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**PRACTICE
CHRISTIAN SERVICE**

*THE POWER AND MODEL
FOR SERVICE*

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT WORSHIP

New London, New Hampshire

March 18, 2018 Fifth Sunday in Lent 11:00 a.m.

Call to Worship

Draw Me Close (15)

Welcome

Shout to the Lord (73)

No Longer Slaves (54)

How Beautiful (33)

Pastoral Prayer

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus (87)

Scripture

Philippians 2: 1-11 (Page 1230)

Meditation

Practicing Christian Service –

The Power and Model for Service

Closing Number & Offering of Gifts

Near the Cross (53)

Benediction

Sanctuary (1)

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

<i>Sun, Mar 18</i>	Choir Rehearsal – Chapel/Music Room	8:00 a.m.
	Worship Service – Meeting House	9:00 a.m.
	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
	The Gathering – Meeting House	11:00 a.m.
<i>Mon, Mar 19</i>	Sunapee Singers – Chapel/Music Room	2:00 p.m.
	KREM Annual Meeting – Cleveland Hall	3:00 p.m.
<i>Tues, Mar 20</i>	Healthy Relationships Create Healthy Lives	8:30 a.m.
	Staff Meeting – Library	9:00 a.m.
	BWF Board Meeting – BWF Room	10:30 a.m.
	Prayer Ministry – Library – All are welcome	1:30 p.m.
	Church Council – Reney Room	5:00 p.m.
	Healthy Relationships Create Healthy Lives	6:30 p.m.
<i>Wed, Mar 21</i>	Youth on Main – BWF Room	8:30 a.m.
	Pastor’s Bible Study – Reney Room	10:00 a.m.
	Prayer Shawl Ministry – Library	1:00-3:00 p.m.
	The Gathering Rehearsal – Chapel/Music Room	5:00 p.m.
	Food Pantry Open	5:30-7:00 p.m.
	Bell Choir Rehearsal – BWF Room	7:00 p.m.
	Boy Scouts – Cleveland Hall	7:00 p.m.
<i>Thurs, Mar 22</i>	Community Coffee – Cleveland Hall	8:00-10:00 a.m.
	Choir Rehearsal – Chapel/Music Room	7:00 p.m.
<i>Sat, Mar 24</i>	Food Pantry Open	10:00-11:30 a.m.
<i>Sun, Mar 25</i>	Choir Rehearsal – Chapel/Music Room	8:00 a.m.
<i>Palm Sunday</i>	Worship Service – Meeting House	9:00 a.m.
	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
	The Gathering – Meeting House	11:00 a.m.

*In addition, AA Meetings are held M, W, F – 12:15 p.m.
AA, Alanon, Alateen - Tues – 7:00 p.m.*

Our Gathering leaders this morning are

Rev. Charles Glidewell, Pastor
Rev. Cindy Johnson, Associate Pastor
David Chaves, Music Director
The Gathering Praise Team Musicians

Our ushers this morning are

Terry & Patti Durkin.

Large print bulletins are available in the Narthex for the visually impaired.

Nursery Care is in the yellow room off of Cleveland Hall.



Our sanctuary is equipped with a tele-coil induction loop system. To take advantage of the amplified signal, hearing aid users should switch their hearing aid to the “T” (tele-coil) position.

If you are unable to join us on Sunday morning...

Visit our website: www.fbcnlh.org, click on the link “Watch Church Service On-Line”.

You can also stay up to date on church activities through our Facebook Page.

At the bottom of the webpage - click on the Facebook Link and “like” our page.

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WELCOME TO THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NEW LONDON

*We unite and inspire people to discover and
celebrate the light of Jesus Christ in everyday life.*

To learn more about the First Baptist Church of New London, fill out a Visitor's Card for contact by Pastor Glidewell, or visit our website: www.fbcnlh.org.

AMERICA
FOR CHRIST
OFFERING
2018

The America for Christ Offering is for missions in the United States and Puerto Rico. The money collected is used for such things as helping children in poverty, neighborhood action programs, Christian Centers, volunteer ministries, helping refugees, chaplaincy programs, student campus ministries, and more. **Envelopes for this offering are in today's bulletins and will be**

in the pew card holders through the month of March and April. Checks may be made payable to: First Baptist Church with "AFC" in the memo section and left in the offering plate or dropped off at the church office.

<p>Healthy Relationships Create Healthy Lives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Communication → Respect → Equality → Support → Trust <p>Learn the Science of Sex: Understanding Human Connectedness Speaker Anne Margaret Burge, Executive Director Dayspring Pregnancy Care Center</p>	<p>Who: Parents When: Tuesday, March 20, 2018 Time: 8:30am or 6:30pm Where: Cleveland Hall First Baptist Church New London, NH Questions: Lynn Wenger wenger_haus@msn.com 603-763-8836 home 602-859-5923 text/mobile A Youth on Main initiative</p>
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The Prayer Shawl Knitters will be meeting on Wednesday afternoon, March 21 from 1:00 to 3:00. We provide yarn, needles, and instructions. Everyone is welcome! Please consider joining our very rewarding ministry!

FILM SCREENING

There will be a film screening of the Nepal Service Trip taken by Colby-Sawyer College students on **Wednesday, March 21 @ 5:00 p.m.** in the Wesson Honors Suite in Colgate Hall. Mark your calendars!

LAST WEEK TO GET YOUR ORDERS IN TO THE CHURCH OFFICE



EASTER LILY ORDER FORM

If you would like to honor or remember someone with a plant in the Meeting House on Easter Sunday **please fill in the form below and check off the information accordingly.** All plants, whether you are ordering from a florist or bringing it to the church yourself, should be delivered to the church on **Friday, March 30 by 8:30 a.m.** and wrapped in **dark purple foil.** Please be sure to indicate if you would like your plant delivered to a shut-in or prefer to pick it up yourself after the Easter Service on Sunday, April 1.
Two Options: (Please print clearly).

(1) Would you like the church office to order your Easter lily for you? Please fill out the form below and leave it in the church offering on Sunday or drop it by the church office. Each lily plant costs \$17.00. Please make your check payable to the First Baptist Church and write "Easter Lily" in the memo section.

(2) If you prefer to purchase a lily or plant yourself, please fill out the form and check off the appropriate box.

Name of Donor _____

Name of Person(s) being remembered or honored _____

Number of Lilies I will donate _____

Please check one

_____ Please order a lily for me (I have enclosed \$ _____ to cover the cost)

_____ I will order a plant myself from a florist*

_____ I will purchase a plant and bring it in **by 8:30 on Friday, March 30th.**

**If you order a plant from your florist please ask that it be delivered to the church on Friday, March 30 by 8:30 a.m. wrapped in dark purple foil.*

All plants should be wrapped in dark purple foil.

Please check one

_____ I will pick up my plant after the 10:00 a.m. service on Easter Sunday.

_____ I would like my plant to be delivered to a shut-in after the Easter Service.



Holy Week, Easter Services

Sunday, March 25

9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

PALM SUNDAY

Traditional Service

Sunday School

The Gathering—Contemporary Service

Thurs, March 29

7:00 p.m.

MAUNDY THURSDAY

Communion Service

Friday, March 30

12 Noon

1-3 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY

**Ecumenical Service at
St. Andrew's Episcopal Church**

FBC Sanctuary open

Sunday, April 1

6:15 a.m.

9:15 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

EASTER SUNDAY

**Sunrise Service at Kezar Lake
(across from the parking lot)**

Coffee & Fellowship Time

Worship Service

**(Music by Church Choir, Handbell Choir
Northern New England Heritage Brass
Sarah Ressler, Timpanist)**