Wardwell

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On June 4th, graduates were recognized and given a gift. If you are a graduate, or know a graduate who didn't get one, gift bags are available at Hope Fellowship on the Welcome table. Please take one!

HIGHLIGHTS OF HOPE



You can now hear the Sunday morning message through Facebook live as Pastor Jordan preaches from this podium.



This Toddler Church room fills up with 3 & 4 year olds on Sunday mornings. The 1 & 2 year olds are next door!



Raelene Somero, Rona Nordahl, and Alicia Salo were part of the amazing food crew who served us a picnic lunch at Camp Winamac after the service at Hope on June 11th!



June 11th: The weather was beautiful and kids came down to the beach area for games after lunch. Casey Gibson helps the younger ones "Ring a Lollipop."



June 11th: Heidi Aho helps the kids redeem their game tickets for prizes. Tiahna Somero & Amber Wooster served cotton candy.



June 18th: The High School Student Ministry Group went to Keene, N.H. and spread the news about the Hillfest Worship Festival, happening on July 22nd.