

# At Home Worship with the Oldtown Church

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
North Attleborough, MA | November 15, 2020



## BREATHE

### WORDS OF WELCOME

OPENING HYMN - “We Gather Together”

*We gather together to ask for God’s blessings,  
to turn to a wisdom surpassing our own;  
the pow’rs that oppress us now cease to distress us.  
O God, be present with us, and make your will known.*

*May all sing your praises, Redeemer triumphant,  
Defend us, befriend us, whatever may be.  
May your congregation escape tribulation.  
Your name be praised forever, O God make us free!*

### 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 – Psalm 100:1-5

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## REFLECT

SERMON – “Attitude of Gratitude”

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 – “Give Thanks”

BENEDICTION

*\*\*Our worship has ended, let our service begin!\*\**

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER–11/15/2020**

OFFERING LAST WEEK: **\$2,275.74 – \$908.43 more** than budget

OFFERING 2020 TO DATE: **\$200 less** than budget

**END OF SEPTEMBER (75% of the year):**

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

✝ TOTAL BUDGETED INCOME: **56%** of annual budget

✝ TOTAL BUDGETED EXPENSES: **55%** of annual budget

This year, due to the pandemic, we've been unable to hold most of our fundraising events. Fundraising represents more than 25% of the total budgeted income of the church and covers both the operating expenses of the church and enables the outreach and missions efforts in the community and throughout the world. We humbly request you consider making a donation to the church in the amount you would have spent at our fundraisers this year, either online at <https://www.oldtownucc.org/giving> or by mailing a check to the church. Thank you for your continued generosity.

*“The Father loves the Son and shows him all that he himself is doing; and he will show him greater works than these, so that you will be astonished.”*

~ **John 5:20 (NRSV)**