



North Hill Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

February 22, 2026

Gathering of the Community of Faith

Prelude Riley Gray

Welcome Pastor Chris

Passing the Peace of Christ

Peace be with you

And also with you

*Hymn "Christians, We Have Met to Worship" Riley Gray
CH 277

*Call to Worship Bill Jennison

As this season begins, we keep silent before
God, afraid to confront our transgressions;
terrified to face the reality of our brokenness;
we feel the weight of the world upon our shoulders.

In this hour, we find help to admit our brokenness
and accept our imperfections.

Gratefully, we know God is here among us.

And we believe in God's steadfast love, we are forgiven.

By God's Holy Spirit, we are being restored.

So we come to worship the God who can make all things new.

*Prayer of Invocation Bill Jennison

Hymn "Be Thou My Vision" Riley Gray
CH 595 vs 1-3

Children's Moment Pastor Chris

Moment for Mission Week of Compassion Special Offering

Prayers of the People Pastor Chris

The Lord's Prayer

Hearing the Word

Scripture Reading Psalm 32 Bill Jennison

The word of God, for the people of God

Thanks be to God

Special Music Riley Gray

Scripture Reading Matthew 4:1-11 Pastor Chris

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Sermon	“Being Tested”	Pastor Chris
*Hymn	“Tree of Life” CP 134 (gen. 1st Sunday)	Riley Gray

Gathering around the Table

Offering Meditation		Bill Jennison
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Doxology	Accept, O God, the Gifts We Bring CH 379	Riley Gray
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Prayer for our Gifts		Bill Jennison
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Communion Meditation & Prayer		Pastor Chris
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Hymn	“For the Bread Which You Have Broken” CH 411	Riley Gray
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Words of Institution		Pastor Chris
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Partaking of the elements

*All are welcome at Christ's table.
You are invited to partake in the elements as they are passed.
Please assist in serving those seated next to you.
(The bread is Gluten Free)*

Affirmation of Faith		Pastor Chris
	“We Believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the Living God, and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world.”	

Prayer of Thanksgiving		Pastor Chris
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Sending Forth the People of God

Ministry Happenings		Pastor Chris
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*Hymn	“Restless Weaver” CH 658	Riley Gray
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*Benediction		Pastor Chris
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(* = Please rise, in Body or Spirit)

Serving Next Sunday, March 1, 2026

Count: Janie Selley, Debbie Jennison **Diaconate:** Sally Deranleau

Elder: Bill Jennison **Worship Leader:** Bill Jennison

Visual Tech: Jenn Snow **Sound Tech:** Ben Greene

Pick Up: Janie Selley **Greeter:** Bill Phipps

Looking Ahead

Attitude Adjustment: 7 days a week at 12 noon and 5:30 PM (top floor) 9:30 AM Saturday morning (top floor) 3rd Saturday of each Month Dinner Potluck (Hazen Hall)

Sunday, February 22	Sunday School 9:30 AM Sunday Worship 10:30 AM Coffee Hour after Worship
Monday, February 23	Pastor's Office Hours 9-12 Citizenship Class 10-11 AM
Tuesday, February 24	Pastor's Office Hours 9-12
Thursday, February 26	Print Day Citizenship Class 6-7 PM
Sunday, March 1	Sunday School 9:30 AM Sunday Worship 10:30 AM Coffee Hour after Worship

SUNDAY MORNING LENTEN STUDY

Beginning **Sunday, February 22**, we will begin a study for Lent using various incidents of the Life of Jesus as reported in the New Testament to provide a foundation for our Lenten devotional journey. We will look at scenes well-known by most of us in a new light to provide a basis for our contemporary reflections on faith and our Gospel call.

Join us starting this **Sunday, Feb. 22 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fireside Room** as we move through Lent together in study and prayer.

Baked Potato Luncheon

Whatever condiments we like on our baked potatoes, the men of the congregation will be providing them for us on **SUNDAY, MARCH 15th**. We will meet in Hazen Hall following the morning service. In order to add to the celebration of St. Patrick's Day, it is a suggestion that we wear a green colored article of some type. No pinching will be permitted. There will be everything for topping from chili to cheese and in between. Finish your lunch with dessert which will be provided by the ladies.

Following the potatoes will be the ever popular **WHITE ELEPHANT BINGO**. You will not want to miss an opportunity to win a lovely, needed and treasured prize. Should you have an irreplaceable family heirloom that you might like to gift to another bingo player, please let Janie Selley know at church or by phone before the 15th. We always have a great time of fun, food and fellowship.