

WORSHIP SERVICE

March 17, 2024

Prelude

Sam Taber

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Hymns

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (#90)
They'll Know We Are Christians (#429)

Prayer

Special Music

Noelle Dearborn and Lou Esoldo
A Living Prayer

Worship Songs

Our God
Cornerstone
Echo Holy

Message

Pastor Thom Christian

Closing Song

Blest Be the Tie That Binds (#426)

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.

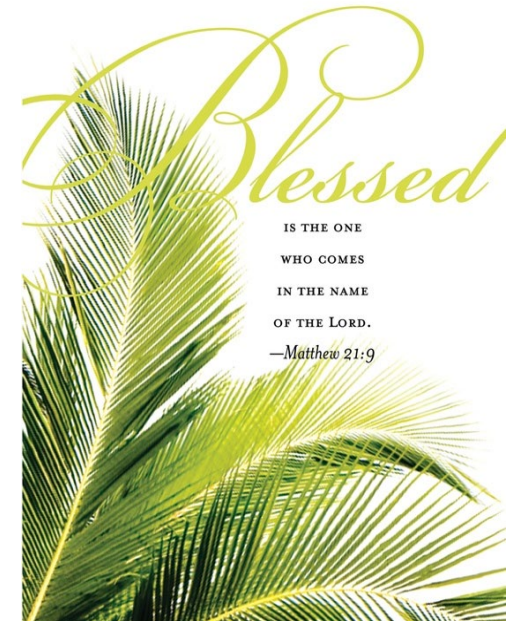
ALWAYS HAS, ALWAYS WILL

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

THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF WOLFEBORO



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Thom Christian and Dave Morgan

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**“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	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

"HIS LAST PRAYER"
(John 17:20-21)

Pastor Thom Christian

■ THE THREE PROCLAMATIONS OF GRACE

- Only God can forgive my sins (Mark 2:7)
- Only God can judge my neighbor (Rom. 14:4)
- I must accept who God accepts (Rom. 15:7)

■ HOW DO WE LIVE WITH OTHER BELIEVERS?

■ UNITY MATTERS TO GOD!

Unity usually doesn't begin by examining others, but in examining ourselves. Unity begins not in demanding others change, but in admitting we aren't so perfect ourselves.

■ WHO'S THE GREATEST?

■ JESUS' FINAL PRAYER BEFORE THE CROSS WAS FOR THE UNITY OF HIS FOLLOWERS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER WORSHIP: You are invited to come celebrate with us the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ! Our service begins at 10 AM on Easter Sunday, March 31st! Come worship with us through special music by our choir and worship team, enthusiastic singing, and an inspirational Easter message!

VOLUNTEERS FOR TODDLER ROOM COVERAGE have been wonderful! There is a sign-up sheet in the Fellowship Room for April, May, and June. Thank you in advance for your willingness to help.

SEW BLESSED resumes meeting on Thursday, March 28, from 1 to 3 pm, at the home of Bette Frazier. In April, Sew Blessed will meet on the 4th, 11th, and 18th (not the 25).

IT'S TIME TO PRINT A NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY! If your contact information has changed in any way in the past year, or if you were not listed in last year's directory and would like to be included in this directory, please fill out the enclosed insert and place it in an offering box.

THE FCC LIBRARY has displays of many DVDs to enhance the Easter season. Look on the white display area and opposite on the shelves. Happy Easter!

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

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!