

WORSHIP SERVICE

February 25, 2024

Prelude

Sam Taber

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Hymns

My Savior's Love (#348)

When We All Get to Heaven (#772)

Prayer

Missions Moment

Brandon Woody, Camp Sentinel

Worship Songs

Lay Me Down

Stand in Your Love

Revelation Song

Message

Pastor Thom Christian

Closing Song

The Bond of Love (#423)

Benediction



Following our service, someone will be available at the front of the sanctuary to pray with you or to simply hear your heart, should you wish.

OUR VISION AND MISSION

To be a biblically mature, grace-based church.

We will accomplish our vision by:

Reaching Up

through worship, exaltation, and prayer;

Reaching In

through preaching, teaching, and fellowship;

Reaching Out

through evangelism, missions, and social outreach,

that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

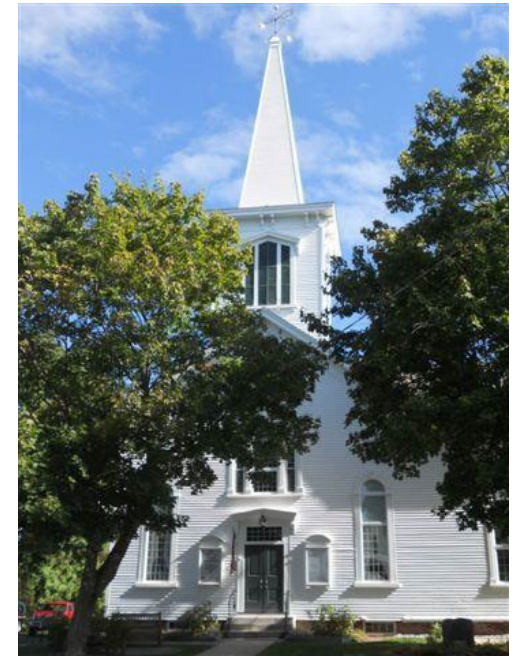
ALWAYS HAS, ALWAYS WILL

Thanks so much for worshipping with us today. As you leave, please go with the knowledge that God loves you! He always has; He always will. No matter what's gone wrong in your life, He'll accept you just as you are—no questions asked. He loves you, period! All He asks is your love in return. So today—right now—why not tell Jesus in your own words that you love Him. When you do, He promises to give you His peace, begin a beautiful change in you, and that He'll always be there for you—always has, always will!

CHURCH PERSONNEL

AV..... Ben Shaner, Sam Frazier, Sam Taber,
Beverly Funk, Kat Kennedy, Bernie Anderson
Auditor..... Len Peterson
Benevolence Fund..... Bruce MacGregor
Caring~Connection Team..... Lee Kennedy
Communion Preparation..... Nancy Watkins
Compassion Ministry..... Jerri Dempster
Council .. Susan Kifer, Richard Frazier, Ben Shaner
Bob Kennedy, Bruce MacGregor, the Pastors
Dinner for Eight Jerri Dempster
Facilities Richard Frazier
Kitchen Ministry .. Phyllis Forsythe, Sue Bennett,
Brenda Berube, Lee Kennedy, Pam Knapp
Library Sarah Charles (Adults),
..... Bev Funk (Children)
Missions Shirley Lymburner
Offering Table Church Office
Operation Christmas Child Sam Frazier
Photographer Genie Bennett
Prayer Chain Church Office
Secretary/Clerk Karen Heidebrink
Sew Blessed..... Bette Frazier
Sexton..... Dale Mundo
Treasurer..... John Kifer
Trustees Trust Funds... Bruce MacGregor, Mal Cook
Ushers/Greeters..... Jane Cook, Heidi Peterson
Worship Karen Heidebrink and Worship Team

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(also live streamed on Youtube)

Office Hours: Mon-Thur, 9 AM-12 PM

**“A Passion for God,
Compassion for People”**

A WORD TO OUR VISITORS

We are so happy that you have joined us this morning! Our hope and prayer is that you will feel welcomed and encouraged as we worship our God, learn from His Word, and experience His love to begin a wonderful week.

If we can help you in any way, please let us know. We are here to serve you.

If you fill out an Information Card, located in the pews, and drop it in an offering box, we can send you additional information of our church.

Thank you so much for being our guest!

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Today	10:00 AM	Worship Service Live Streaming Kidz' Zone Nursery (ages 0-3)
	11:00 AM	Fellowship Hour
	11:10 AM	Choir Rehearsal
Mon	10:00 AM	Truth Project (at Lymburners')
	12-1:00 PM	AA
Tues	12-1:00 PM	AA
Wed	10:30 AM	Women's Bible Study
	12-1:00 PM	AA
	6:30 PM	Worship Team Rehearsal
Thurs	10:00 AM	In the Round
	12-1:00 PM	AA
	6:00 PM	Genesis Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Sermon Series Study (at Camp Brookwoods)
Fri	12-1:00 PM	AA

SERMON NOTES

"A PLACE TO BELONG"

(John 15:9-17)

Pastor Thom Christian

As followers of Jesus, how we relate to one another is probably one of the most important things as far as Jesus is concerned—perhaps even *the* most important. So let's look together and see what Jesus would have us do to accomplish that.

■ The Supreme Command (v. 12)

■ The Supreme Standard (v. 13)

■ The Supreme Bond (v. 14)

■ The Supreme Purpose (v. 16)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CHOIR WILL REHEARSE TODAY after the worship service. Anyone is welcome to join us as we prepare music for Easter.

THE FCC LIBRARY is offering a new DVD for viewing. "Sound of Freedom" is an historical drama film based on a true story of rescuing children who were being trafficked through Columbia. The brother escapes and makes it north to America. His sister is held in Columbia. A federal agent, played by Jim Caviezel (Passion of the Christ), embarks on a dangerous mission to save her.

A BLUE SWEATER was left at the church. If it's yours, it's hanging in the foyer for you to claim.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE in March for the First Christian Church Pay It Forward Scholarship for higher education. To qualify, you must be accepted into an academic degree program, First Christian Church must be your home church, and you must be actively serving the church. Please contact the church office for an application. Applications will be due May 1, 2024. If you have any questions, please call Beverly Funk or the church office at 603-569-4272.
— Beverly Funk

CARING~CONNECTION: Do you know someone who is unable to attend services or participate in fellowship activities, for any number of reasons, and might appreciate a visit? (*Be sure to ask permission of the person before referring them.*) Contact the church office, using "Grapevine" in the subject line. Your confidential request will be forwarded to the Caring~Connection team.

FCC CONTINUES TO COLLECT FLIP TABS for David's House (which they redeem for cash), to help support families' home away from home when their child receives medical care at the Dartmouth Hitchcock Hospital. Friends in Sew Blessed deliver the tabs, with about 30 lap quilts, every June. A jug for tabs is in the fellowship hall. Questions? Call Bette.

THERE ARE DROP BOXES in the foyer and fellowship hall in which to place your tithes and offerings either before or right after the service. Thank you so much!