

The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

Week of October 12, 2026

Finally beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Philippians 4:8

Dear God, guide our thoughts and actions in ways that reflect your reign of goodness and mercy through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Last week — In review

Sunday, September 20 we worship at 9:30am. Pastor Doug delivered the sermon, "The Party You Can't Control", with a text from Exodus 32:1-14; Matthew 22:1-14. To read a full copy of the sermon, please visit our website at www.federatedff.org.

This week — Looking ahead

Pastor Doug is out of the office this week and will return on Sunday.

No women's bible study on Tuesday or Wednesday youth activities this week. Enjoy your MEA break.

By now you've learned of the proposed Faith FAM-ily Ministry with Ashby and Maine Presbyterian churches, and of the congregational meeting on Sunday, October 18, 2026, at 4:00 PM. I've prepared a list of FAQs (attached) which provides more information about the proposal.

This year the Mission Brunch will be Sunday, October 25, following the service with guest speaker Karen Wulfekuhle. She will introduce us to the new River's Area Memory Café a "place of connection, learning and support for those impacted by memory loss... with the goal of "building community in an environment that is enjoyable, safe and comfortable." The meal will be provided by the Mission Committee.

Heritage Grants applications are now available. The deadline for applications is October 31, 2026. Information and application forms are available on the Federated Church website (www.federatedff.org). Click the "Resources" tab (top right), form "Heritage Grants". Please let us know if you have any questions.

Prayer requests

Weekly Calendar

TUESDAY (10/13)

10:00AM WOMEN'S COFFEE HOUR
6:30PM MINISTRY NITE

WEDNESDAY (10/14)

NO YOUTH ACTIVITIES

THURSDAY (10/15)

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

FRIDAY (10/16)

10:00AM MEN'S COFFEE HOUR

SUNDAY (10/18)

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY
9:30AM WORSHIP
10:30AM SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:30AM FELLOWSHIP HOUR
4:00PM THREE-CHURCH CONGREGATIONAL MEETING WITH ASHBY AND MAINE



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