

**Welcome!**

Our church strives to accommodate all who come to worship with us. If you need help, please ask.

We are glad you are here!

- ~The handicap entrance/exit is through the Gathering Place doors.
- ~A wheelchair is available.
- ~Large print hymnals are available.
- ~Hearing devices are available.
- ~The elevator to all three floors is in the Hallway outside the Gathering Place.
- ~The worship service can be heard upstairs in The MacKenzie Room, next door in The Gathering Place and downstairs in the Vestry

**CUF Calendar**

**Today: Sunday, November 24**  
 9:00 am Choir Reh. -Sanctuary  
 10:00 am Worship – Sanctuary  
 11:00 am Coffee Hour– Gath. Place  
 11:30 am Thanksgiving Basket assembly & delivery-Gathering Place  
 11:45 am #11:45: Ted Taylor  
 Trip to Mongolia-MacKenzie

**Monday November 25**  
 5:30 pm Still Water Sangha–MacKenzie  
 6:30 pm TNTheater-Gathering Place

**Tuesday November 26**  
 6:00 pm Heart Rhythm Medit – Library

**Wednesday November 27**  
 6:00 pm Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary  
 No MBSR - MacKenzie Room

**Thursday November 28**  
**Happy Thanksgiving!**  
 CUF Closed

**Friday November 29**  
 Office Closed

6:30 pm TNTheater-Vestry

**Saturday November 30**  
 2:00 pm TNTheater-Vestry

**Sunday December 1**  
 10:00 am Worship with  
 Rev. Malcolm Himschoot

**Church Staff**

Dr. Laura Artesani.....Organist  
 Dr. Sonja Birthisel & Avi Rude  
 ..... YAWP Teachers  
 Rachel Dobbs.....Hand Bell Choir Director  
 Steffi Egenhofer.....Church Administrator  
 and Lay Ministries Coordinator  
 Pam Frace.....Nursery Caregiver  
 Nancy Hall..... Caretaker  
 Rev. Mariah Hayden.....Minister  
 Rev. Malcolm Himschoot.....Minister  
 Sarah Marx McGill.....Dir. of Children and  
 Youth Ministries  
 Kara Starr Accountant  
 Barbara Turner.....Resource Specialist  
 Francis Vogt..... Choir Director

**Guest Minister**

Rachel Dobbs is a CUF Trustee and the Director of our Bodwell Hand Bell Choir. Rachel, her husband John, and daughter Nora live in Bangor and are the owners of Paddy Murphy's Irish Pub.

**Guest Organist/Pianist**

Mark Baker has had a lifelong passion for music. He began playing the organ at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bradley when he was only 14 years old. Mark works as Senior Information Systems Analyst for Northern Light Health in Bangor. He lives in Glenburn with his husband Reverend Darren Morgan and their miniature Dachshund, Oscar.

**~ TODAY ~**

**Choir Rehearsal** 9:00 am The Sanctuary  
**Morning Worship** 10:00 am The Sanctuary  
 Nursery, Sunday School, YAWP Youth Group  
**Coffee and Conversation** 11:00 am Gathering Place  
**Thanksgiving Baskets** 11:30 am Gathering Place  
*Have time after worship today? Help the Social Justice Team deliver Thanksgiving Baskets!*  
**#11:45: Trip to Mongolia** 11:45 am MacKenzie Room  
*Ted Taylor (Rev. Emily and Joe Taylor's son) will talk about his trip to Mongolia.*

**Mystery Friends Program Signup Deadline Today!**

**Coming Right Up**

**Choir Rehearsal** Wednesday, November 27, 6:00 pm, Sanctuary  
**Thanksgiving Day** Thursday, November 28, CUF closed  
**Day After Thanksgiving** Friday, November 29, CUF closed  
**Movie Night** **November Movie Night is cancelled**  
**Rev. Malcolm leads worship!** **Sunday, December 1, 10:00 am, Sanctuary**  
 Welcome Rev. Malcolm Himschoot at his first worship service as CUF's co-minister!  
**Book Group** Monday, December 2, 7:00 pm, Gathering Place

*The Advent Workshop is coming! December 8th!*



**Bring a lunch** and stay after worship to make wreaths, ornaments, and decorate cookies!  
 Helpers are needed for cleanup afterwards (around 2 pm). Please contact Barbara Turner [bit12151951@gmail.com](mailto:bit12151951@gmail.com) or 866-2181

**Open House to Meet and Greet the Ministers!**



December 6, 4 pm to 8 pm ~ Cider and Cookies at the home of Pastor Mariah and Pastor Malcolm. All ages welcome! If you need help with the two steps up to the entrance let Steffi at the office know.

**Poinsettias for the Altar**



If you wish to provide a poinsettia for the church this holiday season, in memory, honor, or celebration of someone, please call the church office at 866-3655 by December 15. The flowers are \$15 each.

**Euphony Chamber Choir** under Director Fran Vogt presents Christmas Pop Music: From Gregorian Chant to WHAM! Two concert dates this year:

**Friday, December 13, 7:30 pm** and **Sunday, December 15** at 4:00 pm in the Sanctuary

**Mount View Singers:** Carols in the Round, Saturday, December 21, 7 pm, Sanctuary

**Bodwell Hand Bell Choir at Dirigo Pines (Kenduskeag Commons)**



Thursday, Dec. 5, 7:15 pm. Come and listen to Rachel Dobbs and the Bodwell Hand Bell Choir as they bring joy and Christmas spirit to the residents of Dirigo Pines!

**Happy Thanksgiving! The CUF office is open Mon & Wed. next week!**



*The Changing Light* Photo by Rachel Dobbs

The Church of Universal Fellowship

...a house for all people

Reign of Christ Sunday

November 24, 2019

Ministers	Rachel Dobbs and Members of the Congregation
Organist/Pianist	Mark Baker
Choir Director	Francis Vogt, M.M.
Greeter	Alma Homola
Usher	Tricia Griffith
Hospitality	Billie Jean King and Roger Federer
Altar Arrangement	Steffi Egenhofer
Offering Plate	Judy Whitney and Kathy Barry
Sunday School Assistant	John Mascetta
YAWP Teachers	Avi Rude and Dr. Sonja Birthisel
Nursery Care	Pam Frace

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