

At Home Worship with the Oldtown Church

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
North Attleborough, MA | October 4, 2020



WORDS OF WELCOME

OPENING HYMN - "In Christ There is No East or West"

*In Christ there is no east or west,
in him no south or north,
but one great community of love
throughout the whole wide earth.*

*2. In Christ shall true hearts everywhere
their high communion find;
his service is the golden cord
close binding humankind.*

*3. Join hands, disciples of the faith,
whate'er your race may be!
All children of the living God
are surely kin to me.*

*4. In Christ now meet both east and west;
in him meet south and north,
all loving hearts are one in him
throughout the whole wide earth.*

OPENING PRAYER



SHARE

PREPARING TO LISTEN “Open Our Eyes”

*Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.
To reach out and touch Him,
And say that we love Him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus*

SCRIPTURE – *Genesis 8:1-17*

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REFLECT

SERMON – “There is Always Hope!”

PREPARING FOR PRAYER – “In Moments Like These”

*In moments like these I sing out a song,
I sing out a love song to Jesus.
In moments like these I lift up my hands,
I lift up my hands to the Lord.
Singing, I love You, Lord.
Singing, I love You, Lord.
Singing, I love You, Lord. I love You*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and the LORDS PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

CHORAL RESPONSE



THANK

TIME OF OFFERING

GIFT OF SONG – “Come As You Are”

BENEDICTION

Our worship has ended, let our service begin!

STEWARDSHIP CORNER–10/04/2020

OFFERING LAST WEEK: **\$646.20 – \$698.61 less** than budget

OFFERING 2020 TO DATE: **\$700 more** than budget

END OF AUGUST (67% of the year):

✠ FUNDRAISING INCOME: **17%** of annual budget

✠ TOTAL BUDGETED INCOME: **52%** of annual budget

✠ TOTAL BUDGETED EXPENSES: **50%** of annual budget

Our Deacons Fund supports many of the expenses associated with worship at Oldtown. While these expenses are lower than in the past since we are not worshipping together in the sanctuary, the deacons still pay for our subscription to the Upper Room devotionals and for mailing copies out while we’re not able to pick them up at church on Sundays. We normally ask for contributions to the Deacons Fund on the first Sunday of each month. Please consider giving to the Deacons Fund online by selecting “Deacons Fund” next to “Give to:” on our online form at <https://www.oldtownucc.org/giving> or write “Deacons Fund” in the memo line on your check.

“Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.”

~ 2 Corinthians 9:7 (NRSV)