

*Our Service of Worship on the Lord's Day (Rom. 12:1 – NAS)*

**Sunday 10:27 a.m.**

**February 19, 2023**

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*Jesus Is Lord*

**Sing Praises & Prayers to: Father-JesusChrist-HolySpirit**

\*\* **Prelude:** #400 *“Be Thou My Vision”*

**Call to Worship:** *Psalm 44:1-8 (KJV)*

\*\* **Opening Song** #373 *“The Light of the World Is Jesus”*

\*\* **Invocation**

*Congregational Prayer of Confession (Bulletin Insert)*

*We invite people to Jesus with a song:*

\*\* #389 *“Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling”*

**Scripture:** *John 9:1-17, 35-38 & Psalm 27:1-4 (KJV)*

**Pastoral Prayer**

Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors)

*We pray God enables us to help all who need Him:*

\*\* ----- *“People Need The Lord” (Bulletin Insert)*

**Message:** *Those Jesus saves seek to be with Him*

*We prepare our hearts for Communion:*

\*\* #245 *“We Are the Reason”*

**Responsive Reading** (See Bulletin Insert)

**Celebration of the Lord's Supper**

\*\* **Closing Hymn:** #79 *“To God Be The Glory”*

\*\* **Benediction:** *Psalm 70 (NAS)*

\*\* **Postlude:** #132 *“Open Our Eyes, Lord”*

\*\* Congregation Please Stand

We welcome you to our time of worship this morning. Thanks for being with us today!

People arriving after 10:15 are encouraged to join in singing to the Lord, or to focus on the Lord by reflecting on the words of the songs, or otherwise communing with God.

**This Week at the Church**

**Wednesday 3:00 PM -- Psalms Bible Study – Psalm 51**

**Thursday 3:00 PM -- Prayer in parlor**

**Friday 7:00 PM -- Movie night**

**Sunday 9:30 AM -- Music Team Practice**

**10:30 AM -- Sunday Morning Worship**

*Jesus is The Resurrection and The Life*

Our Bible Study on *Psalm* is ongoing. We meet on Wednesdays at 3:00 PM.

Articles for the March *Vestry Voices* are due on Monday, February 27.

We are giving people the opportunity to worship virtually.

Go to: [www.facebook.com/pg/FCCClintonMA](http://www.facebook.com/pg/FCCClintonMA) at 10:27 AM on Sunday mornings to watch the worship service live. The video of the service is also available to watch at any time.

A video of our worship (on a one week delay) airs on Comcast (Xfinity) Clinton channels 8 and 99 on Mondays at 8:00 PM, Tuesdays at 6:30 AM, and Sundays at 5:30 AM.

To listen to last week's sermon: Go to [fccclintonma.org](http://fccclintonma.org). On the left hand side go to 'Blog Postings' and click on 'Sunday Services'. Under 'Sunday Service – month, day, year' hit the prompt 'Continue Reading ->'. This will bring up PDFs of the Bulletin and Sermon Outline as well as two audios. Click on the big arrow on the left and it will start to play.

# *The Light of the world opens blind eyes*

*John 9:1-17, 35-38 & Psalm 27:1-4*

*Notes:*

*Text for the week:*

But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn, That shines brighter and brighter until the full day. The way of the wicked is like darkness; They do not know over what they stumble.

*Proverbs 4:18-19* (NAS)