

Order of Service

Welcome & Announcements

Song of Praise

Come Praise and Glorify

Song of Praise

Come Thou Fount

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 59

Elders' Prayer || Offering

Song of Assurance

Beneath the Cross

Song of Assurance

The Sands of Time Are Sinking

Children's Church Dismissed

Message

John Brackbill

Song of Response

Jesus, the Son of God

May 5, 2024

WELCOME

With pleasure we greet and welcome all
who have gathered for this time of worship!

Morning Service

*Responding Appropriately to Promised
Deliverance*

Exposition of 1Thessalonians

Evening Service || Lord's Supper

Heart Attentiveness to Wisdom

Exposition of Proverbs

Through the Week || May 5-11

Today

6:00pm

Evening Service & Lord's Supper

The offering that is received in the Evening Service (unless otherwise designated) goes into a special Missions Account distributed by the Elders.

Monday

6:30pm

Church Leadership Meeting

For all Elders, Deacons, and Deaconesses

Wednesday

Shepherding Groups Meet as Each Group Arranges

Next Sunday, May 12

- ◆ Coffee & Fellowship at 9:00am || For the Whole Family
- ◆ Sunday School at 9:30am || Classes for All Ages
- ◆ Morning Worship at 10:30am
- ◆ Evening Service at 6:00pm

Missionary Prayer Emphasis

- Joel & Rachel Kirby in South Africa
- Jeff & Lisa Mayfield in Ecuador

May Events

- ◆ **Shepherding Groups** meet every Wednesday as each group arranges
No Shepherding Groups on 5th Week: Wednesday, May 29
- ◆ **Kids' Club & Youth Group** on Friday, May 17 || 6:30-8:15pm

◆ **Children’s Music Recital** hosted by Leah Bergquist on Friday, May 24 at 6:00pm in the Auditorium. All are welcome to attend and encourage our children.

◆ **Memorial Day Church Family Picnic on Monday, May 27**

10:00am to 5:00pm || At the YMCA “Camp Lincoln” in Kingston, NH

Join us for a full day of fellowship, food, games, and fun!

Help is needed in our “**Snack Shack**” (One hour time slots)

Sign Up is at the Welcome Desk!

Please sign up early to get your prime spot on the list!

New Kid Event! – Climbing Wall

Age 5 – Grade 6 (1 hour)

Grades 7-12 (1 hour)

(Participant waiver must be signed by parent.)

Watch for the Info Flyer in next week’s bulletin!



Church Family Sunday on June 2

Celebrating & Praising God for 140 Years!

June 2, 1884 ~ June 2, 2024

◆ **Morning Worship Service at 10:30am**

Special Music by our Sunday School Departments & Choir

◆ **Picnic Lunch at noon:** Outside on the church grounds

Sandwiches provided || Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

There will be seating at tables for our Seasoned Saints.

Everyone else should plan to bring lawn chairs or blankets.

◆ **Afternoon service at 1:00pm** || Lord’s Supper & Singspiration

◆ No Evening Service

¹ Behold, the LORD's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save, or his ear dull, that it cannot hear; ² but your iniquities have made a separation between you and your God, and your sins have hidden his face from you so that he does not hear.

³ For your hands are defiled with blood and your fingers with iniquity; your lips have spoken lies; your tongue mutters wickedness. ⁴ No one enters suit justly; no one goes to law honestly; they rely on empty pleas, they speak lies, they conceive mischief and give birth to iniquity.

⁵ They hatch adders' eggs; they weave the spider's web; he who eats their eggs dies, and from one that is crushed a viper is hatched.

⁶ Their webs will not serve as clothing; men will not cover themselves with what they make. Their works are works of iniquity, and deeds of violence are in their hands.

⁷ Their feet run to evil, and they are swift to shed innocent blood; their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity; desolation and destruction are in their highways. ⁸ The way of peace they do not know, and there is no justice in their paths; they have made their roads crooked; no one who treads on them knows peace.

⁹ Therefore justice is far from us, and righteousness does not overtake us; we hope for light, and behold, darkness, and for brightness, but we walk in gloom. ¹⁰ We grope for the wall like the blind; we grope like those who have no eyes; we stumble at noon as in the twilight, among those in full vigor we are like dead men.

¹¹ We all growl like bears; we moan and moan like doves; we hope for justice, but there is none; for salvation, but it is far from us.

¹²For our transgressions are multiplied before you, and our sins testify against us; for our transgressions are with us, and we know our iniquities:

¹³transgressing, and denying the LORD, and turning back from following our God, speaking oppression and revolt, conceiving and uttering from the heart lying words. ¹⁴Justice is turned back, and righteousness stands far away; for truth has stumbled in the public squares, and uprightness cannot enter.

¹⁵Truth is lacking, and he who departs from evil makes himself a prey. The LORD saw it, and it displeased him that there was no justice. ¹⁶He saw that there was no man, and wondered that there was no one to intercede; then his own arm brought him salvation, and his righteousness upheld him.

¹⁷He put on righteousness as a breastplate, and a helmet of salvation on his head; he put on garments of vengeance for clothing, and wrapped himself in zeal as a cloak. ¹⁸According to their deeds, so will he repay, wrath to his adversaries, repayment to his enemies; to the coastlands he will render repayment.

¹⁹So they shall fear the name of the LORD from the west, and his glory from the rising of the sun; for he will come like a rushing stream, which the wind of the LORD drives. ²⁰“And a Redeemer will come to Zion, to those in Jacob who turn from transgression,” declares the LORD.

²¹“And as for me, this is my covenant with them,” says the LORD: “My Spirit that is upon you, and my words that I have put in your mouth, shall not depart out of your mouth, or out of the mouth of your offspring, or out of the mouth of your children’s offspring,” says the LORD, “from this time forth and forevermore.”