

# Woodland Church of Christ

November 28, 2021

Prelude Glenda Lobb  
"Send Me the Light"\* Page 307  
Opening Scripture Ken Lord

## Worship in Prayer

Joys and Concerns Our Prayer Time  
Prayer Elders

## Worship in Remembrance

"I Am Thine O Lord" Screen  
Communion Meditation and Prayer Ron Ripperger  
The Lord's Supper Partake as served

## Worship in Giving

Stewardship Meditation and Prayer Tom Pecora  
Receiving Tithes and Offering

## Worship in the Word

Message: Eric Refsnider  
Invitation to Faith and Obedience Elders  
Come forward for prayer and support  
"Victory in Jesus"\* Screen

## Closing Prayer

\*Please stand for these hymns

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at His holy hill; for the Lord our God is holy.

Psalm 99:9



"Christ did not come to be served,  
but to serve, and give His life a  
ransom for many."

Matt. 20:28

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Special Needs & Prayer Requests:** Please pay special attention to this insert!! Prayers and praises are listed here. To share your prayer request or praise, call Carl @ 203-888-0743, or e-mail Carl @ [carlcarm@aol.com](mailto:carlcarm@aol.com)

**Web Site:** Please use our new website @ [discoverwoodland.church](http://discoverwoodland.church) to get the latest information on the calendar. Anything you would like to add to the website see Carl. The website is complete. You can watch the services on Sunday by going to our website. Click onto resources, then livestream, click onto link provided, will take you to the church Facebook page and the service.

**Password:** To use your iPhones and smart phones for the service, the password for the church is **woodland**.

**Book Study:** Mere Christianity- On hold at the present time.

**Christmas Decorations:** Sunday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> following services we will be decorating the church for Christmas.

## The Ceiling Connection

There is an old Danish fable about a spider who built his nest in the attic of a house. A single thread kept the nest suspended safely above the floor, and the spider lived there happy and carefree for many months. Then one day another spider began to make fun of his nest. "How stupid to have a nest hanging from the ceiling!" he said. "Don't you know that such an arrangement is completely out of style?"

Under this kind of provocation, the first spider then cut the thread that held up his nest. Of course, the spider and his nest came tumbling down in a tangled mess.

Paul gives us the formula for a happy and worry-free life-- "in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God." But far too many sever this thread that holds them up, and they fall to the floor entrapped in a tangled mess.

## My Commitment Today

- I asked Jesus to be my personal Savior.
- I want to be baptized.
- I asked Jesus to renew my faith.

## I will help in the following areas:

- Lay Leadership.
- Sunday School Teacher.
- Nursery.
- Leading a Devotion.
- Vacation Bible School.
- Visitation.

## I am interested in:

- How to become a Christian.
- Becoming a part of this Church.
- Missions Work.
- Joining the Worship Team.
- Family Activities.
- Participating in a Neighborhood Study.

## Other Interests:

## Special Needs:

- I want to talk with a Minister.
- I want to know more about the Woodland Church.

## Prayer requests:

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

Nov. 28<sup>th</sup>- George & Arlene Fanning- Anniversary

Nov. 29<sup>th</sup>- Kerry Gold- Birthday

*Please let us know if your Birthday or Anniversary was missed!!*

## Mark Your Calendar:

### Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> - Decorating Church

*Woodland Church of Christ*

*63 Ancient Hwy; Oxford, CT 06478*

*203-888-3663/203-888-0550*

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### *The Woodland Church of Christ Vision Statement:*

*The church is the body of Christ on earth, empowered by the Holy Spirit to continue the task of seeking and saving the lost and discipling the saved.*

*(Ephesians 4:1-16)*

### Church Elders:

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### Worship Team: Glenda Lobb

#### Stewardship for next week, Sunday, Dec. 5th:

Call to Worship: Carl Palarino

Communion Meditation: Craig LaCroix

Offering Meditation: Bob Charbonneau

Sermon: Eric Refsnider



Refreshments:

**We would like to hear from you!!**

\*For bulletin items or Church Directory copies and updates contact Carl Palarino at (203) 888-0743 or E-mail: [carlcarm@aol.com](mailto:carlcarm@aol.com)

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**\*\*TO BEST SERVE YOU, PLEASE NOTIFY US BY THURSDAY EVENING.\*\***

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