

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends,

Elizabeth Orton Jones (aka "Twig") was a friend and mentor to me for twenty-five years until her death in 2005 at the age of 95. Twig worked as an author and illustrator of children's books. She was the Caldecott Award recipient for the best illustrated children's book of 1945, *Prayer for a Child*. Perhaps you read the Golden Books edition of *Little Red Riding Hood* as a child, or to other children. Twig illustrated that book. If you look inside to the title page you'll see a sign that says, "To Mason, NH". That's where I met Twig in 1980 when I began working there.

Twig had a vivid imagination, always able to see more deeply and clearly into the moment than most of us. She told me often that we all had this gift of imagination and Twig used much of her life energy to inspire others to claim and use it. She would sometimes become frustrated that people didn't care about such things. She had some sayings, however, that I remember that prompt me to listen to her still. If I was standing in a beautiful spot, because of the scenery around us or because of what was happening, or both, she might say, "It's like a postcard, Bill, but you're in it!"

We don't think of ourselves often as being in memorable places, or that we have opinions that are worth hearing about things that matter. Twig, however, believed that we all mattered and that our combined voices blended to make our common life something beautiful, worth remembering, "like a postcard, but you're in it!"

You have welcomed me to Canterbury as the interim pastor with warmth and joy. Many of you already have said to me that you consider our town, both the place and its people, to be extraordinarily beautiful. I agree. I feel privileged, blessed, to be invited to share this in-between time with you. I look forward to sharing this moment in time with you and hearing your stories about things that matter to you.

Gratefully,
Bill

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AROUND TOWN

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Sunday, 5:30 am - 7:00 pm

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Sunday, 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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Sat. 8:30 am - noon

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canterbury-nh.org

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Road Agent, Jim Sawicki
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Saturday, 9:00 am - noon

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Tues.-Fri., 9:30 am - 2:30 pm
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Mon., Wed., & Fri., 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
canterburyselectmen@myfairpoint.net
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783-0153 FAX: 783-0501
Monday, 9 am-3 pm, Tues., 12 pm-7 pm
Thursday, 3 pm - 7 pm
canterburytaxcollect@myfairpoint.net

MONTHLY COMMITTEE MEETINGS
Meet at the Meeting House (MH)
unless otherwise noted

Conservation Commission
2nd Monday, 7:00 pm, MH

Fire & Rescue (at Municipal Complex)
Business Meeting: 1st Mon., 6:30 pm
Officers Meeting: Last Thurs., 7:00 pm
Trainings: All other Mondays, 7:00 pm

Library Trustees
2nd Monday, 7:00 pm, Elkins Library

Planning Board
2nd Tuesday, 7 pm, MH
4th Tuesday as needed

Recycling Committee
1st Tuesday, 6:30 pm, MH

Renewable Energy Committee
Third Tuesday, 7:00 pm, MH

Selectmen
1st & 3rd Monday, 6:30 pm, MH

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interested in renting the space next to the Canterbury
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Please direct any questions about the property or your
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223-4011 bmurray50@yahoo.com

CUCC CHURCH NEWS

2012 Annual Youth Group Thanksgiving Dinner

The wind is blowing and the pumpkin lights are glowing! Must be time for the annual Youth Group Thanksgiving Dinner!! Every year, the CUCC Youth Group puts on a fantastic Thanksgiving meal for the community, and people come together to celebrate, to give thanks, and to get the Holiday season off to a beautiful start. This event demonstrates the true meaning of community – people living and sharing together to make our town a wonderful place to be. Thank you in advance to everyone who has donated food items, or money, and especially their time and effort, to make this event possible. We hope to see you there. The details are as follows:

Date: Sunday, November 18th

Time: 5:00–7:00 pm

Location: Parish House

Cost:

Adults 12–60 \$8.00

Children 6–11 and Seniors 61+ \$5.00

Families \$25.00

Children 5 & under FREE



If you are interested in making a donation, please call Polly Camire at 783–8374.

LBS

The next meeting of the Ladies Benevolent Society will be held on Wednesday, November 14, at 1:00 pm in the Parish House. The program will be on "Yoga" and all are welcome to attend. The hostesses will be Sandi Scripture and Judy Nelson. We will also be planning our Christmas Luncheon for December. Hope to see you there.

A LIGHT FOR ZIMBABWE

Sue Heppenstall, RN, President and Founder of A Light for Zimbabwe, a non-profit organization, will be presenting a talk and Power Point presentation right after coffee hour on November 11th, 11:30–12:45. She will share powerful stories of the lives of the 60 orphans now sponsored from Grade 1 through college as well as how sustainable projects have empowered people to become independent. Canterbury Church is one of the generous donors that has made this mission possible. Come and learn about a remote part of the world and leave with a new sense of gratitude for everything that we take for granted.



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CANTERBURY FAIR A SUCCESS!

The results are in and we are pleased to announce to the community that this year's Fair was a great success. The Fair Wrap-Up Meeting was Wednesday, October 3rd. The Canterbury Fair Executive Committee will be meeting soon to determine the distribution of the proceeds. Many thanks to everyone who participated in this year's Fair.

If you are new to town, participating in the Fair is a wonderful way to get to know lots of people in your new community very quickly! We urge you to join us as we make a joyful noise planning next year's Fair...in January! Your Fair Co-Chairs: Diane Modugno (783–9430) and Lisa Carlson (783–0335).



November 9th & 10th

6:00 pm – 9:00 am

Canterbury Boy Scout Troop 296 will be camping overnight in the town center and collecting non-perishable food items for the NH Food Bank.

The boys will be collecting food items from 6:00 pm Friday night until 9:00 am Saturday morning. Please drop off donations at the Town Hall. Your support and generosity are greatly appreciated as the boys work to help those who are in need.

AROUND TOWN

Canterbury Kids Clothing Exchange

A hand-me-down event to help local families pass-on and pick-up children's clothing

Come to the Town Hall to pick up *free* hand-me-downs on:

Saturday, November 17

8:00 am – 1:00 pm

There will be clothing available for boys and girls from newborn up to size 16. *You do not need to donate* items in order to pick-up free clothes. We hope you can come!

DO YOU HAVE CHILDREN'S CLOTHING YOU WISH TO CONTRIBUTE?

Items can be dropped off at Piggie Toes Preschool and Learning Center Monday – Friday between 12:00 pm and 6:00 pm prior to November 16th, or on the evening of the 16th at the Town Hall. All clothes should be size 16 and under, clean and in good condition. THANK YOU!

For questions or more information, please contact Tabatha Burwell at 286-3421, or Tabitha Riley at 783-9389.

All items not taken on the 17th will be donated to charity.

PTO Holiday Fair & Raffle

The Canterbury Elementary PTO is holding its annual Holiday Fair and Raffle on the evening of Friday, November 30, 5:00 to 8:00 pm. All in the community are welcome to come to the craft fair and participate in the raffle! Raffle tickets are \$1 each. We will be raffling tickets to: Funspot, golfing at Canterbury Woods, Montshire and SEE Science museum passes, Sals Pizza gift certificates, Palace Theater and Capital Center tickets, Hannaford and Shaws gift cards, Tanger Outlet gift card, hand made local items, and more! If you would like to purchase tickets in advance, please contact Stephanie Bowser at 783-9223 or stephaniebowser@hotmail.com. The full list of raffle items will be available after November 10.



Christmas at Clough Tavern Farm

23 Clough Tavern Rd

Canterbury, NH

November 23 – December 9, 2012

Weekends 9:00 am – 6:00 pm (Fri, Sat, Sun)

Weekdays 11:00 am – 4:00 pm (Mon – Thurs)

Gentleman's Evening, Thursday, Dec, 6 6:00 – 9:00 pm

Two Sisters Garlic of Clough Tavern Farm invites you to join in Christmas at Clough Tavern, a special annual holiday show running 17 consecutive days. Starting the



day after Thanksgiving, enjoy shopping a diversified and eclectic collection of products from local NH artists and artisans throughout five rooms of a 1777 three-story colonial, one of the oldest and historically significant properties in Canterbury. Pause by the wood stove for samples to taste and mulled cider to sip. New this year is *Gentleman's Evening*. Ladies, you fill out a "wish list" and gentlemen of all ages, come to a special after-hours shopping on Thursday, December 6th. 6:00 pm-9:00 pm.

FOLLOW the Christmas SIGNS through town!

Don't Forget to VOTE!

Tuesday, November 6th

Voting will be November 6th, from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm at the Town Hall next to the Library. We will be asking for ID's. You can vote without one by signing an affidavit or a couple of other options.



Please be patient with the ballot clerks; we didn't make the law but we are required to follow it. Thank you and see you at the polls.

~Ben Bynum, Town Clerk/Tax Collector

"You never diminish yourself when you praise another."

~Bill Simmons

AROUND TOWN CONTINUED

4-H

The Canterbury 4-H had their October Meeting on Monday, October 1, 2012. This was followed up by the Honors Evening service in which the new officers were inducted. The offices are as follows; President: Sophie Miller, Vice President: Talia Sperduto, Secretary: Maeve Burwell, Treasurer: Josie Scarponi, Reporter: Abigail Camire, Historian: Emma Galonski, Refreshment Chair: Becca Camire, and Recreation Chair: Chloe Jackson.

We would like to thank all who participated in the cookie sale and the Unos Dough Raiser on the 18th of October. We hope that the food was good!!

Fifteen club members attended Roundup at Beech Hill Farm in Hopkinton last month. Our club members who were recognized there for projects they did this past year were Emma Galonski, Katherine Wieck, Jacob Bowser, Olivia Bowser, Abby Camire and Becca Camire. Also, Sophie Miller and Talia Sperduto taught the Flash Mob we did at the Canterbury Fair to everyone who came to Roundup. We did one giant Flash Mob by the Beech Hill Farm store with over 70 4-H members from Merrimack County!

Our next meeting is on November 5, 2012, at the Parish House. The meeting will start at 6:30 pm.



~Abigail Camire, Reporter

INDOOR Farmers' Market,

Wednesday, Nov. 14 & Dec. 12
4:00–6:30 pm, CES gym

Well folks, it's official – the Canterbury Community Farmers' Market has gotten too big for our britches! For years now we have held our two indoor markets in the historic Town Hall. Last year we discovered that there were so many vendors, that there was hardly any room left for shoppers! Well, we can't have that... So this year we have moved our indoor markets up the hill a bit, to the Canterbury Elementary School gym. Look for us there on Wednesday, November 14 and Wednesday, December 12, 4:00 – 6:30 pm.

Join us for a great selection of winter veggies and fruits, dairy, meat, and eggs, cider, syrup, sweets, and home baked breads, candy, ready-to-eat, and more. There will be a good selection of hand crafted woolens, soaps, and wood products, too, plus a few surprises! As always, we will have a raffle for a great big basket o' goodies donated by our vendors. Look for tickets on sale at the Market Info table.

Hope to see you at the NEW location of the INDOOR Farmers' Market.



HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Come join us for a Friday Fun Night at the Elkins Memorial Building (the old library) on November 9th, from 6:00 to 7:30 pm. This will be a wine and cheese get together with Jane Balshaw and Pam Jackson who will be on hand to sign their new book, "The Churches of Canterbury 1727–2012". Bring your previously purchased book, or buy one there, only \$10.00, and a great gift idea for the coming holiday season. While visiting you can see our new show, "The Founding Fathers of Canterbury". We look forward to greeting you!

The Society will present a N.H. Humanities Council program entitled, "Saving the Mountains: N.H. and the Creation of the National Forests" on Tuesday, November 13th at 7:00 pm in the Elkins Library. The program will be presented by Marcia Schmidt Blaine of Plymouth State University. She will trace the part the White Mountains played in the passage of the Weeks Act, leading to the creation of our eastern National Forest, including the prominent role of Concord's Joseph P. Walker and the Forest Society's Philip Ayres. All are welcome.

AROUND TOWN CONTINUED

Transition Canterbury Film Series November 27

Come and enjoy the short film Seeds of Freedom and discussion. The film charts the story of seed from its roots at the heart of traditional farming to its current position as a powerful commodity, used to monopolize the global food system. Seeds of Freedom challenges the idea (promoted by the pro-GMO lobby – genetically modified seed) that large-scale industrial agriculture is the only way to feed the world. If you have saved seeds from your garden, please bring any extras you may have to share or swap.

When: Tuesday, November 27, 7:00 pm.

Where: The Parish House.

Freecycle: Our freecycle project is just getting off the ground. Think of it as the Dump's Treasure House online. To learn more or sign up visit.

<http://freecycle.transitioncanterbury.org>.

FIRE DEPT

The Fire Department will be raffling off a cord of wood. Tickets will go on sale November 1st. Lt. Adam Angwin, Capt. Don Maurer, Firefighters Dave Nelson, Brett Chagnon & Kevin Landry completed our Fire Prevention program at the schools & piggy toes. Some of the kids got to meet Smokey the Bear & got to dress one of our firefighters & learned to have an escape route planned in case of fire.

Cold weather is approaching; check your chimneys & stove pipes to make sure they are clean and ready to go. Now is a good time to change your smoke alarm batteries & make sure you have a working carbon monoxide detector. If you need assistance or have questions pertaining to smoke alarms or C/O detectors please call 783-4798. Keep Safe.

~Chief Peter Angwin

Household Hazardous Waste Day

Saturday November 3rd from 10:00 am-2:00 pm. Watch for detailed information about acceptable materials in a direct mailer via USPS over the next few weeks.



Newslettercanterbury@gmail.com

Public Hearing Nov. 14

In 2008, voters at Town Meeting approved the purchase of the 45-acre property on Kimball Pond Road from the Hildreth family. Residents supported purchasing the field and adjacent woods to protect conservation values including wildlife habitat, water quality, recreation and the scenic vista that is one of the gateways to Canterbury Center.



The final phase of permanently protecting this property is to establish a conservation easement. The Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing regarding the easement on Wednesday, November 14, 2012, at 7:00 pm in the Meeting House to hear public comment.

The property was purchased for \$261,000, using \$130,500 from the Conservation Commission and a bond for \$130,500, which was reduced by a \$5,000 private donation.

More information is available from the homepage of the Canterbury Town website: www.canterbury-nh.org; look under the News & Announcements heading.

HOW TO GRAB LEAVES

You have to understand that this is about getting leaves for mulch in the garden. Make sure you get them from your own property, not have to import them. Do it on a rainy day or at least when the leaves are wet. Use a fan shaped lawn rake to get the leaves into piles. Don't pick them up in a wheelbarrow. You just can't get very many in one. Use a leaf grabber. Take two poles, six-foot long, an inch square or round, and an old sheet, blanket, or canvas six-foot long and four-foot wide. Staple one long side to one pole and the other side to the other pole. Approach the pile. Nudge one side under the pile with your foot. Keep nudging. Reach over the top with the other pole and grab the leaves, reaching around underneath to touch the other pole and pull it all up tucking under your arms. Deposit the leaves where you want them in the garden. Cover with old hay or garden refuse like squash vines, bean vines, zinnia stalks, cosmos stalks, to weight down the leaves, keep them from blowing away so you won't have be grabbing them again.

~Dudley Laufman

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SCHOOL NEWS

CES students will conduct their annual Holiday Food Drive during the months of November and December. Maria Manus Painchaud from the Capitol Region Food Program will meet with students at the beginning of this month to talk about needs and how we can help others. Donations of non-perishable items will be collected at drop boxes in the front hall of the school until December 14th. The food will be made available to families in need throughout our area during the Holiday Season.

CES Student Council's Annual Senior Citizens' Thanksgiving Luncheon will be held on Thursday, November 15th at 12:00 pm in the school library. All Canterbury senior citizens are warmly invited. If you wish to attend, please call the school prior to the 15th, (783-9944). We are looking forward to seeing you then.

The CES PTO Annual Holiday Fair (for more information see page 4).

The PTO Christmas Tree Sale begins in November this year. Trees will be available for sale at the town center from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on November 24th, December 1st, December 8th, and on December 15th if there are any trees left. Trees can be purchased at other times at the Canterbury Store. All proceeds from the Fair and Tree Sale go to support CES student programs.



The CES PTO will also be sponsoring a Country Dance with Canterbury's Two Fiddles, Jacqueline and Dudley Laufman on Thursday, November 15th. The dance will begin at 6:30 pm in the school gym and conclude with refreshments at 7:30 pm.



The next regular PTO meeting will be held on Monday, November 19th at 6:30 pm in the school library.

We will be holding this year's first Parent/Teacher conference on two evenings during the week of November 5th. The conferences will be scheduled from 3:30 to 6:30 pm on Monday, November 5th and Wednesday, November 7th. Please call the school if you have not received a conference confirmation by Thursday,

November 1st. On November 12th CES staff will travel to Washington DC to accept our National Blue Ribbon School Award.



"No School Days" this month include Friday November 9th in observance of Veteran's Day and the Thanksgiving break, Wednesday November 21st through Friday November 23rd.

November Calendar:

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| November 8th | School Board Meeting - BES 6:00 |
| November 5th & 7th | Parent/Teacher Conferences |
| November 9th | Veteran's Day - No School |
| November 15th | Senior Citizens' Thanksgiving Luncheon |
| November 19th | PTO 6:30 |
| November 21-23 | Thanksgiving Break - No School |

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LIBRARY NEWS

The library will be closed on Mon. Nov. 12 in observance of Veteran's Day. The library will be open Wed. Nov. 21 from 9-4 and closed for Thanksgiving through the week-end reopening on Mon. Nov. 26.

Join us for *Turkey Time Story Hour* on Wed. Nov. 16 at 10:00 am.

Teen Time Read: Students grades 5 through 7 are reading *Williwaw*, by Tom Bodett on Tues. Nov. 13 at 5:30 pm.

The *Book Group* will gather on Tues. Nov. 20 at 7:00 pm to discuss *Winter Garden* by Kristin Hannah. Copies are available at the library.

The *Knitting Group* meets every Wed. evening at 6:30 pm by the fireplace.

Quilters meet Tuesday mornings from 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Bring your handwork, sewing machines and don't forget your lunch!



Scrabble every Monday night at 6:00 pm. Come join in!

GAMES! We have received a donation of popular board games for all ages to enjoy at the library. We also would appreciate the donation of gently used Legos to add to the after-school activity choices. Please drop them by when it's convenient. Many thanks!

Puzzle Swap - Stop by, take one and leave one. All puzzles should be at least 500 pieces and in very good condition with all pieces in the box.

Thursday, Nov. 8, at 7:00 pm

Mark Travis, a former Canterbury resident, will discuss New Hampshire's Civil War history and his first novel, a Civil War mystery set in Concord and titled "Pliney Fiske," Mark is a longtime Concord Monitor editor and reporter who now works as publisher of the Valley News and lives with his family in Grantham. Ken Burns wrote: "[Pliney Fiske] is a wonderful novel, alive in the moment, from the first scene to the last. It rings true, too, free of the cloying sentimentality that afflicts most of our Civil War memories. I felt like I was *there*." Mark will sell and sign books after his talk, with a portion of proceeds benefiting the library's book fund.

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Come to a gathering of friends and neighbors at our *Holiday Open House* Sat. Dec. 1 from 10:00 am-12:00 pm. Enjoy homemade baked goods and cider, visit with Santa, create an ornament to bring home, decorate a cookie and listen to holiday music by Tim Gurshin.

Download audio books & e-books!

Download audio books on CD, an I-Pod, OMC or MP3 Players from home. Compatible e-book readers are Sony, Barnes & Noble Nooks, Amazon's Kindle & your PC or MAC. Check out the website <http://nh.lib.overdrive.com> for more details and then contact the library if you would like to register for this service and receive the code required.



Just a reminder that the library has a food collection basket for the Loudon Food Pantry. They are looking for pasta, peanut butter, soups, juices, baby products, laundry & dish detergent, toilet tissue, cereals, and canned fruit. No canned vegetables are needed.

New Titles:

Live By Night by Dennis Lehane

Racketeer by John Grisham

The Long Walk: The Story of War and the Life That

Follows by Brian Castner

The Bone Bed by Patricia Cornwell

HOW TO PLACE A NEWSLETTER AD

Deadline is 15th of each month. \$7 for 30 words or less or \$14 up to 60 words. Please email ad to newsletter (see address below left) and mail payment to CUCC, P.O. Box 216, Canterbury, NH 03224. Must be received by the 15th and we'll take it from there!

PEOPLE NEWS

Kyle Haley, son of Steven and Janice Haley, graduated U.S. Army Basic Training from Fort Benning, GA in June and graduated first academically in his class at AIT from Fort Gordon, GA in October. He will serve in South Korea beginning November 12 as a Computer Detection Systems Repairer.

POST OFFICE NEWS

There are two Federal holidays in November. The Canterbury Post Office will be closed on Monday, November 12, for Veterans Day. We also are closed on Thursday, November 22, for Thanksgiving Day.

Christmas stamps are now available. The contemporary stamps have four designs on a booklet of twenty. They show Santa Claus in his sleigh, led by the eight reindeer over a snow covered village. The religious Christmas stamp shows the Holy Family in a modern painting of the Flight to Egypt. There is also an interesting new stamp that shows 15 aerial views of the United States. Some of the pictures are satellite images; the rest are aerial photographs.

In the next newsletter I will give a list of mailing deadlines. Since there is no slow option for international mail, none of the deadlines fall in November. If you are preparing for the holiday mailings, I do have a good supply of the Priority mail flat rate boxes. The small box is \$5.35, the medium boxes are \$11.35, and the large box is \$15.45. If you are planning on adding any special services, such as insurance, certified mail, or delivery confirmation, I have the forms available at the office so that you could have the paperwork filled out before you brought your items in to be mailed.

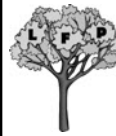
As you may have heard recently, the price of stamps is going up in January. The price of a letter will go up one cent. Since all the first class stamps that have been sold this past year are the Forever stamps, they will be good for the new rate.

The days are getting shorter and the time seems to be flying right past. The holidays will be here before we know it. I am feeling much more prepared this year since I now have a year's experience using our computerized retail terminal. I am looking forward to helping with your mailing challenges. Thank you for your support.

~Ted LeClair Postmaster
Canterbury NH 03224



OPPORTUNITIES FOR GIVING



Loudon Food Pantry

Annual Fall 50/50 Raffle

Remember our 50/50 Raffle starts November 1, 2012 and ends December 13, 2012. Get your tickets at Loudon Food Pantry, 30 Chichester Rd., Unit D, Loudon NH or use our handy order form on our website at LoudonFoodPantry.org. Ticket prices are: 50¢ each, 5 tickets for \$2.00, or 10 tickets for \$3.00. Buy a ticket today and see how lucky you are. The winner receives 50% of the ticket sales. Good Luck!

Thanksgiving Boxes

We have 70 Thanksgiving Boxes already requested. It is only the 15th of the month and people have until the end of the month to sign up. We usually average between 120 and 125 boxes.

We need the following donations to help fill the Thanksgiving Boxes:

- Money or gift cards (Sam's Club or Walmart is preferable) – used to purchase fresh fruit and vegetables when needed
- Stuffing
- Cranberry Sauce
- Turkey Gravy
- Turkeys
- Turkey Breast (used for single households)
- Pumpkin Pie Filling
- Evaporated Milk
- Pie Crust
- Brown & Serve Rolls (we can freeze these)
- Dessert items (boxed cakes and icings, brownies, jello, pudding, etc.)

Donations can be brought or mailed to Loudon Food Pantry, 30 Chichester Rd., Unit D., Loudon NH 03307. We are here Mon., Tue., and Thu. From 10:00 am – 5:00 pm and Wed. from 10:00 am – 6:00 pm. Call (603) 724-9731 with any questions you may have.

With your help, we can make this a holiday to treasure!
Thanks for your continued support.

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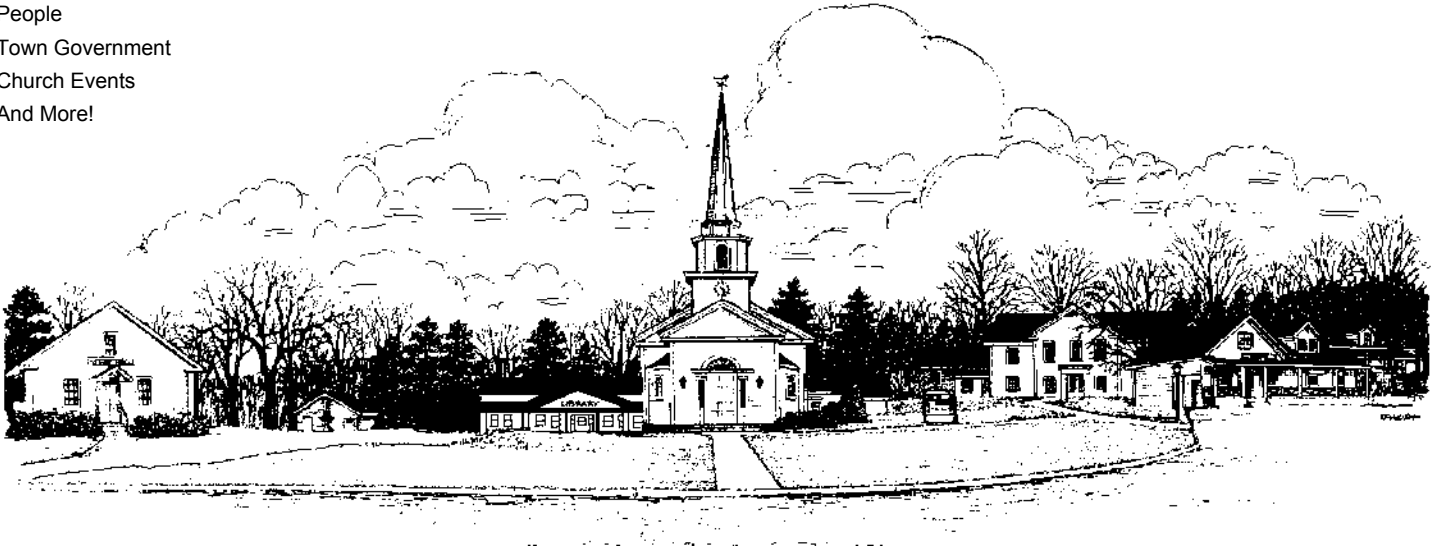
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This is a statewide event celebrating New Hampshire businesses and products. The event is presented by the League of NH Craftsmen and NH Made. It is sponsored by the State of New Hampshire, New Hampshire Cultural Resources, and New Hampshire Magazine. The 11 participating Canterbury artisans (listed below) are opening their doors and welcome you to visit their

studios. Visitors can see the artists demonstrate their craft, take a tour, sample products, and shop for unique and one-of-a-kind NH Made products. Please come out to support your town folk during this weekend. It's a great time to meet with the artists and pick up some early holiday gifts. A free downloadable map and guide is available online at: nhopendoors.com/images/cntbry_nh_open_doors_map-2012.pdf.

North Woods Chair Shop
Brian Braskie

Someday Farm
Barbie Tilton

Old Ways Tradition
David Emerson

Havn Guitars
Erik Baker

Petals in the Pines
Donna Miller

Free-the-Spoons
Mark Kneeland

Kathie Fife Photography/Artemis Natural
Resource Designs
Kathie Fife

Hackleboro Pottery, Quilts & Braided
Rugs
Kate Goegel

Canterbury Shaker Village
Store Museum

Red Horse Rugs
Pam Bartlett

Fox Country Smoke House
Matthew Fox

For more detailed information go to : nhopendoors.com/images/cntbry_nh_open_doors_map-2012.pdf