AES Auxiliary Holds Town Wide Yard Sale

Saturday, August 19 from 8 A.M. to 2 P.M.

Meghan Barton, Andover ESA

Who doesn't have unwanted "stuff" in their basement or attic? Let us help! Our Andover Emergency Services Auxiliary will hold the first Andover Town Wide Yard Sale on Saturday, August 19, from 8 A.M. to 2 P.M.. We would like to be sure that everyone knows the location of your yard sale. Pay $10 and get your home on the map! We will be selling maps at the Andover Fire Station on Main Street starting at 8 A.M. for $2. If you don't have a great location or space for your yard sale items, you can rent space from us at the Main Street Station for $15 for a 12′ x 12′ space and you can also rent a table for an additional $5.

To top our morning off, we will be having a bake sale with homemade goodies! There was even mention of Tarte Bakery donating some of their fantastic pastries! Thank you Tarte Bakery! All of the money fundraised from this event will go to the Andover Auxiliary to support our Firemen, EMS and Police.

Contact us for a yard sale location form or with questions to AndoverESA@gmail.com or call Meghan Barton at 603-735-5984. We look forward to making this an annual event and hope the community can benefit from this great day!

Andover Congregational Church News, August 2017

Sandra Miller
Andover Congregational Church

Happy Summer! The Missions Committee and their helpers realized almost $400 profit from the sale of cotton candy at the Fourth of July celebration in Andover. Groceries were purchased with this money and were distributed to the Twin Rivers, Andover and Danbury food pantries. Thanks to all who helped; but a special "thank you" to Joyce Bourdon and Donna Thompson who were in charge.

Our annual church picnic will be held Sunday afternoon, August 13th. Our 9:30 A.M. worship service will be held as usual in the Andover Congregational meetinghouse, to be followed by baptisms at Highland Lake beach starting around 11:30 and then a picnic. Meats for grilling and various salads, desserts and beverages will be provided. Bring a chair and your appetite and join us for a fun time. If you are at the beach or in the area, come on over and join us. We'd love to get to know you.

Members of Andover Church continue to volunteer at the Twin Rivers Food Pantry in Franklin. Others meet weekly outside Franklin City Hall on Fridays at 5 P.M. for prayer and prayer walks throughout the city. For further information call Bob Grover at 470-7248.

We wish Howard and Pat Proctor all the best as they plan a move this month to an assisted living facility near family in Dover, New Hampshire. We very much appreciate their participation and contribution to our life as a church family over the years and, of course, will miss them very much and keep them in prayer.

Don't forget our monthly flea market and bake sale held every last Saturday of the month from 8:30 till 2 P.M. at the Grange Hall. All proceeds are going to a Fund to benefit the restoration of the historic Highland Lake Grange Hall here in East Andover.

Finally, there are many opportunities to pursue God and living out our Christian faith among us. Sunday worship and Sunday school are held at 9:30 A.M.. Visitors are expected and very welcome. For a bigger picture of our life together you might go online to our Web site: andover-congregationalchurch.org Or feel free to call the Church office (735-5160) to speak with Pastor John Wagner for more information about what's going on at the church or if you may need help of some kind.

Thought for the day: "If you can't get to sleep for one night, check your pillow. If you can't get to sleep for two nights, check your mattress. If you can't get to sleep for three nights – check your conscience!"

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