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- * Bethany Birches Camp, Plymouth, VT
- * Matt and Tara, serving in West Africa
- * H & H, serving in the Middle East
- * His Mansion, Deering, NH
- * Kevin Sheahan, TLI
- * Daniel and Ruth Nambowa, Another Hope

Pastoral Search Committee (PSC): Please pray for the entire PSC team, and their mission: Jennifer Barnes, Stephen Briggs, Preston Bristow, Dan Bruce, Heidi Gennaro, Paige Gibbs, Anne Hablitzel, Karl Huck (chair, 802-457-3072), Cora Koop, and Heidi Tucker.

Weekly Opportunities

Tuesdays

10:00 am—Women's Bible Study ➡ **Taking a break over the summer!** ⚡ Contact Karen Lasky for Zoom access, (802) 457-2487, karenlasky@aol.com

6:00 pm Prayer Meeting in the church library and via Zoom, contact coordinator is Dan Bruce. Contact Karl Huck for Zoom access, (802) 457-3072, karlhuck@gmail.com

Wednesdays

6:15 am — Men's Bible Study at FCCW and via ZOOM, Contact Karl Huck for Zoom access, (802) 457-3072, karlhuck@gmail.com

Sundays

On hold for the summer — Bible Study for Adults and Teens in the FCCW library
9:30 — Worship in the sanctuary
9:30 — Children's Church in downstairs' Kid's Space

Contact Information

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First Congregational Church of Woodstock, Vermont
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Welcome
to the
First Congregational Church
of Woodstock, Vermont

Declaring, "Jesus Christ is the same, yesterday, today, and forever."
Hebrews 13:8

July 26, 2026

We are so pleased you are here with us today
to worship Jesus Christ and celebrate the love of the Lord.

If you are a visitor, please sign the guest book in the entryway or fill
out a welcome card at your seat and drop it in the offering plate.

Summer Hours

Summer Hours: Worship starts at 9:30. This will continue through August.

OUR MISSION

We are a Christ-centered community, proclaiming the grace and truth of the Gospel in Woodstock, the Upper Valley and the world, sharing Christ in word and deed.

OUR VISION

We endeavor through the Holy Spirit's power to faithfully serve in this calling by ...

- Proclaiming Christ's truth and grace.
- Nurturing young and old in biblical growth.
- Reaching the lost with the only hope for salvation.
- Healing the broken with Christ's love and mercy.
- Practicing repentance, forgiveness, and reconciliation as Christ has commanded.

Order of Worship

July 26, 2026

9:25 AM

Welcome & Announcements.....Dan Bruce

Call to Worship

☞ Hymn 101.....Come Thou Almighty King

Scripture Reading.....Matthew 14:22-33

Pew Bible p. 820

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon.....Steve Hill

Are You Willing To Get Out Of Your Boat

Matthew 14:22-33

Pew Bible p. 820

☞ Hymn 679.....'Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus

Collection of Tithes & Offerings

Responsive Psalm 67.....Hymnal p.808

☞ Hymn.....Cornerstone
Bulletin Insert

☞ Benediction

Please be seated for a moment of reflection after the benediction and consider
praying for someone seated near you.

Postlude

☞ = please stand if able

Please remember to silence phones

Please Welcome Interim Pastor Steve Hill back this week. He will pick up teaching where he left off concerning the Apostle Peter.

Children's Church is Downstairs Summer Schedule 9:30-10:45. If you would like your children or grandchildren to participate, please drop them off downstairs in the nursery area between 9:15 and 9:25 AM and fill out the registration sheet. Come pick them up again by 11:00 AM. The children will have a fun instructional Sunday School time, a Kid's Worship time, some play time and a snack. All children are welcome. (Children are also welcome to remain upstairs with their parents if that is preferable.) Questions? Contact fccwinfo@gmail.com.

Quarterly Chairs Meeting: All chairs of boards and committees (or their representatives), and all staff members, are asked to attend this quarter's meeting on Saturday, August 1, from 8:30-10 AM. Church members are welcome to attend. Join us in the church library. Questions may be directed to Tom Johnston.

Communion Next Week: We celebrate the Lord's supper every first Sunday of the month. We hope you can join us.

Food Shelf Collection Next Week: Please consider contributing non-perishable goods for the local food shelf. There are bins in the narthex for you to drop things off next week. You may also contribute money by using the small wood box at the entryway. If you have questions as to what is needed, please speak to Nancy Stockwell.

Summer Brunch Reminder: During the summer months we will hold a brunch after service every third Sunday of the month. Bring a dish to share if you can, if not, please join us as there is always more than enough. Enjoy great food and fellowship!

Guests: Please sign a guest card in the pew and allow us to welcome you. They can be placed in the offering plate as it comes by.

Musician: Janie Hill