

February 15, 2026

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.)

"To offer a sinner the gift of salvation based upon the work of Christ, while at the same time allowing him to retain the idea that the gift carries with it no moral implications, is to do him untold injury where it hurts him most!" – A.W. Tozer

WELCOME & LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE + LIGHTING OF CANDLES: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"
arr. Callahan

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATION & LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN: “All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name”

Hymnal #95

*THE PEACE (Let us offer each other God’s peace.)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(Sharing our joys and burdens in prayer.)

*NEW TESTAMENT: John 9:1-11

Bible p.1049

OFFERING SENTENCE AND PRAYER

OFFERTORY: "Shine, Jesus, Shine” G. Kendrick/ arr.T.Fettke

Hymnal #721

The Sherman Church Choir sings verses, and all sing the refrain.

*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

SERMON: “Jesus gives sight to the blind”

Rev. Brian Prue

*HYMN: "Alleluia, Sing to Jesus".

Hymnal #263

*BENEDICTION and THREEFOLD AMEN

(*Congregation, please stand if able.)

Come gather for fellowship
following our Worship Service

NEXT WEEK: Pastor Carpenter will be away for the coming weeks. Next Sunday is the first Sunday in Lent. Charles Mastroni is preaching.

February Scripture Cards are available on the Narthex and Fellowship Hall tables.

Calendar for Feb. 15-21

(Links for online meetings may be found at shermanchurch.org)

Sun., Feb. 15 10:00 am **Sunday Worship Service** (Rev. Brian Prue)
Sunday School with Julie Astbury

4:00 pm **Sunday School and Adult Bible Study**

Wed., Feb. 18 10:00 am **Women’s Bible Study** - Fellowship Hall

6:30 pm **Investments Meeting** - Online

7:00 pm **Alcoholics Anonymous** - Fellowship Hall

Thurs., Feb. 19 6:45 pm **Prayer In The Parlor**

Dialing 667-770-1484; when prompted
use access code 357664#.

6:00 pm **Christian Ed** - Church Office

7:00 pm **Alcoholics Anonymous** - Fellowship Hall

Church Responsibilities for Feb. 15th

Flowers: Megan Tlasky

Coffee Hour Host: Cindy and Ken Moschitta

Nursery: Barbara Hoag

Lenten Lunch

Lent starts on February 18th, and our First Lenten Luncheon Series will kick off on February 22nd, following worship, and continue each Sunday throughout Lent. For those interested in contributing soup and bread, a sign-up sheet will be available in Fellowship Hall. You can also sign up to be a host or a helper!

Lenten Lunch The Prayer Course by Pete Greig

Conversation, testimony, and teaching to help you and your community grow and deepen your prayer life, one week at a time. Pete Greig is one of the founding leaders of 24-7 Prayer and is listed by Relevant Magazine as one of the top 50 “Revolutionary Leaders” of his generation. Greig is a popular speaker and the author of “Red Moon Rising” and “God on Mute”.



OUR CHURCH:

Interim Pastor:

Rev. John Loring Carpenter

Ministers:

The Congregation

Minister of Music:

Penny Rose

Moderator:

Charles Mastroni

You may make a prayer request anytime by contacting the church office at info@shermanchurch.org or (860)-354-6114. 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 860-733-9972) or the Pastor (pastor@shermanchurch.org or 860-350-5151). Let us join together in prayer!

OUR MISSIONARIES:

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

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

- Eliza Capehart, serving in the United States Air Force.
- John Langworthy, back injury.
- Jim Beddows, health.
- Jim and Christine Munch, health.
- Roberta Judd, health.
- Christopher Siebert, healing of foot.
- Rev. Daniel Morton, health
- Betty Freeman, health
- Chris Freeman, health, strength in the care of her mother
- Debbie Whittaker, Dawn Langworthy's sister. Healing and growing faith.
- Jill Finch, Strength and healing during troubled times.
- Mike Annuzzi, friend of Tim Alemany, healing

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. Dial-in information is in the calendar.

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.

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