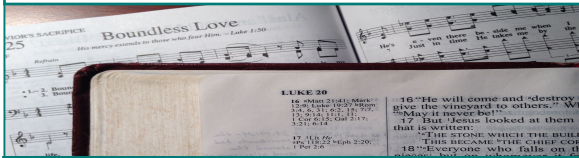


MANCHESTER BULLETIN



*“Let all things be done decently and in order.”
(1 Corinthians 14:40 NKJV)*

JUNE 2, 2024

CALL TO WORSHIP	DANNY CAMPBELL
SONG LEADER	GERRY MILLETTE
18	FAITHFUL LOVE
227	ON ZION'S GLORIOUS SUMMIT
900	THE SANDS OF TIME
SCRIPTURE	DAVE SKERRY
VERSE	HEBREWS 6:13-15
SERMON	DANNY CAMPBELL
332	LEAD ME TO CALVARY
186	CHRIST WE DO ALL ADORE THEE
176	LAMB OF GOD
LORDS SUPPER	GARY DIAZ
CLOSING PRAYER	KARL DAVIES
ANNOUNCEMENTS	GERRY MILLETTE
WORSHIP TECH	CALEB OEHLERT
COORDINATOR	RICH THERRIEN
WEDNESDAY EVENING	JUNE 5, 2024
SONG LEADER	GERRY MILLETTE
PRAYER	RICH THERRIEN
DEVO	BARRY FOGAL
WORSHIP TECH	CALEB OEHLERT

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Worship Times:

Sun. Worship - 9:30 AM

Fellowship Time - 10:30 AM

Bible Classes - 11:00 AM

Sun. Evening - 6:00 PM

Tuesday Morning Ladies' Class - 10:00 AM

Wed. Evening Devo & Bible Class - 7:00 PM

*“Lord, help me to keep
YOU at the center of all
that I do.”*

Family News & Prayer Requests

“Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much.”
(James 5:16, NKJV)

Other News & Notes:

- See Doug or Linda if interested in a dining table, chairs, and/or a hutch
- Kathy is at Courville in room 105

WEDNESDAY CAFE sign up sheet is in the foyer. Please indicate what you plan to provide when you sign up.

- Only 2 Wednesday night meals left!
- If you have questions, see Linda Carroll
- A \$5 donation per meal is requested to help the volunteers cover the cost.

DATES TO SAVE!

- **NEW DATE: September 12-14:** Gander Brook Ladies Retreat, "Lead Me To them: Sharing the Bread"
 - More information to come
- **June 22-August 3:** Ganderbrook camping season
- **June 15:** Bennington church of Christ Ladies' Day, 9.30a-3.30p
 - More information posted in foyer
- **June 22:** Farewell Send-off for Bob & Phyllis Prestridge at the Kittery church of Christ, 11a-2p
 - More information posted in foyer
- **July 27:** Free VBS at the Lakes Region church of Christ
 - More information posted in foyer
- **September 13-15:** Live Seminar with Jeff Miller at the Lakes Region church of Christ
 - More information posted in foyer
- **October 11-13:** The 29th Annual Northern New England Lectures at the Lakes Region church of Christ
 - More information posted in foyer
- **November 15-17:** "Is the Bible Reliable" presented by Eric Lyons at the Lakes Region church of Christ
 - More information posted in foyer

May Budget Vs Contribution

DATE	BUDGET	CONTRIBUTION	DIFFERENCE
5/5	\$3200	\$3719.00	+ \$519.00
5/12	\$3200	\$3968.00	+ \$768.00
5/19	\$3200	\$2355.00	-(\$845.00)
5/26	\$3200	\$3629.00	+ \$429.00
May Total	\$12,800	\$13,671.00	+ \$871.00

New Prayer Requests:

- **Danny** went to the Emergency Department Wednesday night with a high heart rate/heart racing. This has happened before, but warranted being checked out. He reports the doctors don't seem to think there's a real problem with his heart, but there will need to be an upcoming sleep study, and lifestyle changes. Prayers for answers and perseverance as he works through this.

Continued Prayer Requests:

- Alex's sister, **Sam**, and her baby/pregnancy
- Rick's friend, **Tim**
- **Hannah's** health
- **Nicole's** recovery
- **Dan & Diane** (Will & Kathy's friends)
- **Kathy's** recovery

Please continue to let Nicole know if you are not receiving emails from the church.

TIME TO CHANGE

I had just finished a conversation with one of you. Was kind of tired but had another visit to make. Having about 45 “minutes to spare” before the visit, I set my alarm, leaned the recliner back and closed my eyes. Went to sleep almost instantly.

About thirty minutes later, my watch (I think) was vibrating, and I woke up. I was then informed by my watch that my heart rate was 140/minute. “Hmmm.” I thought to myself. “I wonder what that means. I’d better cancel my next appointment and try to relax some more.

Didn’t matter. Though I felt fine and didn’t feel stressed, my heart kept beating on the high side of 140. I thought it would pass. I’d read that it wasn’t abnormal for this to happen for a little while, and in fact, it had happened to me before. For a little while.

But not for three hours. At that point, Kim was home, and we decided to go to the hospital.

Arriving at the emergency room, they checked my heart rate one more time. 80. Of course. But I knew what had been going on and decided to check in and wait my turn.

They took an EKG, which came out normal. Measured my heart rate. 80. Decided to wait anyway. Something was wrong; we needed to know what.

Having arrived at the Emergency Room at 6:15 p.m. Wednesday Night, I finally saw the doctor at 5:30 a.m. Thursday Morning. Then she gave me the news:

I need to have a sleep study done since these racing heartbeats happen when I’m sleeping; and my blood sugar was too high. Maybe Diabetic.

Though this was the first time I had had any “real

problems” health-wise, I wasn’t surprised. Mom & Dad were both Type 2 Diabetics in later life, and my sister, Linda, was Type 1 Diabetic from age 8. And I snore horribly, so Sleep Apnea is no surprise either. I was surprised to discover that I was taking this news as a welcome warning. It is time to change.

So far, I’m leaning into the changes. Eating better. Walking more. I’m actually feeling very motivated to embrace the changes. Maybe I’ve been “scared straight”!

And, speaking of “scared straight” . . .

A long time ago, Peter stood up with the Apostles and delivered a warning to Israel. In his conclusion, he told the gathered crowd, “Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly that God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ.” (Acts 2:36). The people responded, “Men and brethren, what shall we do?” (Acts 2:37). Peter heard their question and told them what to do about their problem: “Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.” (Acts 2:38)

Three thousand were baptized that day. Three thousand of them embraced a needed change. Three thousand chose Jesus, knowing that hardships and, perhaps, even separation from their families would accompany their decision. But they embraced the change joyfully. Because it was time to change.

What changes should you embrace?

-Danny Campbell

