

*First Congregational Church  
United Church of Christ  
Littleton, New Hampshire  
November 8, 2015*

**CHURCH STAFF**

Pastor: Rev. W. David Weddington  
Organist & Music Director: Dorothy Morton  
Administrative Assistant: Pam Nute  
Sexton: Joe Chukinas

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Director: Ms. Melissa Kam  
Board President: Suzanne Schott

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*Thank you for joining us for worship today! It is our sincere hope that all who gather in this place will know and experience the love, forgiveness, hope, and new life available through Jesus Christ.*

Pastor:  
Rev. W. David Weddington  
E-mail: [pastordavid@myfairpoint.net](mailto:pastordavid@myfairpoint.net)

**Music Director & Organist**  
Dorothy Morton

Wednesdays. 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm  
Sun. 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

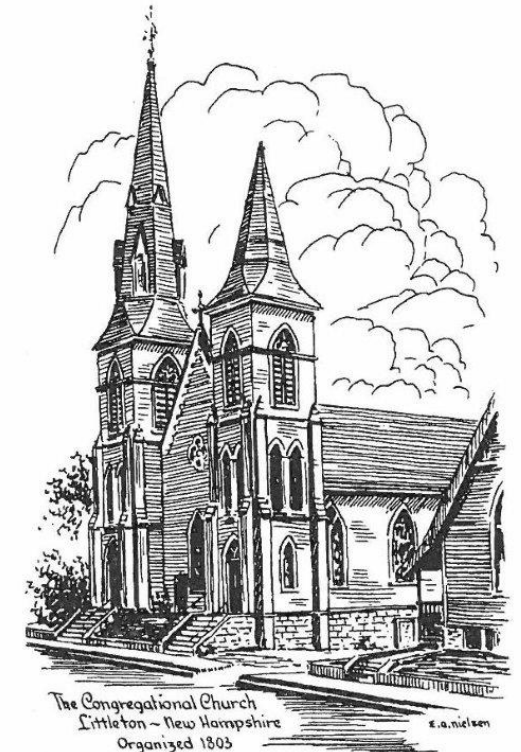
Worship Service and Sunday School  
10:00 a.m.

Coffee Fellowship  
11:15 a.m.

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Church office hours: Monday-Friday  
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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*Our Mission Statement:*

*As followers of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we are called to provide a loving invitation and welcome to all, to inspire and uplift through the worship of God, to reach out to heal and enrich lives through the Holy Spirit, and to nurture people at various stages of their spiritual growth.*

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*Those who are able may stand where marked (\*).*

Gathering #612                    “In This Very Room”  
Welcome and Announcements                    *Mary Menzies*  
Opening Prayer  
Stewardship Moment                    *Kim Smith*  
Prelude  
Call to Worship                    *Psalm 146*  
One: Praise! O my soul, sing praises to God!  
**All: We will praise you as long as we live!**  
One: Don't put your trust in powerful rulers;  
no help will come from them.  
**All: Powerful rulers are mortal; when breath  
departs, all their plans perish with them.**  
One: Happy are those whose help, whose hope,  
is in you alone, Maker of all!  
**All: You created the heavens, the earth, the sea  
and all that is in them; you keep faith forever!**  
One: You execute justice for the oppressed,  
feed the hungry, set prisoners free.  
**All: You open the eyes of the blind and lift up  
all those who are bent with heavy burdens.**  
One: You love those who live by the light of your law;  
you watch over strangers, orphans and widows;  
the way of the wicked, though, you bring to ruin.  
**All: You reign forever, for all generations.  
Praise! O my soul, sing praises to God!  
We will praise you as long as we live!**

\*Hymn #11                    “Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

Anthem                    “Autumn Carol”                    *Schultz-Widmar*

Children's Time

Moments of Concern and Celebration  
(please fill out a blue card in the pew)  
Pastoral Prayer and Savior's Prayer (trespasses)

Worship of God with our Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory Music  
\*Doxology (#815)  
\*Offertory Prayer

Scripture                    Mark 12:38-44

\*Hymn #705                    “It Is Well With My Soul”

Sermon                    “Their Leftovers” vs. “Her Last Scrap of Bread”

\*Hymn #207                    “We Have Come to Join in Worship”

\*Benediction

\*Response #713                    “See Ye First”

\*Postlude

**Goodsearch: What is it and how can you help?**

Goodsearch is a simple way to make a difference - each time you search the web (though Yahoo!-powered Goodsearch), the church gets a penny and, it adds up!

Please visit: <http://www.goodsearch.com/> **How do you get started?** Head on over to pick a cause page: <http://www.goodsearch.com/choosecause> and make your selection. Type in: **First Congregational Church of Littleton NH** as your cause. We also partner with **Goodshop** where it gets you the best deals and coupons for your favorite stores. Every time you shop, they donate a percentage of your purchase to the church at no extra cost to you. More information can be found in the November newsletter and our website!

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**CORRECTION TO THE NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER!**

With apologies from Pam, the November *Upcoming Events* and *Calendar* note that Dedication Sunday is Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>

Correction! It is the following week, **November 22<sup>nd</sup>**

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*Thank you to everyone who donated items and helped on the Ladies Society Annual Rummage Sale!*

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**First United Methodist Church**

Will be holding their Annual Fuel Assistance Supper on Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup> in honor of our Veterans on Veterans Day!  
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm

*Veterans are half price or free if they come in partial or full uniform.*

Meal: Potluck Crockpot Meals & Brownie & Ice Cream Sundaes

Cost: \$8.00 per person

Phone: 603-444-5567 for more information

*All proceeds go to support our Community Fuel Assistance Program for those in need this winter in this area*

**Notices for the week of November 8, 2015 – November 14, 2015**

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TODAY. ... 10:00 am .. Worship Service & Sunday School

11:15 am .. Coffee Fellowship – Ladies Parlor

Mon..... Pastor’s Sabbath

4:30 pm ... Finance Committee – Fellowship Hall

Tues..... 6:00 pm .. Al Anon/Ladies Parlor

4:30 pm ... Collins Memorial Service - FH

7:15 pm ... RTF – Classroom

Wed ..... 1:30 pm .. Ladies Society – LP

5:00 pm ... AA – Ladies Parlor

6:30 pm ... Choir Practice – Ladies Parlor

7:00 pm ... Weds. Night AA – Fellowship Hall

Thurs..... 5:00 pm .. Shining Lights Open House

6:30 pm ... Deacon’s Meeting – Classroom

Sat..... 8:00 am .. Men’s Breakfast – Muh Residence

7:30 pm ... AA – Fellowship Hall

AA meetings: Monday – Friday 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall

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**Usher/Greeter:** Judy & Bob Oleary

**Coffee Fellowship:** Kellie Clark

**Flowers:** to the Glory of God



# November Prayer Request Concerns & Celebrations

## CONTINUING & NEW

Keeping those in need of our prayers: The President, World Leaders, the improvement of our economic situation, Syria and its people, the Youth of our Community, the future of our World, and Rev. David and Wilma Weddington as they participate and lead us into the future.

### Cancer

|                                   |                                |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Ron LaFlam (Emily LaFlam)         | Betsy Warden (Linda Warden)    |
| Alison Bolt (Linda Warden)        | Joyce Willoughby (Glenda Iles) |
| Holly Hyslop (Su Schott)          | Joe Carter (Donna Matz)        |
| Paul McMillan (Tina Peabody)      | Kathy Gordon (Judy Warden)     |
| Diane Stinaker (Richard Peterson) | Mike Jorde (Donna Matz)        |

### Illness/Recovery

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|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Patricia Tuck (Pat Tuck)         | Ginny Collins (Tim Gould)        |
| Roberta Lucht (Roberta Lucht)    | Bill Hardy, Sr. (Tina Peabody)   |
| Aldyn Frenkiewich (Linda Warden) | Vic & Karen Carbonneau           |
| Alan Willimas (Judy Warden)      | Carol Detrick (Wilma Weddington) |

### Family Issues/Strength

Holly & Steve Hilliard (Steve Hilliard)

### Loss/Grieving

Family of Roger Tewksbury (Marti Faulkner)  
Family of Alan Astle (Linda Warden)  
Family of Rodney Collins (Tim Gould)

## Military

The names of people in the military are on the name board by office.

*To add a name to our prayer list, please fill out a blue card located in the pew racks and place them in the offering plate or hand them to a Deacon. The name will remain in the bulletin for approximately 4 weeks. We understand that some situations are very serious and a longer period of time would be helpful. You may call the office with any names that need to be added or to update the status.*

*If you or someone you care about would like a visit or call, please contact Pastor David at 603-991-0535 or Pam Nute at 603-444-3376.*

*If you have an emergency during the week and Pastor David is away, please call the church office at 444-3376 and Pam Nute will contact someone for you.*

*\*\*Names listed without original contact person will be removed from the list if we are not notified. In order to keep this list up-to-date, it is important that we be notified when someone should come off the list. Thank you.*

