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- * Little Branches Learning Center, Woodstock, Vermont
- * Elevation Family Ministries, Milton, VT
- * Adult and Teen Challenge Vermont, Johnson, VT
- * 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

August 9, 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

August 2, 2026

9:25 AM

Welcome & Announcements.....Karl Huck

Call to Worship.....Psalm 63:1-4

☞ Hymn 94.....How Firm A Foundation

Scripture Reading.....Matthew 16:13-26

Pew Bible p. 822

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon.....Steve Hill

Jesus Calls A Believer Satan

Matthew 16:13-26

Pew Bible p. 822

☞ Hymn.....Before The Throne Of God Alone
Bulletin Insert

Collection of Tithes & Offerings

Deacons Fund Collection

Responsive Reading: Questions 31-36.....Hymnal p.871

☞ Hymn 95.....Though Troubles Assail Me

☞ Benediction.....2 Peter 3:18
Pew Bible p, 1020

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

☞ = please stand if able

Please remember to silence phones

Interim Pastor Steve Hill will continue his series on the life and
teaching of Apostle Peter this Sunday.

Next Sunday we will welcome back Ben Wistrom as our guest
minister.

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.

Vespers Today August 9: Meet us at The Woodstock Terrace at 3
p.m., the Homestead at 3:45 and 4:15ish at the Mertens House. We
invite people to come and sing and to share the joy of the Lord.

Deacons' Fund Collection: Please consider giving to the fund that
helps our members, friends, and community with various needs.

Summer Brunch: 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 and enjoy some food and
fellowship!

Join us today after service in the Billings Room for coffee hour.
Catch up with friends and make some new ones!

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.

Musicians: Janie Hill & Les Gibbs