

NEWBURYPORT PRESERVATION TRUST

Linking the past with the present and future

PRESERVATION WEEK 2016

Preserving the Architecture of Faith

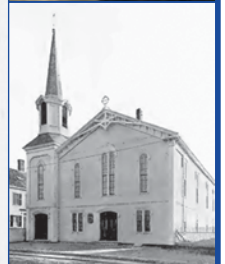
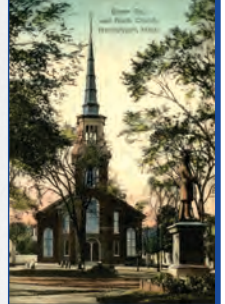
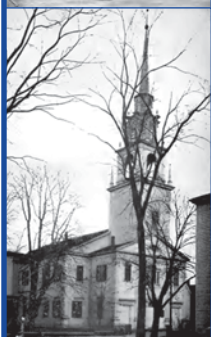
Tuesday—Sunday
May 10-15, 2016

Discover Newburyport's
venerable architectural icons
through tours, talks, walks, & more

See reverse side for schedule!

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Tues., May 10
Presentation & Reception
"Preservation Week
Preview: Newburyport's
Architecture of Faith"
St. Anna's Chapel of
St. Paul's Church, 7 p.m.

Wed., May 11
Open House & Tours
First Parish Church of
Newbury, 10 a.m.-Noon
Presentation & Tour
"Visions of Hope"
Hope Church, 2 p.m.

Thurs., May 12
Open House
Museum of Old Newbury,
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Presentation & Tour
Central Congregational
Church, 2 p.m.

Fri., May 13
Open House & Tours
First Parish Church of
Newbury, 10 a.m.-Noon
Presentation & Reception
"FRS Steeple Restoration"
Custom House, 7 p.m.

Sat., May 14
Tour - "Historic Churches," Market Sq., 10 a.m.
Tour - Old South Church, 11 a.m. & 1 p.m.
Tour - Emma Andrews Library, 10 a.m.-Noon
Tour - Newburyport Powder House, 1-3 p.m.
Tour - "Sabbath in the Synagogue,"
Congregation Ahavas Achim, 2 p.m.
Performance - "American Music Sampler"
St. Paul's Church, 4-5 p.m.

Sun., May 15
Open House - First Religious Society
(Unitarian Church), 1-3 p.m.
Tour - Annunciation Church, 1 p.m.
Tour - Old South Church, 1 p.m.
Organ Concert & Tour -
Belleville Church, 2-3 p.m.
**2016 Preservation Awards &
Reception**, Custom House, 4:30 p.m.



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Schedule of Events

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TUESDAY, MAY 10

Illustrated Lecture Presentation & Reception

Preservation Week Preview: Newburyport's Architecture of Faith, by R.W. Bacon
Enjoy a lively overview of the topic packed with photos of Newburyport churches – old, new, past, present, defunct, restored, and re-purposed. St. Anna's Chapel (St. Paul's churchyard)
7:00 p.m. (reception follows)
166 High Street, Newburyport
Admission: Free

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

Open House & Burying Ground Tours

First Parish Church of Newbury
10 a.m. - 12 noon
Tour the sanctuary of the church, first gathered in 1635, and the burying ground across the street.
20 High Road, Newbury, Mass.
(Parking at rear of church)
Admission: Donations welcome

Presentation & Tour

"Visions Of Hope: The Story of Hope Community Church Since 1805," by Pastor Pete Balentine.
Hope Community Church
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Learn about fires, challenges to unity, William Lloyd Garrison, music styles, seaport outreach, and the Tiffany window. Includes building tour.
11 Hale Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

THURSDAY, MAY 12

Open House

Cushing House (Museum of Old Newbury)
10 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Enjoy an architectural tour of this 1808 ship captain's home, a prime example of architecture from the federal period, when Newburyport enjoyed wealth and prosperity from the sea.
98 High Street, Newburyport
Admission: Free

Open House

Perkins Printing & Engraving Plant (Fruit St., behind the Museum of Old Newbury)
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
In the early 19th century, the Perkins Engraving Plant produced paper currency for Massachusetts and much of New England, using revolutionary techniques devised by local inventor Jacob Perkins. Visitors can see both the building as well as examples of money printed there.
98 High Street, Newburyport
Admission: Free

Presentation & Tour

Central Congregational Church
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Enjoy a tour of the sanctuary by Rev. Christopher P. Ney, with a discussion of how the symbolism of the stained glass and church artifacts tell the story of the congregation and how it relates to the history of Newburyport.
14 Titcomb Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations of new socks and men's T-shirts accepted to benefit the homeless.

FRIDAY, MAY 13

Open House & Tours

First Parish Church of Newbury
10 a.m. - 12 noon
Tour the sanctuary of the church, first gathered in 1635, and the burying ground across the street.
20 High Road, Newbury (Parking at rear of church)
Admission: Donations welcome

Presentation & Reception

"A Preservation Commitment Journey: The First Religious Society Steeple Project," by William Heenahan
Custom House Maritime Museum
7:00 p.m. reception, followed by program.
Since mid-2014 residents and visitors to Newburyport have been greeted by the scaffold-covered steeple of the First Religious Society Unitarian Universalist on Pleasant Street. The original project began in January 2014 and was slated to be completed that fall. Then came the series of surprises that extended the project and drained finances. In his talk, Bill Heenahan, FRS business administrator and project manager, shares, through pictures and artifacts, the journey of the church and its membership – a journey of commitment to historic preservation.
25 Water Street, Newburyport
Admission: Free

SATURDAY, MAY 14

Walking Tour

"Historic Churches," by Ghlee Woodworth.
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
(Meet at Market Square "bullnose," Newburyport)
Admission: Donations welcome

Tour

"A Woman, a Dream, and a Library"
Emma L. Andrews Library
10:00 a.m. - 12 noon (tours every 15 minutes)
Enjoy a 15-minute living history tour and see the Joppa library established in 1900.
77 Purchase Street, Newburyport
Admission: Free

Tour

"Old South Church History Tour"
Old South Church
11:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m., & 1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
29 Federal Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

Tour

Powder House Park & Learning Center
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Tour the restored 1822 Powder House.
Godfrey's Hill, 57 Low Street, Newburyport
Admission: Free

Tour & Discussion

"Sabbath in the Synagogue"
Congregation Ahavas Achim
2:00 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.
Enjoy a tour of the synagogue, with a discussion of the history of the building, the congregation, and how the Jewish sabbath is celebrated each week, by Rabbi Avi Poupkov and Bonnie Sontag.
53½ Washington Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

Performance

"American Music Sampler"
St. Paul's Church
4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
The program features solo and ensemble songs of faith, the Civil War, love and sadness, and songs from the great American songbook.
166 High Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

SUNDAY, MAY 15

Open House

First Religious Society, Unitarian Universalist Church
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Steeple & church tours, history display, & organ demonstration
26 Pleasant Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

Sanctuary Tour & Music

Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Tour the sanctuary and hear samples of Orthodox choral music and traditional chant.
7 Harris Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

Tour

"Old South Church History Tour"
Old South Church
1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
29 Federal Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

Organ Concert & Tour

Belleville Congregational Church
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Organ concert (by Andrea DeGiovanni) & tour of the 1867 meetinghouse & 1900 chapel (by Rev. Ross Varney).
300 High Street, Newburyport
Admission: Donations welcome

2016 Preservation Awards

Presentation & Reception
Custom House Maritime Museum
4:30 p.m. reception, followed by awards program.
Each year at Preservation Week the Newburyport Preservation Trust recognizes the finest preservation efforts across our city during the past 12 months. Join us for the celebration!
25 Water St., Newburyport
Admission: Free

Preservation Week is an annual community-wide event sponsored by the Newburyport Preservation Trust to celebrate Newburyport's historic character and unique architectural legacy. **We thank this year's Preservation Week Partners:** All of the city's participating religious organizations as well as the Custom House Maritime Museum.

The Newburyport Preservation Trust was formed to raise public awareness and to advocate for local historic preservation, and is an all-volunteer, registered 501(c)3 nonprofit corporation. Join us! To learn more, visit www.NbptPreservationTrust.org.