

Participants

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Minister
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Calendar

Saturday, February 1	11:30am	Senior Luncheon
Sunday, February 2	10:00am	Communion Service
Sunday, February 9	10:00am	Worship Service Scouting Sunday
Sunday, February 16	10:00am	Worship Service
Sunday, February 23	10:00am	Worship Service
Wednesday, February 26	7:00pm	Ash Wednesday Service



Last week's attendance (1/19/20): 26 Adults

BCC YTD Financial Summary	Actual Income	Actual Expenses	Income vs Expenses + /-
December	\$91,583	\$89,301	\$2,281



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Worship Service

Brookline Community Church

2 Main Street, PO Box 507
Brookline, NH 03033

Reverend Catherine Merrill
603-673-7511

January 26, 2020

10:00 am

WELCOME & RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP:

Extend a greeting to those nearby

* **INTROIT: #556 “Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me”**

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Perfect light of revelation, as you shone in the life of Jesus whose epiphany we celebrate,

All: So shine in us and through us, that we may become beacons of truth and compassion,

Leader: Enlightening all creation

All: with deeds of justice and mercy.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

JOYS AND CONCERNS:

THE LORD’S 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

***HYMN: #696 “The Bond of Love”**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: see insert

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION: see insert

SCRIPTURE READING: John 1:29-42, pp. 862-863

***HYMN: #190 “Songs of Thankfulness and Praise”**

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Corinthians 1:1-9, p. 926

SERMON: What Are You Looking For?

MINISTRY OF SHARING: (offering of tithes and gifts)

* DOXOLOGY: **# 809 “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. Amen.”**

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

* **CLOSING HYMN: #697 “In Christ There Is No East or West”**

* BENEDICTION

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: # 839 “God Be With You Till We Meet Again; by his counsels guide, uphold you, with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again.”**

Here ends our worship, now let our service begin.

*** Please stand in body or Spirit**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Brookline Community Church is holding its 2020 Annual Meeting and Potluck on Sunday, January 26, 2020 at 11:20 am . The primary purpose of this year's meeting will be a review of our operations and ministry, including updates on the work of the Open and Affirming Committee and Window Replacement Project, as authorized at our two special all church meetings in 2019. We will also vote on the nominations to our boards and the 2020 budget.

The Annual Meeting is another opportunity for the church to continue its discernment of God’s call and mission and will require a quorum of 18 people to transact this business.