

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
**United Church of Christ**  
**September 18, 2022**

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

Welcome, Announcements and Opening Prayer

Prelude

\*Hymn #358 "Because He Lives"

Responsive Activity – Boat Building

We Lift Up Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer (trespasses)

Choir Anthem "God's Peace" *Hymn Tune-Beech Spring*

We Dedicate our Gifts

\*Doxology (#815)

Offertory prayer

Scripture Mark 4:35-41

Sermon Let Us Go Across to the Other Side

\*Hymn #665 "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

\*Benediction

\*Response #532 "Only Believe" *Twice*

Postlude

*We are delighted you are here in worship with us today! Thank you for wearing a nametag which will help our visitors and new interim pastor get to know your name!*

*Thank you to Mary Menzies as lead Deacon this week*

*Scripture for Sunday, September 25: Mark 5:1-20 "The Meeting"*

*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.*

**September Prayer Requests**

Dorothy Usher

Barbara Holland

Virginia Hyatt

Roberta Lavoie

Heather Walker

Thomas Naughton

Karen & Vic Carbonneau

Linda and Bob Warden

Anna Searles

Kim Antonucci

Karin Brown

Nicole & Garrett Willis

Mary Leard

Albert Fisher

Brien Ward

George Boone

Robert Harmond

Wilma Weddington

Next week (September 18-22) Peter is here Sunday through Thursday and has a pretty open schedule. He'd welcome a time to meet you at your home, a coffee shop or here at church.

You can contact him through his cell phone (206-484-9814) or his email [peter@1stconglittleton.org](mailto:peter@1stconglittleton.org).

Tuesday, Sept. 20: Dinner Bell Hosts, All Saints' Church

Wednesday, Sept. 21: Choir rehearsal, 6PM

Sunday, October 2: The Rev. Jay Sprout will lead worship

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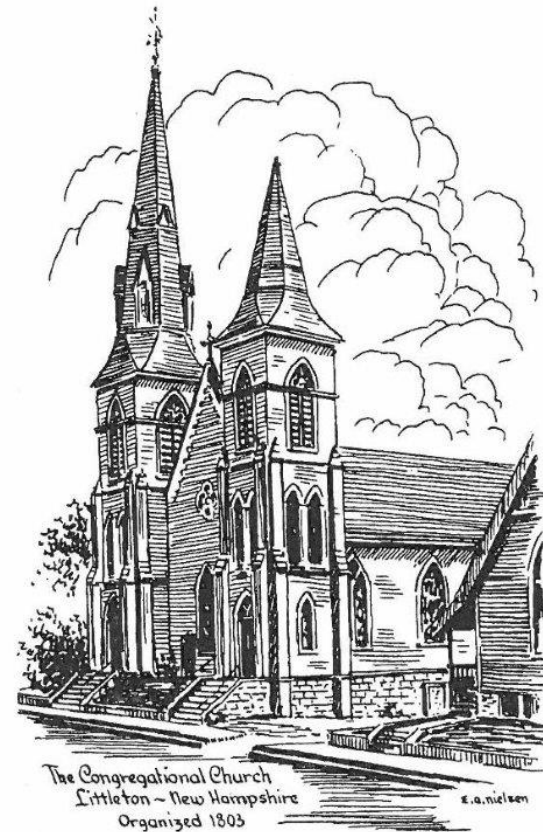
### **Adult Bible Study**

Adult Bible Study has begun! Sundays at 9am via Zoom. They will be studying Revelation. If you would like to join or have any questions, please contact:

Linda Warden  
603-444-2337

[ldwarden@roadrunner.com](mailto:ldwarden@roadrunner.com)

The church sanctuary will be open from 10am to 3pm on Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup> during the Littleton Art Show for people to enjoy the beautiful stained glass windows and music. If you would like to welcome people for an hour, please contact Pam in the office 603-444-3376 or [fstcong189@gmail.com](mailto:fstcong189@gmail.com). Thank you!



**Rev. Peter Ilgenfritz**  
Interim Pastor

**Music Director & Organist**

Dorothy Morton

Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

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### **CHURCH STAFF**

Organist & Music Director: Dorothy Morton  
Administrative Assistant: Pam Nute  
Sexton: Reg LaFlam

### **OFFICERS**

Moderator: Tim Gould  
Vice-Moderator: Alice Muh  
Treasurer: Joyce Krill  
Assistant Treasurer: Rachel Clark

### *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.*