### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

November 13, 2022

#### Prelude

#### Welcome and Call to Worship

Opening Hymns 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (#581) He Leadeth Me (#690)

#### **Opening Prayer**

Worship through Giving Offertory, Mike Lymburner In Remembrance

#### **Communion Service**

Worship Songs Praise You My Savior, My God Goodness of God

Message Pastor Thom Christian

> Closing Song As the Deer

#### Benediction

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Following our service, someone will be available at the front of the sanctuary to pray with you or to just 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.

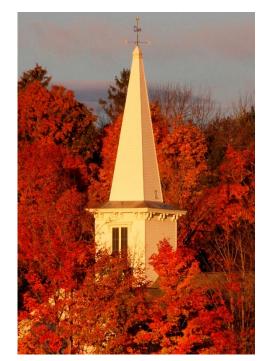
#### **ALWAYS HAS, ALWAYS WILL**

Thanks so much for worshipping with us today. As you leave, please go with the knowledge that <u>God</u> <u>loves you</u>! 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 <u>you</u>, 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 <u>you</u> <u>His peace</u>, begin a beautiful change in you, and that He'll always be there for you—always has; always will!

#### **CHURCH PERSONNEL**

AVBen Shaner, Peter Pijoan, Sam Frazier, Sam Taber Council Fred Funk, Richard Frazier, Jan Hawes, Susan Kifer, Bruce MacGregor, Ben Shaner, Pastor Thom, Pastor Dave			
AuditorsBruce MacGregor, Len Peterson			
Benevolence FundBruce MacGregor			
Communion Preparation	Nancy Watkins		
Compassion Ministry	Jerri Dempster		
Facilities			
Kitchen Ministry Sarah	Charles, Sue Bennett		
Phyllis Forsy	the, Cynthia Torosian		
Library Sarah Charles (Adults	), Bev Funk (Children)		
Missions	Shirley Lymburner		
Offering Table	Church Office		
Operation Christmas Child			
Photographer	Genie Bennett		
Secretary/Clerk	Karen Heidebrink		
Sexton			
Treasurer	Bruce MacGregor		
Trustees of Trust FundsBruce MacGregor, Mal Cook			
Usher/Greeter Ministry Jane Cook, Heidi Peterson			
WorshipKaren Heidebrink and Worship Team			

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Office Hours: Mon-Thur, 9 AM to 12 Noon

"A Passion for God, Compassion for People"

# A WORD TO OUR VISITORS

We are so happy 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 pew holders or on the chairs, and drop it in the offering plate, we can send you additional information of our church.

Thank you so much for being our guest!

# **OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK**

11	1:00 AM 1:15 AM	Worship Service Live Streaming Nursery available ages 0-3 Kidz' Zone Fellowship Hour Choir Rehearsal	■ LEARN TO ADJUST TO CHANGE
12-1 Wed 10 12-1	0:00 AM 1:00 PM 0:30 AM 1:00 PM	AA Acts Bible Study (4 Gov Wentworth Highway) AA Women's Bible Study AA Worship Team Practice	■ LEARN TO DRAW ON GOD'S POWER
Thurs 10 12-1 Fri 12-1	0:00 AM 1:00 PM 7:00 PM 1:00 PM	In the Round AA Sermon Discussion <i>(Funks')</i> AA Men's Bible Study	
			■ LEARN TO <i>TRUST GOD</i> TO MEET MY NEEDS
			NEXT WEEK: "A Happy Family" (I Thess. 5:12-18)

## SERMON NOTES

"A SATISFIED MIND" (Philippians 4:10-13) Pastor Thom Christian

How do you learn contentment? Here Paul gives us four lessons that lead to a satisfying, abundant life.

#### LEARN TO AVOID COMPARISONS

- -- I must have what others have
- -- I must be liked by everyone
- -- Having more will make me happy

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

THE CHOIR WILL REHEARSE THIS MORNING following our worship service. Anyone who would like to participate is welcome, as we rehearse music for the Christmas season.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOE BOXES are due back at the church TODAY! Please remember to indicate whether your shoe box is for a boy or a girl (and what age range), and to attach your \$10 check for postage (made out to Samaritan's Purse). Your gift will be a blessing to a child! Thank you so much for participating in this great mission!

DON AND JERRI DEMPSTER COULD USE OUR HELP as they move to a new home! If you can assist, please meet at their present home (25 Old Wolfeboro Road in Alton) at 10 AM on Saturday, November 26th. They need trucks and strong backs! If you have any questions, please call at 603-630-7003. Many thanks!

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED the week of Thanksgiving. If you need to reach Pastor Thom, please feel free to call him at 603-630-7664.

THE WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: On Wednesday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, we will begin an "Introduction to Isaiah." This major prophet was also an unmatched poet and statesman. Isaiah spoke God's Word to steer a nation through sixty years of crisis. He was a messenger of the Messiah, announcing His coming 700 years before Christ's birth! His book offers a window into the mind of God-His patience, His mercy, His promises and His unchanging love. Join us if you can! Led by Jan Hawes, the study meets Wednesdays at 10:30 AM in the fellowship hall.