

November 10, 2024

10:00 AM

BECOMING LIKE CHRIST – MAKING HIM KNOWN



COME WORSHIP THE LORD!

PREPARATION OF OUR MINDS

(Entering worship, let us prepare our hearts, reflecting on this.)

"If you hug to yourself any resentment against anybody else, you destroy the bridge by which God would come to you."
-- PETER MARSHALL"

WELCOME & LIFE OF THE CHURCH

November Scripture: (Psalm 119:148-149 NLT)

I stay awake through the night, thinking about your promise.

In your faithful love, O Lord, hear my cry; let me be revived by following your regulations.

PRAISE TO AN AWESOME GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts)

*HYMN: "Like a River Glorious"

Hymnal #594

*THE PEACE

*OLD TESTAMENT: Genesis 25:27-34

Bible p. 24

*GOSPEL: 2 Timothy 2:22-26.

Bible p.1179

PRAYER TO A LISTENING SAVIOR

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

MISSION MOMENT

OFFERING SENTENCE AND PRAYER (Luke 16:10,12)

10 "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much...12 And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else's property, who will give you property of your own?"

OFFERTORY: The Sherman Church Choir

(Children are dismissed for Sunday School)

*DOXOLOGY:

Hymnal #808

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

*HYMN: "Take Time to Be Holy"

Hymnal #540

PREACHING THE WORD

SERMON: "Roadblocks to Prayer: Anger/Bitterness"

Hebrews 12:14-17

Bible p. 959

PROCLAIMING THE GLORY OF CHRIST

*HYMN: "I Then Shall Live"

Hymnal #507

*BENEDICTION and THREEFOLD AMEN

POSTLUDE

(*Congregation, please stand if able.)

FOLLOWING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE
JOIN US FOR FELLOWSHIP

NEXT WEEK: We continue the series "Roadblocks to Prayer: Neglect and Apathy." What really excites you about God's loving presence? Does Psalm 42 describe you?.

BRING YOUR COMMITMENT TO THE LORD'S WORK

Next Sunday as we dedicate to His mission, our church.

"Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the Lord Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it." – Malachi 3:10

Most should have received the commitment card by mail. We gather next Sunday to share our commitment to the Lord's work. Spend this week in prayer to consider what God is asking you to share as a steward of His provision.

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- Eliza Capehart, serving in the United States Air Force.
- John Langworthy, back injury.
- Brian Barnier, health.
- Jim Beddows, health.
- Nicole Thorp, health.
- Amos Munch, health.
- Jim and Christine Munch, health.
- Roberta Judd, health.
- Christopher Siebert, healing of foot.
- Jill Finch, health
- Betty Beatty, health
- Rev. Daniel Morton, health
- Mark Gerber, health
- Penny LeMasurier, health
- James L., health

OUR MISSIONARIES:

Mesa Global: Robert & Nina Bruneau; 4C Church Re-Planting: Green Mountain Church, Chester, VT.; Lion of Judah Academy, Hope Academy of the Bronx.

DEACONS of the church are always available to meet with you, pray with you, and hear your concerns.

PRAYER IS ALWAYS OUR MISSION

Prayer is a vital part of our ministry at The Sherman Church.

You are invited to join in prayer each Thursday to pray for our church on a telephone conference call by **Dialing 667-770-1484; when prompted use access code 357664#.**

You may also make a prayer request anytime by calling the church office. Our Church Administrator will ensure the prayer request is communicated to our Pastor and Deacons. Outside of office hours (9:00 AM – 2:00 PM) or for an emergency prayer or pastoral request contact the Chair of Deacons (deacon@shermanchurch.org or 860-921-1952) or the Pastor (pastor@shermanchurch.org or 860-350-5151).
Let us join together in prayer!

FIRE EXITS are located at the rear of the sanctuary through the double doors and at the front through the doors on both sides of the altar.

THE SHERMAN CHURCH

Gathered In 1744

Continuing to invite all to know the love of Jesus

A MEMBER CHURCH OF THE CONSERVATIVE CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE

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ROADBLOCKS

To Prayer



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Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study is back! Julie has returned for the season for Bible study every week. No Bible knowledge is necessary, and all women are welcome.



VETERANS HOSPITAL

THE VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL IN WEST HAVEN IS IN NEED OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS. PLEASE BRING THEM TO THE RED BIN IN FELLOWSHIP HALL. THANK YOU! MISSIONS COMMITTEE AND HEARTS & CRAFTS

NEEDED ITEMS

- TOOTHPASTE
- DEODORANT: MENS AND WOMENS
- SHAVE CREAM: MENS AND WOMENS
- RAZORS: MENS AND WOMENS
- BOXERS: ALL SIZES
- T SHIRTS: ALL SIZES

PRAYER GUIDE SCHEDULE

WEEKS 1-10



- Week 1: Sept. 23-29
- Week 2: Sept. 30 - Oct. 6
- Week 3: Oct. 7 - 13th
- Week 4: Oct. 14 - 20th
- Week 5: Oct. 21 - 27th
- Week 6: Oct. 28 - Nov. 3
- Week 7: Nov. 4 - 10th
- Week 8: Nov. 11 - 17th
- Week 9: Nov. 18th - 24th
- Week 10: Nov. 25 - Dec.1st

OUR CHURCH:

Pastor:	Rev. John Loring Carpenter, Interim Pastor
Ministers:	The Congregation
Minister of Music:	Carolyn Kopsick
Moderator:	Edna Coons
Chair of Deacons:	Charles Mastroni
Co-Chair of Trustees:	Don Coons and Lynn Paulovicks
Flowers:	Gary Albert, In Memory of Melinda Albert's Birthday and Anniversary
Announcements:	Aimée Suhie
Prayers of the People:	Debbie Thorp
Reader:	Kristin Stephens
Coffee Hour Host:	Anna Galasso
Nursery:	Jill Finch
Usher:	Don Coons

CALENDAR
November 10th - November 16th, 2024
(Links for online meetings may be found at shermanchurch.org)

SUNDAY:

Worship Services at 10:00 A.M. (Also Live Streamed)

TUESDAY:

Hearts and Crafts: at 9:00 A.M. Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY:

Women's Bible Study at 10:00 AM - Fellowship Hall
AA at 7:00 P.M - Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY:

Prayer In The Parlor at 6:45 P.M
Dial-in Number: 667-770-1484; when prompted access code 357664#.
AA at 7:00 P.M - Fellowship Hall

FRIDAY:

Trustees at 6:30pm - Office

NOVEMBER MISSION MOMENT

THANKSGIVING MEALS FOR FAMILIES

The upcoming November Mission Moment is a heartwarming initiative aimed at ensuring that families in Sherman can enjoy a meaningful Thanksgiving meal.

With 40 families in need, the church will have our Mission Moment collection on November 10th. This collection will be a week earlier than usual to allow for time and preparation for Thanksgiving.

By participating in this effort, you have the opportunity to not only help provide a meal but also to foster a spirit of gratitude and connection among neighbors. Your generosity will make a tangible difference, spreading joy and thanksgiving to those who need it most.

Thanksgiving

SAMARITAN'S PURSE OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD



You can still donate online, you may choose what items you want Samaritan's Purse to put in your shoebox or you may just ask them to choose items. You may also follow your shoebox online to its destination. If you donate online, please do so through the Sherman Church website so we can track how many boxes were filled online.

<https://sampur.se/4fMDHZH>

Thank you for supporting this popular mission once again.



WARNING

Today

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Elections Meeting of The Sherman Church will be held in the sanctuary

November 10, 2024, at 11:30am

Immediately Following the Worship Service

In-person and via Google Meet

- To approve the minutes of the June 9, 2024, special meeting (parsonage roof) of the Sherman Church.
- To act upon the 2025 slate of officers, board and committee members as presented by the Nominating Committee.
- To hear and act upon any business proper to come before the congregation.

Dated at Sherman, Connecticut, this 23rd day of October 2024.

Aimée M. Suhie, Clerk

HELPING HANDS



Helping Hands will be a support team available to assist with preparations for upcoming events, programs, and various church outreach activities. When a committee or church event requires additional help—such as setting up, stuffing envelopes, and more—a request will be sent out to check your availability to lend a hand.

If you're interested in joining this team, please find the sign-up sheet on the table in Fellowship Hall or notify Jess in the office.