



THE MAINE SEA COAST MISSION PROVIDES SPIRITUAL, HEALTH
AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS IN COASTAL AND ISLAND COMMUNITIES
FROM MID-COAST TO DOWNEAST MAINE. ROOTED IN A HISTORY
OF NON-DENOMINATIONAL SERVICE, THE MISSION OFFERS HOPE, ENCOURAGEMENT
AND HELP TO STRENGTHEN INDIVIDUALS, FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES.

MISSION STATEMENT

COURAGE AND A WILLINGNESS TO WORK

Hooked Rugs of the Maine Sea Coast Mission and Grenfell Mission 1923-1940

JULY 22-SEPTEMBER 27, 2013



Attended by Beatrice Buckley, Anne Hopper &
Mary Lou Hodge

PLEASE RSVP TO TINA KING AT 288-5097 OR TKING@SEACOASTMISSION.ORG BY JULY 17

FRIDAY, JULY 19, 2013 5:00 – 7:00 PM
MAINE SEA COAST MISSION, COLKET CENTER
127 WEST STREET, BAR HARBOR, MAINE

MAINE SEA COAST MISSION RUGS AND GREENFELL MISSION MATS 1928 – 1939

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MAINE SEA COAST MISSION PRESIDENT SCOTT PLANTING
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO ATTEND AN OPENING RECEPTION FOR

*We hope you can come to the opening. I did not have Carol's
address for the invitation, but please let her know if invited.
It was a great pleasure to create this exciting & unique
exhibit. Thanks Roger & Anna!!*

For just over a decade in the first part of the 20th Century, the
Maine Sea Coast Mission's Alice M. Peasley helped women in island
and coastal fishing communities earn an income by handcrafting
hooked rugs. The Grenfell Mission in Canada conducted a similar
program. Many of these creations became treasured pieces in homes
throughout the Maritimes and New England. This exhibition showcases
extraordinary examples of this unique North American Folk Art and
highlights stories of the exceptional women who crafted them.