



## Reeds Mill Church

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Greetings Friends of Reeds Mill Church ~

We are blessed to have people dedicated to the preservation and continuation of Reeds Mill Church. Many visitors marvel out how well the church has been kept, given its age. Because it is our responsibility to maintain this lovely, old building it is our plan to get painting underway this summer. We are looking for experienced painters to give us estimates. The plan is to paint the interior walls as well as the exterior of the building this year. Windows, trim, pews, and floor are scheduled for next year. *If you or someone you know is looking for this kind of work please call Claudia at 639-5281.* Donations designated to this work are welcome. The trustees will be meeting on Sunday, July 17 immediately following the 2:00 service. If you are interested in leaning more about the needs of Reeds Mill Church, feel free to attend the meeting.

### ***BREAKING NEWS – THE JULY HYMN SING HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED!***

*We are rescheduling the hymn sing traditionally held on the second Sunday in July to the last Sunday in June, starting this year. Please join us **June 26 at 2:00** in the afternoon – no flashlights required! This is a great way to kick off our summer worship services as well as celebrate the beginning of summer.*

Worship services begin July 3 at 2:00 PM each Sunday. We are always grateful to those who give their time on a summer Sunday afternoon to fill our pulpit! Below you will see who is speaking when. We will welcome the Rev. Peter Panagore of “Daily Devotions” this year. Peter’s brief but meaningful messages are heard on the Portland and Bangor NBC channels each morning. Kate Braestrup from the Rockland area, a published author and Chaplain to the Maine Warden Services has agreed to travel to Madrid again this year. Also returning are Ben Witherill, Mike Senecal, John Pillsbury, Carl Beu, Bill Pierce, and Steve Mitchell. Johnny Gensel will lead us for Old Home Sunday on August 28<sup>th</sup>. Pot luck picnic at noon, service at 1:00.

### **2011 WORSHIP SERVICE DATES & SPECIAL SERVICES**

July	August	
3 - John Pillsbury	7-Mike Senecal	Hymn Sing – June 26 2:00 PM
10 - Bill Pierce	14- Steve Mitchell	Hymn Sing September 11 7:00 PM
17 - Kate Braestrup	21-Peter Panagore	Thanksgiving 10:00AM - Brian Twitchell
24-Carl Beu	28 - Johnny Gensel	Candlelight Service-TBA
31- Ben Witherill		

Please consider being a “Scripture Reader” during a service this summer. We’ll even print it out on a single page for you. Look for the sign up sheet next to the Guest Book when you walk in the church. And please visit our web site at [www.reedsmillchurch.org](http://www.reedsmillchurch.org) to learn more about the history of the church and hear one of our favorite hymns, “The Church in the Wildwood.” That’s us!