

Welcome!

We are so glad you joined us for Church in the Park.

We meet here each Sunday at 10, weather permitting.

We are a relaxed, casual, group of imperfect people trying to navigate life by applying the teachings of Jesus.

Jesus said that everything boils down to two things: loving God and loving people, so that's where we keep our focus. Though we are not concerned with denominations, our church home is the historic First Baptist Church at 733 Main Street in Westbrook.





**Monthly on
3rd Sat.**



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4:30-6:00

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O Praise the Name

Verse 1

I cast my mind to Calvary where Jesus
bled and died for me. I see His wounds,
His hands, His feet. My Savior on that cursed tree

Verse 2

His body bound and drenched in tears
they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb.
The entrance sealed by heavy stone
Messiah still and all alone

Chorus

O praise the name of the Lord our God
O praise His name forever more
For endless days we will sing Your praise
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God

Verse 3

Then on the third at break of dawn, the Son of
heaven rose again. O trampled death
where is your sting? The angels roar
for Christ the King

Chorus

Verse 4

He shall return in robes of white, the blazing Son
shall pierce the night. And I will rise among the saints,
my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face

Chorus

O praise the name of the Lord our God
O praise His name forever more
For endless days we will sing Your praise
Oh Lord, oh Lord our God

Heavens Rejoice

Let the heavens rejoice, the earth be glad , the sea
resound, all creation dance.

Let the fields cry out, forests will sing, this is our song,
this is our King.

O for a thousand tongues to sing, my great Redeemer's
praise. The glories of our God and King, the triumphs of His
grace.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim, to
spread through all the earth abroad the honors of Thy name

Let the heavens rejoice, the earth be glad, the sea
resound, all creation dance.

Let the fields cry out, forests will sing, this is our song,
this is our King.

Jesus the name that calms our fears, that bids our
sorrows cease. 'Tis music in the sinner's ear 'tis life and
health and peace

He breaks the power of death and sin, he sets the
prisoner free. His blood can make the foulest clean, His
blood was shed for me.

All creation join, all creation sing. Lift Your voices
loud, lift Your voice and sing.

Let the heavens rejoice, the earth be glad, the
sea resound, all creation dance.

Let the fields cry out, forests will sing, this is our
song, this is our King.

HOSANNA

Verse 1

I see the King of glory
Coming on the clouds with fire
The whole earth shakes
The whole earth shakes yeah

Verse 2

I see His love and mercy
Washing over all our sin
The people sing
The people sing

Chorus

Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest

Verse 3

I see a generation
Rising up to take their place
With selfless faith
With selfless faith

Verse 4

I see a near revival
Stirring as we pray and seek
We're on our knees
We're on our knees

Bridge

Heal my heart and make it clean
Open up my eyes to the things unseen
Show me how to love like You have loved me
Break my heart for what breaks Yours
Everything I am for Your Kingdom's cause
As I walk from earth into eternity

WE DO NOT PASS AN OFFERING PLATE

*If you are new to our gatherings, please don't feel compelled to give.
We are happy with the gift of your presence.*

We give back a portion of what God has given us as an act of worship and thanksgiving. Plus it is also one of the ways we participate in the mission he has given us as a church.

1. You can give **securely online at [FBCWestbrook.com](https://www.FBCWestbrook.com)**
2. Give **by mail** at 733 Main St., Westbrook, ME 04092
3. Or, leave your gift **in the plate** on the rock wall behind the mics, instruments and speakers.

Our Summer Series

Following Jesus in THE AGE OF OUTRAGE

“Every church and believer must ask: What are we known for in the community? What do we represent?”

— Ed Stetzer, *Christians in the Age of Outrage: How to Bring Our Best When the World Is at Its Worst*

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Quick Review

2 Corinthians 5:20 We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. **We implore you on Christ's behalf:** Be reconciled to God.

Ambassador

“a person of high rank employed by a government to represent it and transact its business at the seat of government of some other power.”

QUALITIES: Reliable, Consistent, Trustworthy, Dependable, Steady

WHAT OTHERS ARE SPECIFIC TO THE KING WE REPRESENT?

OUR PERSPECTIVE

- 1 Citizens of a different Kingdom (Phil 3:20, Eph. 2:19)
- 2 Our speech must be a good reflection of our King.
(1 Pet. 3:9-11)
- 3 We see people as **souls with bodies, not bodies with souls.** (all equally loved and valued by God AND US.)



KINGDOM AMBASSADORS

Each of us have been given the tools we need to engage a hostile and outraged world.

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TOOL #1: GOD'S LIGHT

“For what we preach is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus’ sake. For God, who said, “Let light shine out of darkness,” made his light shine in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of God’s glory displayed in the face of Christ.” **2 Cor 4:5-6**

“The world is starving, and they hoard the bread of life.” Charles Spurgeon.

The reputation of the evangelical church?

1. Hypocritical
2. Too focused on getting converts
3. Anti-homosexual
4. Sheltered
5. Too political
6. Judgmental

Unchristian: What A New Generation Really Thinks about Christianity ... And Why It Matters. By David Kinnaman and Gabe Lyons. Grand Rapids: Baker Books, 2007

TOOL #2: HOPE!

John 3:17 For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

Corinthians 5:20 We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore (beg, urge, press) you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God.