

Participants

Reverend Catherine Merrill
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Minister
Trumpeter

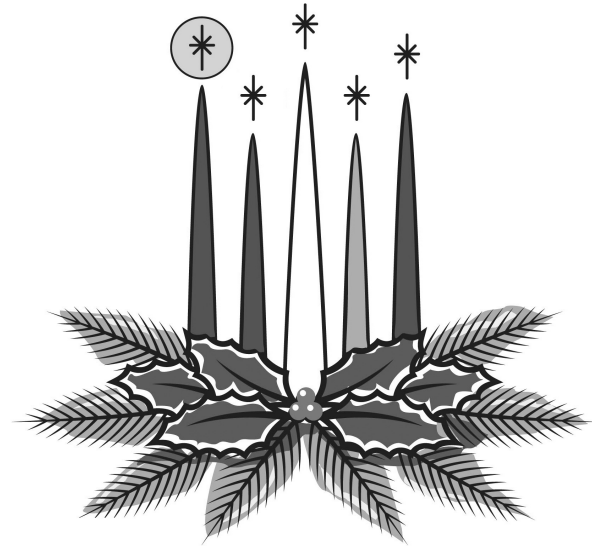
Calendar

Saturday, Dec. 3	8:30 am	Take-home meal cooking day
Sunday, Dec. 4	10:00 am	Communion Service
	1:00 - 7:00 pm	Christmas Faire
Sunday, Dec. 11	8:00 am	Cabinet Meeting
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	11:00 am	Coffee Hour
Saturday, Dec. 17	8:30 am	Take-home meal cooking day
Sunday, Dec. 18	8:30 am	Deacons Meeting
	10:00 am	Worship Service
	11:00 am	Coffee Hour
Saturday, Dec. 24	4:00 & 7:00 pm	Christmas Eve Service
Sunday, Dec. 25	10:00 am	Christmas Day Service
Sunday, Jan. 1	10:00 am	Communion Service

Last week's attendance (11/20/16): 35 Adults, 2 Children

<i>BCC Financial Summary</i>	Actual Income	Planned Income	Actual Expenses	Income vs Plan	Income vs Spending
Monthly	\$6,855.92	\$7,829.30	\$7,181.99	✘ -\$973.38	🚩 -\$326.07
Year to Date	\$79,226.80	\$87,463.40	\$71,024.26	✘ -\$8,236.60	✔ \$8,202.54

Please remember to sign up for
altar flowers (the sign up book is in the
foyer of the side entrance to the church)



November 27, 2016

Worship Service

Brookline Community Church

2 Main Street, PO Box 507
Brookline, NH 03033

Reverend Catherine Merrill
603-673-7511

November 27, 2016

10:00 am

WELCOME & RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP:

Extend a greeting to those nearby

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE: PROMISE

(see insert for Advent song)

***INTROIT: #132 "Comfort, Comfort Now My People"**

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the LORD!"

All: Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,

Leader: that we may learn God's ways and walk in God's paths. Our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

All: Come, let us walk in the light of the LORD!

THIS YEAR'S JOURNEY OF ADVENT

SCRIPTURE READING: Isaiah 2:1-3, see insert

LEARNING ON THE WAY UP THE HIGHEST OF MOUNTAINS

SCRIPTURE READING: Isaiah 2:4-5, see insert

***HYMN: #133 "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"**

JOYS AND CONCERNS: Pastoral prayer

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: #598 "Peace, Perfect Peace"**

SCRIPTURE READING: Romans 13:11-14, see insert
What Lies on the Other Side of the Highest Mountain

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: #519 "It Is Well with My Soul"**

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 if you are able**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

> **Take-home meals:** Italian Sausage Minestrone Stew and Chicken Florentine; \$10/container. Order your Guinness Beef Stew on or before Nov. 28th: email Megan at kingmegan7@gmail.com.

> **SHARE** is collecting toothbrushes & toothpaste, deodorants, shampoo & conditioner, bar soap

> **Christmas Faire:** Sunday, Dec. 4, 1:00 - 7:00 pm. Spread the word! Donate a themed raffle basket! Bake some cookies, make some soup or chili! Lots of ways to help. Please bring themed raffle baskets to the church by Sunday, Nov. 27.

> **SHARE Christmas gifts:** We've adopted 3 families; gift requests can be found on tags on the wreath in the foyer. Please bring gifts to the church by Sunday, Dec. 4th. Thank you!

