



Community Calendar

Deadline is
Friday 4:00 p.m.

Down East Fairgrounds Association meets the 1st Wed. of each month at the R. H. Foster Building in Machias at 6 p.m.

Downeast Trail Riders Snowmobile & ATV Club, Inc. meets at 7 p.m. on the 2nd Tues. of the month at WA, East Machias. FMI 259-3996.

Friends of the Whitneyville Library meet the 2nd Mon. of each month at 6 p.m. in the Hillgrove Community Bldg. Everyone is welcome.

Machias Valley Civil Air Patrol meets Thurs. 6:30-9 p.m. at the Machias Valley Airport on Route 1 in Machias. Adults & students grade 6 and up are invited. FMI please call 255-4978.

Machias Valley Sportsmen's Club meets the 1st Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Six Mile Lake Clubhouse off Rt. 192, Marshfield.

M.A.N.E. Riders (Mature Adult Networking Equestrian) meet 2nd Sun. of each month 2-4 p.m., at Raven Ridge Farm in Columbia. FMI 483-2718.

Machias Rotary Club - 12/1 - Business meeting, 12/8 - Committee meeting, 12/15 - Doug Jones, DECH CEO, 12/22 - Rotary Christmas Party, 12/29 - no meeting

Ridge Riders Trail Club meets the 1st Thurs. of the month at Whitney's Tool Shed @ 7 p.m. All members & non-members are encouraged to attend. 255-3392.

Technical Exploration Center of Bangor will be at Machias Career Center on the 1st Wed of the month from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. FMI 941-2952 x227.

Washington County Fish & Wildlife Conservation Association meets the 3rd Wed. of each month at WA. FMI: Ed Renaud at 796-2777 or Jeff Geel at 255-0928.

West Quoddy Head Light Keeper's Association, regular monthly meetings the 4th Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. at the Visitor Center. All interested please attend.

Whiting Historical Society Meeting - Sunday, Nov. 29 at 3 p.m. at the Community Bldg. All welcome.

TOWN MEETINGS

Addison Selectmen meetings will be held at 6 p.m. at the **Addison Town Hall** on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays.

Cutler Selectmen meet the 2nd and 4th Thurs. of each month at 4:30 p.m. at the Town Office.

Cutler Planning Board meets 2nd & 4th Wed. @ 6:30 p.m. at the Cutler Town Office. Applications must be received by the Thurs. before the meeting.

Cutler Harbor Masters meet 3rd Mon. each month @ 6 p.m. at that town office.

East Machias Selectmen meet 3rd Mon. of month @ 6 p.m. If a holiday falls on Monday, meeting is Tuesday. All invited.

Jonesboro Planning Board - meets 1st Tues. of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Town Office.

Jonesboro Board of Selectmen meet 2nd Wed. of month at the Town Office Building @ 7 p.m.

Jonesboro Clam Committee meets 1st Sun. of month, 6 p.m., Town Office.

Machias Selectmen - (meet 2nd & 4th Wed. each month at 6 p.m.) at the Town Office.

Machias Planning Board meets 1st Wed. each month at 7 p.m. at the Town Office.

Machiasport Selectmen meet every other Mon. at 7 p.m. at the Machiasport Municipal Complex except when the Monday falls on a holiday.

Machiasport Clam Committee meets last Mon. of month at the Machiasport Municipal Complex at 7 p.m.

Machiasport Planning Board meets the 2nd Thurs. each month at 7 p.m. at the Machiasport Town Office. The

Working Group is reviewing and revising the town ordinances and comprehensive plan. The public is welcome to attend.

Machiasport Comprehensive Planning Committee meets the 3rd Thurs. of each month @ 6 p.m. at the Machiasport Town Office.

Machiasport Harbor Committee meets last Thurs. of month @ 6:30 p.m. at the Machiasport Town Office.

Marshfield Selectmen meet the 3rd Thurs. of the month @ 4:30 p.m. at the Marshfield Town Hall.

Wesley Selectman meet every 2nd Mon. of the month 2-7 p.m., Wesley Town Office.

Whiting Selectmen meet the 2nd Mon. of month at 6:30 p.m. in the Whiting Community Building.

Whiting Planning Board meets the last Mon. of month @ 7 p.m. in the Whiting Community Building.

Whitneyville Assessors will continue to meet the 1st and 3rd Wed. at 6 p.m.

Whitneyville Selectman - 2nd and 4th Thursday at 6 p.m.

Whitneyville Outreach Group meets every Mon. @ 1p.m. in the Fellowship House, next to the church to work on various projects for the community, nursing home and Veterans' Home; this is for anyone interested.

SCHOOL MEETINGS

East Machias School Board meets 1st Wed. of each month @ 4 p.m. at Elm Street School in East Machias.

Cutler School Committee will meet the 1st Wed. of the month at 3:30 p.m. at Bay Ridge School.

BREAKFASTS, SUPPERS, BENEFITS

Centre Street Congregational Church Food Pantry is open Mon.-Fri. from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., except on holidays. The pantry closes when schools are closed for inclement weather. FMI 255-6665.

MEALS FOR ME - For Washington County Seniors age 60 plus. Donations are accepted. Eat at our dining rooms or at your own home. For reservations or info, call us toll free at 800-462-9899 or in Machias at 255-3701. For **TRANSPORTATION** to and from meals, call: 546-7547.

Bread of Life Soup Kitchen - Free Supper, every Thursday starting Nov. 18 from 5-6 at Lifespring Chapel, Rt. 1, East Machias. FMI- 271-7159.

Whiting Community Food Pantry - Located at Three Angels Seventh Day Adventist Church on Route 1. Open 3rd Wed. of the month from 12-7 p.m. Call Bill Sawtelle at 726-4722 in case of food emergency.

SUPPORT GROUPS

A.C.T.S. - a program for Alcohol-Chemical Treatment Series which helps people on chemicals to turn their lives around. 12 weeks, all types of dependency & how to cope with life's problems. 302 B Kennebec Road, Machias Thursdays @ 7 p.m. FMI - Bob Johnston, 255-8375.

Aspergers/Autism Support Group meets the 4th Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m., Blue Hill Memorial Hospital In-Service Room (lower level). For parents, grandparents & caregivers. FMI 374-3472.

Brain Injury Support Group meets on the 3rd Wed. of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Beechland Rd., Ellsworth. FMI Dodie Sullivan at 667-8680.

Domestic Violence Hotline Number, 24 hours a day - 7 days a week: 1-800-863-9909.

Downeast Sexual Assault Services is offering self-help support groups to sexual assault survivors. The group

will meet once a week in Machias from 6:30-8 p.m. There is no cost to attend. If interested, please call 1-800-492-5550, ext. 258, FMI.

Hancock County Diabetes Support Group -December meeting will be on Tues. Dec.1 at 6:30 in the classroom of the Medical Office Bldg at MCMH... T'ai Chi demonstration- dress comfortably. It is free and open to anyone with diabetes or an interest in diabetes. FMI 664-5474.

NAMI Family Support meets the 1st Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the Kay Parker Building, Hadley Lake Road, Machias. **NAMI Peer Support** meets every Tuesday at Harrington Family Health Center at 6 p.m. FMI call Joanne at 483-6040. **Peer Support** also on the 1st Monday on the month at the Kay Parker Bldg. FMI Richard at 733-2982.

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PROBLEMS with drug or alcohol addiction in a loved one? Don't know where to turn for help? Contact Drug Rehab Resource for a free confidential consultation to find the help you need. Call 1-866-649-1594 or find out more at www.drugrehabresource.net.

The Down East Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meetings will be held at the Community of Christ Church on North Street in Machias. Meetings are held EVERY Fri. & Sun., 7:30-8:30 p.m. FMI about AA or for contact information, call the toll free AA hotline at 1-800-737-6237.

Free Reiki Clinic in Machias 2nd Sun. of every month. 3 p.m. at St. Aidan Church Community Room. For appointments call Gillyin, 255-4515 or bobcatpath@207me.com

Road to Recovery - American Cancer Society needs volunteers to drive cancer patients to their doctors' appointments. FMI 1-800-227-2345.

TOPS Chapter, Machias, ME # 366 meets at 4:30 (weigh-in), 5-6 meeting at Kay Parker Bldg, Hadley Lake Rd, visitors and new members welcome. 255-8596

MISCELLANEOUS

Calais Free Library select book discussion group. Topics of interest to you. Library hours are: Mon. & Tues. 12 noon-8 p.m., Wed. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Thurs. & Fri. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. & Sat. 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Machias Family History Center open for genealogical research Wed. (appointments only), & Sat. 1-5 p.m. Microfilm-/microfiche readers, IGI/regional genealogy CDs internet genealogy access at no charge. 100 Court St., Machias. FMI 497-5450 or www.family-search.org. John & Sheila Look, Directors.

We Care Community Baby Center every Tues. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. only. 1st Tues. of month - 9 a.m - 2 p.m. If no school due to bad weather we're not open. Also closed on 5th Tues. of month. FMI, call Joyce, 255-8903.

Pine Tree Quilter's Guild Inc., Downeast Chapter, meets at Centre Street Congregational Church in Machias on Fri. at 3 p.m. For specific date ask at Gingham Fabrics or call 255-8238.

Chapter of **TOPS** (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) in Milbridge meets Mon. 6 p.m. at Narraguagus Estates, Cherryfield. 2nd left as you enter the estates, in white meeting building. FMI, Coreen Burt at 546-2979.

Knitting/craft/fiber night @ Jonesboro Union Church Comm. Center on Looks Point Rd. every Wed. 6-8 p.m. Please bring a heat/elec donation if you can, since we are not being charged to use the space. All are WEL-

COME!!! FMI, Kim 434-5089.

Mom's Bible Study & Play Group Every Thurs., 9-10:30 a.m., at Centre Street Congregational Church, Machias. Bible discussion, sharing joys & concerns of family life, activities for young children & babies. All welcome. FMI 255-6665.

Dennysville's Lincoln Library reinstates Wed. hours from 4 to 7 p.m. Also open Tues. & Fri. from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

Beth C. Wright Cancer Resource Center - for all programs call 664-0339. Washington County Support meetings: Watch this space for upcoming events!

Robert and Mary's Place, an adult day care program for people with **Memory Loss**, is at St. Aidan's Church on Dublin Street in Machias. They will be open on Tues. & Thurs. from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. The first day is free. This is a needed service but one in jeopardy of closing if it isn't used. FMI - Tanya Berry 483-2718, Ida at 667-5449, or www.robertandmarysplace.com

UMM Fall Alternative Film Series: Wednesdays: 7 p.m.- UMM Science Bldg, Rm. 102. FMI call Robert Froese 255-1334:

• **Religulous** - by Larry Charles (2008) Controversial standup comedian Bill Maher takes aim at organized religion in this documentary by the director of Borat. (101 min)

DECH Light a Life- December 3 at 5 p.m. lighting of the tree and luminaria bags in honor of loved ones. FMI - 255-0244.

Humboldt Field Research Institute Events:

• **Friday, December 4, 6 p.m. - Backyard Poultry Farming** with Anne Lichtenwalner of Univ. of Me. Dinner at 5 (\$8), lecture at 6 (suggested donation, \$5).

• **Sat. December 5, 6 p.m. - Artist's Reception - Brent Ander** - artist and photographer from Blue Hill showing how he uses photography to capture the world in one shot and then transport these images onto canvas using watercolors and pencil. Dinner at 5 (\$8), lecture at 6 (\$5 donation please) FMI call 207-564-2821 or www.eaglehill.us

Participants Wanted For Machias Christmas Parade- The annual Christmas Parade will take place on Saturday, December 5th at 3 p.m. beginning at Station 98 and traveling down Main St. and up Center St. to the Congregational Church. ALL FLOATS AND MARCHERS ARE WELCOME. (sponsored by the town of Machias, the Machias Spirit Committee and the Machias Bay Area Chamber of Commerce)

iCrafters Wanted for Last Minute Christmas Shopping Spree- Dec. 19, East Machias Municipal Bldg (across from Post Office, Rt. 1), \$25 for 8 x 6 space- table provided. Contact Machias Bay Area Chamber of Commerce - 255-4402.

Photographic Images by Holly Garner-Jackson- Lubec Memorial Library, Nov. 16 through Christmas. - all invited

Neighbor to Neighbor Winterization Projects, including: banking trailers, insulating attics and basements, cleaning furnaces, installing new windows, installing Keep ME Warm kits. Scott Shaw, Housing Ministry Coordinator, Maine Seacoast Mission - 546-4466, ext. 4004 to volunteer or apply for help.

Christmas Bazaar - Cherryfield

Congregational Church (River Road), Fellowship Hall, Sat. Dec. 5th from 9 - 1. Crafts, white elephants, Christmas items, baked goods, haddock chowder lunch. \$10 for a table. Contact Martha Resotko, 546-9724.

Songs of the Season Concert - Saturday, Dec. 5, 2 - 3:30 p.m. at Porter Memorial Library with Stephen and Susan Sanfilippo singing coastal and maritime seasonal songs and a traditional folk tribute to the patron saint of sailors, St. Nicholas. Banjo, guitar and concertina. FMI - 255-3933

CENSUS TAKERS NEEDED - CENSUS 2010 - Call to schedule a test time - 207-203-1020 or 866-861-2010, bring 2 forms of ID: drivers license and SS card or birth certificate - Veterans bring your DD 214. Paid position for 5- 10 weeks

November is Adopt-a- shelter pet month... PAWS in Calais has wonderful cats and dogs- open Fridays and Saturdays 12 - 5, 454-7662 or look on petfinder.com

Sunrise Opportunities Christmas Concert to benefit Special Olympics. Local entertainment- Rob Hood, Linda Payne and the Sunrise Singers, Penny and the Payne Band. Saturday, 12/5, 1 - 3 p.m., Kay Parker Bldg, Hadley Lake Rd., Machias, \$3 at the door. Refreshments served.

Whole Life Market Events - Creatures Large and Small Holiday Drive - to Benefit The Ark Animal Shelter- December 1st to 19th... food, toys, treats, cleaning supplies, etc. Drop off at Whole Life Market.

• **Gift Giving Tree** - Dec. 1st to 19th - Give a gift to a local child in need.

• **Downeast Hands Holiday Arts & Crafts Sale** - December 19 from 10 to 2 in the Whole Body Studio.

Monday Cribbage Club Expands to Two Evenings - Monday evenings will continue at the Blue Bird Ranch Family Restaurant as usual. Starting December 10th, the Cribbage Club will also meet on Thursday nights at Helen's Restaurant. Everyone is invited to come and play.

UNITED MAINE CRAFTSMEN'S 35TH ANNUAL THANKSGIVING ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW - November 27 - 10a.m. - 5 p.m., Nov. 28 - 9 - 5, Nov. 29. 10- 4, Brewer Auditorium, 203 State Street, Brewer. Looking for a special gift? You will find it here from on of 55 talented artisans, who will be selling their unique handcrafted, locally made products. Hourly door prize. Admission \$1. FMI- 207-621-2818 or www.unitedmainecraftsmen.com

Conscious Loving Presence: A Radical Look at the Teachings of Jesus - Saturday, Dec. 5, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. workshop with Paul Weiss at the Whole Health Center. FMI call 288-4128.

Free workshop - The Essential of College Planning - Machias Career Center, 53 Prescott Drive, Suite 1, Thursday, Dec. 10 at 10 a.m. To register or FMI call 1-800-281-3703 or go to <http://meoc.maine.edu>

Wide Awake Workshop: Tools to Free You from Anxiety, Panic Attacks, Fear and Worry : Saturday , December 12, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Cobbscook Community Learning Center. Learn techniques to create

Eastern Agency Menu of the Month

Eastern Agency on Aging's Meals for Me program deliver noontime meals through Meals on Wheels to those who qualify and serves at Community Cafes where all are welcome. Cost is \$5 under age 60. Suggested donation for seniors age 60 or older is \$3. Additional donations are appreciated. For a reservation or more information, call (800) 432-7812 Or 207- 733-4555.

Meals for ME
Nov. 25 - Dec. 1
Wednesday, Nov. 25- Hearty homemade vegetable soup, turkey salad sandwich, tabouleh salad, ambrosia
Thursday, Nov. 26 - All SITES CLOSED - THANKSGIVING
Friday, Nov. 27 - ALL SITES CLOSED
Monday, Nov. 30 - Pasta and meat sauce, mixed green salad, garlic bread, pudding & topping
Tues. Dec.1- Beans & franks, cole slaw, brown bread, strawberry short-cake

peace, joy and a sense of wonder. Given by Katherine Mahon, licensed massage therapist. To sign up or for information, contact Kathering at 263-5057 or email at thinkpeace_98@yahoo.com. Cost-\$45, bring your own lunch.

Events, Cont'd

Roque Bluffs Community Chapel 2009 Vesper Worship Services
All services begin at 6:30 p.m.

December 20
 Rev. Bonnie Haase
 Retired United Church of Christ Pastor

Cross Creek Friday Film in Calais

The St. Croix Valley Film Society will meet again Friday, November 27 at 6 p.m. at the Holmestead, 527 Main St. in Calais.

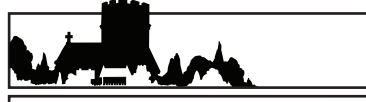
Our program will be the 1983 Inspirational American film, which received 4 Oscar nominations, *Cross Creek*. The film is based on the autobiographical novel *Cross Creek* by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings in which she describes her life after 1928, the year she decided to leave her husband and a career as a journalist, and when she moved to an isolated place in rural northern Florida, a cottage in a run down orange grove. This was the place where she hoped to be able to live and find her voice as a writer. Cross Creek, the little hamlet between two lakes and the few people who lived there inspired her to write, *The Yearling*, the novel for which she received the 1939 Pulitzer Prize.

There is no admission charge, donation suggested. ■

Benefit Slated at Edmunds School

A benefit pro wrestling match has been scheduled at the Edmunds Consolidated School on December 11 at 7:30 p.m.

Joyce Morse from Dennysville, a volunteer driver for the Eastern Area Agency on Aging, has been victimized by arson twice, having lost her house and camp. The benefit is being held



Church Services



St. Aidan's Episcopal Church, Dublin Hill, Machias. Sun., 9 a.m. Info 259-3328.

Beals Wesleyan Church. Elm St., Beals. Order of service: 10 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. morning worship; 6 p.m. Evangelistic hour. Wed. 6 p.m. Prayer time. Pastor Rev. Jesse Merchant. 497-2262 or 497-2706. "Experience the difference."

Bucks Harbor Baptist Church, 33 Ridge Rd., Bucks Harbor, 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Worship & Bible Study; Wed. 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting. FMI Donny Wood 255-6708.

Calvary Chapel Outreach of Machias, 88 Roque Bluffs Rd., 1/2 mile south of Rt 1. Worship Services 10 a.m. Sun.; Bible Study, Thurs. 6:30 p.m. Child care & ministry (infants to 10 yrs.) available all services. A non-denominational Christian Church teaching from the Bible, all welcome. Info Pastor Aaron Dudley, 255-8287.

Centre Street Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, Machias
 • Rev. Gini King, Pastor. Nursery available & church school for K-High School- 10:45 a.m. Cherub Choir, Bell Choir, Chancel Choir. Handicapped Accessible. Worship Service 10:30 a.m.; Info 255-6665.
 • **Taize Worship Service** - Thursday, November 19, 5:30 - Spiritual renewal with prayers, meditation, singing and Bible readings at Centre Street Congregational Church. All welcome

Cherryfield Congregational Church, River Road. Pastor Joseph S. Palmer, 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration, Mobile 266-3915.

Christian Science Society of Calais holds Sun. services at the St. Croix Masonic Lodge, Calais Ave., all are invited. Info 454-2352 or 255-8635.

Christian Temple Church, 41 Main St, Lubec, Worship Sun. 11 a.m. Rev. Alan Andreas. 733-2887.

Cobscook Friends Meeting (Quakers) - Rt. 189, Whiting, Sun. Meeting for Worship 10 a.m. All welcome.

Columbia Falls United Methodist Church at 16 Church Hill Circle, Sun. Services at 10:30 a.m. and Sun. School for all ages at 9:30 a.m. Pastor Janice Rhenow. 483-2787.

Community of Christ, Sun., 11 a.m. Services at Beals Island Church 50 Bayview Dr., Pastor Terry Feeney

497-2186. Jonesport Church, Main St., Pastor Sharon Church 497-2117; Machias Church, 54 North St., Pastor Loverne Strassburg 259-2027; So. Addison Church, 316 Mooseneck Rd, Pastor Harold Tyler 483-2374.

Cutler United Methodist Church, Rt. 191 South, Cutler, worship service Sun. 10:45 a.m. except 1st Sun. of month @ 6 p.m. Pastor Patti Sears. All welcome. Child care provided. Info 259-2097, or Pastor Patti 214-9026, available for consultations on Thurs. at church or for home visits.

Dennysville-Edmunds Congregational Church, Rev. Ronald Windhorst, Pastor, Dr. Colin Windhorst, Assistant Pastor 726-3905; services at 11 a.m.- starting Sept. 13. Sunday School- 10 a.m.(starting Sept. 20)

Faith United Methodist Church, 444 Rt. 1, Columbia: Sun. Worship 10:45 a.m., Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Rev. R. Daniel Blevins, 483-4094. All welcome.

First Baptist Church of Cherryfield Sun. School at 9 a.m., Services Sun. 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. 6:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church of East Machias (next to the fire station) Are you Growing- Spiritually? Experiencing Christ Together in Bible study, prayer & ministry. Please join us Sun. @ 4 p.m. Info Bob Simpson, 259-3473.

First Congregational Church of East Machias. Ed Randall at 9:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. 255-3728.

Holmes Bay Baptist Church - Cutler Rd, Machiasport. Sunday School & Service 9 a.m. Rev. Greg Schors

Holy Name Catholic Church - see St. Peter the Fisherman's Parish

Jacksonville United Methodist Church service 9 a.m. Rev. Patti Sears. FMI 214-9026, 255-6282, or www.jacksonvilleumchurch.com

Jonesboro Union Church Sun. School will be from 9-10 a.m.; Church Service 10 a.m. Family & individual counseling offered free of charge, Mon. evenings by appointment. FMI: pastorpam@gonowmail.com or http://jonesborounionchurch.blogspot.com

Lifespring Chapel Church of God, Rt 1, East Machias. Sun. School 9:15 a.m.; Service - 10:30 a.m., & 6 p.m.; Wed. Prayer 6 p.m. All are welcome. Pastor Doug 733-2923.

Lighthouse Bible Church Ridge Road, Addison. Sun. School 9 a.m.; Services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Prayer Meeting Thurs. 7 p.m. 483-2210.

Machias Branch - Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Sacramento Service Sun. 10 a.m., 100 Court St., Machias, 255-0707. Branch President - Peter Marshall. All welcome.

Machias Valley Baptist Church, Broadway, Machias. Sun. School 9 a.m., Service 10:30 a.m. Pastor Henderson 255-4476.

Machiasport Congregational Church Rt 92. Music 10:20 a.m., Sun. Worship 10:30 a.m. All welcome. Pastor Francois Akoa 255-0772 (parsonage).

Marshfield Congregational Church Church Ln., Marshfield, Pastor John Sprague. Sun. Worship 8 a.m. Info 255-3660. All are welcome.

Milbridge/Wyman United Methodist Churches. Wyman Rd., Milbridge Services 9 a.m. alternating between locations; Sunday School when services are in Wyman. Pastor Steven W. Smith.

New Dawn Assembly, Rt. 1, Columbia, non-denominational. Pastor Robert Foster officiating. Sun. service 10 a.m., Wed. Bible study, prayer meeting to follow. All welcome! 479-5063.

Pentecostal Lighthouse Kennebec Rd. Machias. Sun. School & Worship 10 a.m. & Wed. 6 p.m.; Sat. Prayer 6 p.m. & Sun. Prayer 6 p.m. Pastor Denzil Channell, 255-3577.

River of God Sun. 10 a.m. worship; group sharing 11 a.m. in The Barn at 12 Fremont St., Machias. Bible study & intercessory prayer Thurs. 6:30 p.m. in The Eagles Nest in church Parsonage. Info Pastor Ralph Ackley 255-6369 or email: manystreamsonriver@yahoo.com.

Roque Bluffs Chapel- Thanksgiving Service - Nov. 22 @ 6:30 w/ Dr. Foster Williams (see sidebar)

Sacred Heart Church, 19 Church St., Lubec. Mass Sat. 4:30 p.m., Weekday Liturgy Mon., Wed. & Fri. 8 a.m. Youth, Teen & Adult Religious Education Classes. Adult & Infant Baptism Sessions begin soon. FMI Fr. Gene Gaffey, pastor 733-2214 or 255-3731. All welcome!

St. Peter the Fisherman's Parish, 8 Free Street, Machias, 255-3731

Saturday evening: St. Timothys, Welshpool, Campobello, 4 p.m. Atlantic time, Sacred Heart, Lubec, 4:30 p.m. **Sunday morning:** Holy Name, Machias, 8:30 a.m., St. Michaels, Cherryfield, 10:30 a.m., **Weekdays:** Monday, Holy Name, Machias, 9 a.m., Tues. Sacred Heart, Lubec, 4:30 p.m., Friday, St. Michaels, Cherryfield, 9 a.m.

Three Angels Seventh-Day Adventist Community Church Rt. 1, Whiting. Sat. Services 10 a.m. All welcome. Info Pastor Ed Fleish, 454-0075. In emergency, go to www.threeangelsdda.com.

St. Michaels in Cherryfield. Sun. Mass 11 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation before Mass.

Unionville Church of God, Steuben, Sun. services 9:45 a.m., 10:50 a.m., 6 p.m. Pastor Charles Kelley, 546-2668. Bible study & youth group Wed. 6:30 p.m.

United Pentecostal Church, Hwy 187, Indian River Rd., Jonesport. Sun. services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m., & Tues. 6:30 p.m.

Victory Baptist Church - 86 Epping Rd., Columbia. Come join us to find out and learn how to have a personal relationship with Christ. Sunday Prayer meeting, 2:30 p.m., Sunday Service 3 p.m.-Pastor Colin Haag, Jr. 598-8423

Wesley Community Church A Friendly Bible Believing Church, Pastor Rev. Duane Waite & wife, Joan - Serving under Village Missions. Sun. School 9:15 a.m.; Sun. Service 10:30 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Prayer & Bible Study (in various homes). Ladies Bible Studies at Parsonage. Info 255-0140 or wcc@pwless.net. Everyone Welcome.

West Lubec United Methodist Church Rt. 189, West Lubec. Sun. Morning Worship Service 11 a.m.; Communion Services, 2nd Sunday of month. Sun. School for all ages, September through June 9:45 a.m.; Choir rehearsal Tues. 6:30 p.m. Pastor Bernie Hammond 733-2426; 483-4052.

Whiting Community Church - Whiting. Everett Farnsworth, 255-8933. Sun. service 9 a.m.

Whitneyville Congregational Church, Main St., Whitneyville, Sun. Service 9 a.m., Pastor Betty Duzen 259-2088 or 255-8640.

Leona MacBride and Wilma Ingalls to be Honored at "Light A Life"

Down East Community Hospital's Annual "Light A Life" celebration will take place on Thursday, December 3, at 5 p.m.

In addition to the usual festivities, this year's celebration will feature a special ceremony to honor Mrs. Leona MacBride and Mrs. Wilma Ingalls for their seemingly tireless hours of service to Down East Community Hospital. "Noni & Billie" have been part of the DECH Auxiliary since its inception and have

never wavered in their dedication and support of Down East Community Hospital.

The entire evening will be inspiring and fun-filled with craft activities for children, photos with Santa, holiday entertainment, refreshments and the Hospital's tradition of illuminating luminaria bags which were given in memory or in honor of loved ones. Also, the Auxiliary Gift Shop will be open for your shopping pleasure.

This year's event is sponsored by Bangor Hydro Electric and Hannaford Supermarket. Bangor Hydro has sponsored Light A Life for several years and Hannaford's has sponsored hospital events such as the International Food Festival and the Annual Health Fair.

To make a donation for a luminaria bag or for more information on the event, please contact Julie Hixson at 255-0244. ■

Machias Bay Area Chamber of Commerce
 PO Box 606 • Machias, ME 04654
 12 East Main, Machias • 207-255-4402
 email: info@machiaschamber.org

20 on 20 Initiative
Spend \$20 on the 20th!

Next 20 on 20 special offerings by local area merchants coming December 20. Save big - Shop local

The Machias Food Pantry is in need of jackets for children and adults.

They should be clean and in good condition. You may drop them off at the Centre Street Congregational Church, Machias 255-6665

Down East, the nature of Maine.
Cobscook Bay Area Chamber of Commerce
 207-733-2201
 info@cobscookbay.com
 www.cobscookbay.com
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