



**Welcome to
Old South Congregational Church, United Church of Christ, Hallowell, Maine
10:00 am– Announcements, Community Joys & Concerns; Worship begins
July 5, 2026 Hybrid Worship**

*No matter who you are, no matter where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here.
Coffee, Tea and Hot Chocolate are available in the kitchen. Please feel free to grab a cup of
something before worship begins, or anytime during the service.*

Announcements/Joys & Concerns

Welcome

Prelude "The Lone, Wild Bird" Anthony Giamanco

Introit "I Come With Joy" NCH #349 Choir and Congregation

Call to Worship, Invocation and Lord's Prayer

One: In joy and gladness, enter the presence of the Sovereign One who rules and reigns over all creation. Worship the Holy One!

Many: The voice of the Holy One is powerful and gracious, loving, challenging, and compassionate.

One: In joy and gladness, receive the fresh wind of the Spirit who ignites our hearts and connects us to one another. Worship the Holy Spirit!

Many: The voice of the Holy Spirit gives wisdom, discernment, comfort, and confirmation.

One: In joy and gladness, follow the path of the Embodied One. Worship God With Us!

Many: The voice of God With Us models for us what to say and how to live. Praise God!

One: Let us pray:

Many: God of all nations and all peoples, bless us as we gather in your name. Open us to be vessels in building your kingdom and spreading the good news of life and liberty. May we drink from the well of your abundance. May our cups overflow with your love. May our hearts burn in your presence. Be with us in this time and place. Amen.

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. 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** "When Morning Gilds the Skies" (LAUDES DOMINI) Pilgrim #35
(words can be found on the Announcements page)

[During the hymn, those attending in person are invited to come forward and to light one of the votive candles at the front of the sanctuary. Those on Zoom may light a candle and keep it close by during the service.]

Scripture Reading Psalm 145:8-14 p.581

Message "All is Enough"

Special Music "The Gift of Love" arr. Hal Hopson Christine Bartlett & Cynthia McGuire

Mission Moment

Offering (*If you wish to give to the Outreach Fund, please make sure your offering is in an Outreach envelope. Envelopes can be found on chairs, tables, and on the entry table.)

Offertory: "Blessed Assurance" Larry Shackley

***Doxology** (Pilgrim #515)

You may sing the traditional version or the inclusive language version:

Traditional: 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.

Inclusive: Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host: Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Sacrament of Communion

Invitation

***Hymn** "Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face" (MORECAMBE) v.1&5 NCH #336

Words of Institution & Communion Prayer

Sharing of the Elements

Communion Music "At the Table" (FOREVER TRUE) Brian Gibson

Prayer and Response

***Hymn** "Great Is Your Faithfulness" (FAITHFULNESS) NCH #423
(words can be found on the Announcements page)

***Blessing**

***Sung Response** "God Be With You" Thomas A. Dorsey NCH #809

God be with you, God be with you, God be with you till we meet again. O God be with you, God be with you, God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude "Love Lifted Me" Jina Park

Fellowship

***Please stand, if you are able**

More Info/Contact Info

Art work at the top is from a painting by Clover Leonard:

Call to Worship and Invocation adapted from Worship Ways at ucc.org.

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Announcements and Hymns for July 5, 2026

Welcome to Worship at Old South! We're glad you are here!

OFFICE HOURS—Tuesday & Thursday, 9:00 - Noon.

MEETINGS/EVENTS THIS WEEK:

Tuesday

4:30 Bread of Life Dinner Delivery (the Sign Up is on the bulletin board)

Sunday

10:00 Hymn Sing, led by Cynthia (with the help of friends)

SAVE THESE DATES!

JULY 18— Old Hallowell Day.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES:

OUTREACH TEAM: The Outreach fund for July will go to **Bridging the Gap**.

THE UNITED COMMUNITY LIVING CENTER is looking for items that will help the homeless population in the Augusta Area. There's a list of items, along with information on where and how to drop off items on the bulletin board.

SUPPORT the Ministry of Old South:

1. Checks may be sent to the church PO Box 508, Hallowell, ME 04347
2. Online giving (credit card) is available through the Maine Conference. Please find the link on our webpage: <https://oldsouthhallowell.org/>

HANNAFORD PROGRAM: Next deadline: July 12th. Send your check to the office, or place in the offering plate. Please mark your check clearly for Hannaford.

TODAY'S HYMNS

When Morning Gilds the Skies (LAUDES DOMINI) Pilgrim #35

1 When morning gilds the skies, My heart awaking cries, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Alike at work and prayer, To Jesus I repair; May Jesus Christ be praised!

2 The night becomes as day, When from the heart we say, May Jesus Christ be praised!
The powers of darkness fear, When this sweet chant they hear, May Jesus Christ be praised!

3 Ye nations of mankind, In this your concord find, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let all the earth around Ring joyous with the sound, May Jesus Christ be praised!

4 To God, the Word, on high, The hosts of angels cry, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let mortals, too, upraise Their voice in hymns of praise, May Jesus Christ be praised!

5 In heaven's eternal bliss the loveliest strain is this, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Let air, and sea, and sky From depth to height reply May Jesus Christ be praised!

6 Be this, while life is mine, My canticle divine, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Be this the eternal song Through all the ages long, May Jesus Christ be praised!

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Here, O My Lord, I See You Face to Face (MORECAMBE) NCH #336

1 Here, O my Lord, I see you face to face; there would I touch and handle things unseen;
Here grasp with firmer hands the eternal grace, And all my weariness upon you lean.

5 We have no help but yours, nor do we need another strength than yours to lean upon.
It is enough, O Lord, enough indeed; our faith is in your might, your might alone.

Public Domain Hymn

Great Is Your Faithfulness (FAITHFULNESS) NCH #423

1 Great is your faithfulness, O God, Creator, with you no shadow of turning we see.
You do not change, your compassions they fail not; all of your goodness forever will be.

Refrain: Great is your faithfulness! Great is your faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed your hand has provided, Great is your faithfulness, God, unto me!

2 Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses
above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness to your great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *Refrain*

3 Pardon for sin and a peace so enduring, your own dear presence to cheer and to guide.
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine with ten thousand beside.
Refrain

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God Be With You Thomas A. Dorsey

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O God be with you, God be with you, God be with you till we meet again.

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