

THE MESSENGER

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*"The Mission of the United Church of Warner is to demonstrate and share
the love of God revealed through Jesus Christ"*

**The Council on Ministry
August meetings are Tuesdays August 3rd and August 17th
at 3 pm in the Parish House.**

******* Summer Pulpit Supply and Music *******

Aug. 1 st	Sherry Thomas	Guest Vocalists
Aug. 8 th	Sherry Thomas	Guest Flutist
Aug. 15 th	David Easton	Guest Flutist
Aug. 23 rd	David Easton	Darlene Nevins, Saxophonist
Aug. 29 th	** Sherry Thomas	**this service is at the Lower Warner Meeting House

Childcare is provided each Sunday during the Worship Service at
10 am, thanks to an anonymous generous donation !

Saturday August 14th is the next Church Supper !!

FANTASTIC SUMMER BARBEQUE !!

Supper is served from 5 to 6:30 pm

**** The proceeds from this supper will go to the Jim Mitchell
Community Park

CHURCH SUPPER SCHEDULE - 2010

Suppers are served from 5 to 6:30 pm

*** August 14th - Barbeque***

September 11th - Pork Roast

October 9th - Ham & Beans

Don't miss these delicious dinners !!

*** proceeds from the Aug 14th Supper will be donated to the
Jim Mitchell Community Park ***

NEW ADDRESS: John & Sally Biewener, 227 Ledges Dr. #323,
Laconia, NH 03246 Tel. No. 366-1428

ANTRIM GIRLS SHELTER

In July we asked for donations of chap/lip sticks and were able to take 46 to the shelter last week. This month they are most in need of journals to write in; 5" x 7" is a good size and they don't need to be fancy or expensive. Let's see how many we can collect in the next four to six weeks! Thanks!!

Worship Ministry Team
Jayne Greenlun, Nancy Eastman, Rachel Hogue, Betty Kemper, Lon Thorpe

Since Annual Meeting the Worship Ministry Team has been busy securing pulpit supply pastors and trying to continue our worship service as usual. We are most grateful to Sherry Thomas, Rev. Richard Slater, Rev. John Young, and Rev. Les Norman for their willingness to supply our pulpit. We need also to thank our secretary, Liz Fougere for her ability to work with all these various pastors, suggesting how we "usually do things" and printing up the bulletin. It definitely takes a team to accomplish this.

August approaches with our pulpit cover for all five Sundays. Sherry Thomas will be preaching on August 1, Communion Sunday, and August 8. Jayne Greenlun has secured David Easton to preach on August 15 and 22. He comes highly recommended by Rev. Larry Smith whom we enjoyed so much last summer.

Plan to join us on August 29 for the annual service at the Historic Lower Warner Meeting House in conjunction with the Warner Historical Society. Sherry Thomas will be preaching. The morning worship will be followed by our usual picnic on the lawn. We are sensitive to the fact that many in our group do not find sitting on a blanket the easiest thing to do, so this year we will be providing a few tables and chairs. Plan to bring your lunch and perhaps something to share. We'll have lemonade and watermelon. In case of rain the picnic will be in fellowship hall. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

As we look to the future with an Interim Pastor, we hope to be thinking of how we can strengthen our faith foundation and explore what the term "worship" means. If you have suggestions of how/what would make worship more meaningful please let one of us know, or put a note in the suggestion box with your name on it. We appreciate input.

MUSIC MINISTRY TEAM

Members of the Music Ministry team are Marilyn Johnson, Darlene Nevins, and Martha Thoits. We usually include choir members on most decisions.

We have worked on the summer worship music and have found someone for every Sunday until September. If you have any suggestions for people to provide music for us it is always needed and appreciated. We need ideas of someone to replace Don at the piano when he is away. Right now that is limited. We have had a hard time finding someone that is available.

We have arranged for two summer Gospel Music programs, one in July and one coming up on August 8th. Hope they meet with enthusiasm. We have a possible fall program that we are working on.

LOOKING FOR DESSERT DIVAS !!

The Music Ministry and the Hospitality Teams are looking for great desserts for a Summer Evening of Music on August 8th at 6 pm. After the music event, dessert will be served to round out the enjoyable evening.

Any type of dessert item would be greatly appreciated and rapidly devoured !! Cake, fruit, bars, a frozen delight, try out a new recipe!!

Please contact the church office (456-3447) Martha Thoits (456-3835) or Jan Carlson(456-3878)

THANKS !!

Sunday Worship August 29th at the Lower Warner Meeting House

With a picnic following the service !!!

The MacDonald Family Singers



Meet the MacDonald family, Victor, Laurie and their 8 home schooled children, ages 8-23 from Orange, Massachusetts. The styles of music presented in this free concert include, gospel bluegrass, a capella, brass ensembles, and sacred classical.

Date: Sunday Aug 8th Time: 6pm

Place: United Church of Warner 45 E Main St, Warner

For more information call:

456-3447