

Marriages 1749

Asariah Odell & Mary Brin made married	Oct. 5	1749
David White & Lois Chaucey Mar.	Oct. 6	1749
John Barlow & Bala Bennet Mar.	Nov 10	1749
Daniel Hubbel, & Sarah Gregory Mar	Dec. 28	1749
Nath Wilson & Sarah Silimant Marr	Feb. 15	1749
John Burr & Lania Booth Married	Apr	2 1749
Nathaniel Sherman & Lucia Gregory Married	Apr	6 1749
David Hodyden & Sarah Lacy Mar	June 7	1750
Jabez Hubbel & Sarah Selvy Mar	June 28	1750
Nehemiah Hill & Mchitable Hodyden Mar	July 18	-5
David Wells & Ruth Burrows Mar?	Sept 6	-5
Leviticus Selvy & Johannah Beardfleth	Sep 27	1750
Joseph Benedict & Elizabeth Hall Mar	Oct. 24	-50
El Nathan Parak & Mary Hill Mar?	Nov 22	1750
Jedediah Wells & Luce French Mar?	Nov 29	1750
Richard Whitney & Sapience Beardfleth	Dec 4	1750
Stephen Fredwell & Sarah Wakelin Mar	Feb. 5	1750
Thadew Bennet, & Elizabeth Wilson Mar	May 11	1751



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Church Members & those joyed w<sup>th</sup> us by Promises

Mary the Wife of Henry Rowland, Promised  
 by Bro. W. Gold, Stratford was. Reivd. Feb. 25. 1740  
 Promised to this Ch<sup>rch</sup> & Reivd Mary  
 the Wife of Timothy Hodgden Sept 2. 1740  
~~Sept 7. 1740~~



Church Members & those joyred & us by Promissed

Mary the wife of Henry Rowland, Promissed  
by Bro<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Gold, was. Reivd Feb. 25. 1748

promissed to this list & Reivd Mary  
the wife of Timothy Hodgden Sept 2. 1750



Admitted to full Communion

Daniel Morris. Admitted to full communion Feb 25 1749  
 Bulah Ouel, Daughter of Alex Ouel, Admitted July 1750  
 Elizabeth, Wife of Mathew Shrewood ———— Sept 2 1750



Baptisms, in Year 1752. — 51

- Nathaniel Son of Benj<sup>n</sup> Fair weather, Bart. Dec<sup>r</sup> 16, 1752
- Daniel Son of Daniel Morris, Bar — Dec<sup>r</sup> 16, 1752
- Timothy Son of Benjamin Wheeler, Bar Dec<sup>r</sup> 16, 1752
- Christian the Daughter, of John Mann Bart. Dec<sup>r</sup> 16, 1752  
upon her own Act being Dangerously Sick  
& her self Desiring of it, present Minister Hubbel  
his Wife, Daniel Morris, iron Alice, Kerine  
Contravenite

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- Ebenezer Gregory, Son of Enoch Bar Dec<sup>r</sup> 23, 1752
- Daniel the Son of Philip Bennet, Bart Jan 12, 1753
- Samuel, Son of Ezra Hawley, Baptized Jan 20, 1753
- Rune, Daughter of Horn Chapman, Bar Feb 3, 1753
- Benjamin Son of David Hodgson, Bar Feb 3, 1753
- Fabitha Daughter of Jabez Hubbell, Mar 17, 1753
- Rune Daughter of Elnathan Shumond, Apr 14, 1753
- Alicia, Daughter of Azariah Odell, Bart Apr 28, 1753
- Israel & James } Sons of Jean Daug<sup>r</sup>, of Wife of John Mann  
Baptized Apr 28, 1753
- Catharine Daugh<sup>r</sup> of M<sup>r</sup> Bennet, Bar May 11, 1753
- Nathan Son of Jabez Wheeler, Bart — May 11, 1753
- Solomon Son of David Wells, Bar May 19, 1753



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 Nathaniel Son of Benjamin Fair weather, Bapt Dec, 16, 1750  
 Daniel Son of Daniel Morris, Bapt Dec 16 1750  
 Timothy Son of Benjamin Wheeler, Bapt Dec 16 1750  
 Christian the Daughter, of John Mann, Bapt Dec 16 1750  
 on her own and being dangerously Sick  
 earnestly desiring of it, present Stephen Hubbel  
 his Wife, Daniel Morris, and Alice, Kervine  
 witnesses

Amos Gregory, Son of Noah Bapt Dec 23 1750  
 Daniel the Son of Philip Bennett, Bapt Jan 12 1751  
 Samuel, Son of Ezra Hawley, Bapt Jan 20 1751  
 Anne, Daughter of Hope Chapman, Bapt Feb 3, 1751  
 Benjamin Son of David Hodgdon, Bapt Feb 3 - 1751  
 Abigail Daughter of Jabez Hubbel, Mar 17, 1751  
 Annie Daughter of Eleathan Shumant, Apr 14 1751  
 Leah, Daughter of Arzarish Odell, Bapt Apr 28, 1751  
 all 2 Sons of Jean Daug, of Wife of John Mann  
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 Charine Daugh<sup>r</sup> of Will<sup>m</sup> Bennett, Bapt Booted Apr 28, 1751  
 Nathan Son of Jabez Wheeler, Bapt May 11 1751  
 Common Son of David Wells, Bapt May 19 1751



Deacons in the Church

Deacon Samuel Sherwood, <sup>Did Sep. 2. 1732</sup> and was succeeded by  
Deacon Joseph Booth <sup>Sept. 30. 1733</sup>

Ensign Sherman - 1712 -

1717  
1719

Thomas Hawley - 1712

Henry Rowland - 1756

Litt. William Bennett - 1754

<sup>in 1756 was chosen</sup> Deacon Henry Rowland <sup>June 14 1773</sup>  
<sup>first in church gathered in western</sup> Keely Ulyah Sterling

Abel Leely

1776 resigned 1790

Jeth Seely

Elyah Howley

1825 (?)

Jeth Sherman

James E. Beach - 1806

John Purderson Austin -

William DeForest -

Voted - May 2d. 1712. That the person whose child, or child  
is to be baptized - provide the water - and return  
the basin - and napkin -



November 28<sup>th</sup> 1753

Robert Pops was solemnly ordained to the work of Ministry & to take of Pastoral Care of the Church of Christ in the Parish of Stratfield in the Colony of Connecticut.

January twenty first 1754

At a Church Meeting held by Appointment for choosing a Deacon. The Church being divided no vote was made & none was chosen. The journe<sup>al</sup> till January twenty eighth

January 20<sup>th</sup> At a Church Meeting held by Rejo<sup>urnment</sup> The Church was more divided than before no vote nor choice made. The Matter dropt for the present.

June 20<sup>th</sup> 1754

At a Church Meeting pro re nata. The Church being informed by the Pres<sup>ident</sup> Mr Pops that he was admitted as a Church Member by the Pres<sup>ident</sup> Samuel Taylor & affirmed as Letter of Recommendation Leuit Dall objected & signifies sundry of the Syn<sup>gog</sup> were uneasy.

June 27<sup>th</sup> - Met according to appointment. The Day being stormy & few Members present the Church being it amicable to adjourn & that Mr Pops desire Mr Hobart to preach a Lecture on July 4<sup>th</sup> & in case Mr Hobart cant attend to invite of Pres<sup>ident</sup> Mr Mills

July 4<sup>th</sup> 1754 - Met according to Appointment the Pres<sup>ident</sup> Mr Mills preached a sermon. Leuit Dall desired to read a Paper - which was granted. The Pres<sup>ident</sup> Mr Mills desired him to stay to hear his Objections answered which he refused to do signifying he would have no more to do with the Church until they gave of a better Temper. - for the Church being satisfied about of Letter of Recommendation



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proceeded to the choice of a Deacon & Laurence Tom  
Pannet was chosen by a large Majority - but Deaver  
time to consider if it inasmuch as he thinks he is  
not well qualified for such an important office

November 21 - 1755

At a Church Meeting after Lomon Mrs re nata Mr Prop  
informed the Church that the wife of Samuel Wells formerly  
of this Society but now removed to the Prov Mr Pymonard  
having renewed her Covenant here in this Church the Pres  
Mr Beebe on this day occasionally officiating now  
leaves a letter of Recommendation. Some of the brethren  
object - The Matter refer to another Church Meeting  
appointed Wednesday Nov 19 - 1755  
November - 19 - 1755 - The Affairs refer to the Association  
to meet Nov 21 - who Judge that some Crime  
must be specified

December 7 - 1755 At a Church Meeting voted  
that eight Shillings be paid immediately to the  
Deacon for the supply of the Lords Table the cruce  
ing year - Also voted to use Dr Watts's version of  
the Psalms instead of the old New Englands Psalms

Dr Watts  
Psalms  
introduced

1756 proceeded to the choice of another Deacon and  
Mr Henry Rowland was chosen

Jan.  
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Records of the Church of Christ in Stratfield

No records appear to be kept - by Mr Phipps or Mr Blatchford except - about 20 or 3 years of the first part of Mr Phipps' ministry

June 13. 1695 - The Church in Stratfield was gathered and at the same time the Rev. Charles Chauncy was ordained their Pastor - 9 Males were gathered into Church state on that day -

Mr Chauncy kept his records annually - Mr Cook, who succeeded him - was ordained in 1715 - and kept the records till 1719 - from that time till 1731. These records were neglected by him -

Rev. Lyman Hall - was ordained Sep. 27. 1749 - and left his charge in 1750 - or about that time -

Rev Robert Phipps was ordained Nov. 28. 1753 - and continued Pastor till 1800 he died 29 Aug. 1799.

Rev Sam. Blatchford was installed 22 Nov. 1797. and dignified by the consecration - 20 Mar. 1804.

Jan. 1. 1806

Rev Elijah Waterman was installed Jan. 1. 1806 over the Church and Congregation in Stratfield by the Eastern Consecration of Fairfield County -

The sermon was preached by the Rev Moses B. Welch of Mansfield - and published -

No records were to be found - of admissions to the Church or of baptisms during the Ministry of Mr Blatchford a neglect inexcusable and injurious -

I have endeavored to collect the names of those who Communicated and of those - who received baptism for themselves and children - who resided in the Society



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Church Records - for 1806

1806

Names of Communicants

- Males. Rev Phajah Waterman - Pastor —
- 1771 Deacon Seth Seelye
- \* Deacon Seth Sherman -
- 1771 John Cooke - (aged 91. Son of Rev M. Cooke —
- Abel Seelye
- Joseph Knapp
- \* Nehemiah Strong - (quondam Proprietor at Colby)
- Timothy Wheeler
- William Warden. Sen.
- 1790 — — — Josiah Lacy -
- Deac. James E. Beach - Chosen Deacon - Oct. 1806
- 1795 — — — Lambert Lockwood.
- Sam<sup>l</sup>. Penny
- 1800 Lewis Mallet
- 1797 — — Lewis Sturges
- William Warden Jun.
- 1800 Justin Smith
- 1798 — — \* John Nichols
- Hannah Treadwell - Total - - 19 -
1806. - { Stephen Sumnerd (Senior)
- William DeForest -
- Joseph Backus
- Robert Treadwell
- 1807 May 3 - \* Talbot Hawley
- ~~John Sturges~~
- Sept. 20. - Samuel Darling - and
- Nancy Darling - his wife



1806

Names of Communicants - 1806 (67)

Females

- Mary Sherman - wife of Deacon S. Sherman
  - M. Mary Lucy -
  - M. Eunice Sterling
  - M. Eunice Sterling 2 -
  - Mary Seelye - wife of Abel Seelye
  - M. Anne Hubbell -
  - M. Ellen Hubbell -
  - M. Anne Hubbell
  - M. Ellen Handley
  - M. Griswood Burroughs
  - M. Mary Hubbell -
  - M. Mary Ineadwell
  - Huldah Beach - wife of Dr. E. Beach
  - Griswood Wheeler - wife of Timo. Wheeler
  - Huldah Parikh - wife of Joel Parikh
  - Charity Sherman - wife of Deacon Sherman
  - Nancy Warden - wife of Saml. Warden
  - Rebecca Sherman - wife of David Sherman
  - Elizabeth Lockwood - wife of Leml. Lockwood
  - Lucy Waterman - wife of Rev. W. Waterman
  - Jemima Penny - wife of Saml. Penny
  - Kathey Symmes - wife of Stephen Symmes
  - Jemima Burr - wife of Saml. Burr
  - Hannah Dudley - wife of Abel Dudley
  - Jacupha Cable - wife of Saml. Cable
  - Anne Lucy - wife of Josiah Lucy
  - Mary Sturges - wife of Lewis Sturges
  - Irene Hull - wife of H. B. Hull
  - Sonith - wife of Justice Smith
  - Anne Mallet - wife of Lewis Mallet
  - Dorcas Warden - wife of H. Warden Jr.
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- Total - 32
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- 1807 -
- Mrs. Anna Seelye -
  - Mary Sumner - wife of Stephen Sumner
  - Sally DeForest - wife of William DeForest
  - Huldah Parker - wife of Joseph Parker
  - Sophia Ineadwell - wife of Robert Ineadwell
  - Phidene Gregory - wife of James Gregory
  - W. Miniam Hubbell
  - Sally Sterling -

March 4 1807

March 1 1807  
May 3



1806

Names of those Members of the Church  
who have come with their themselves and  
children to Baptism - - - -

Sam<sup>r</sup> Hawley and Lucy his wife -  
+ Abijah Hawley and Polly his wife

David Hawley -  
+ Aaron Hawley and Griswold his wife

+ Wilson Hawley and Charity his wife  
Guidon Hawley and Anne his wife

+ W<sup>r</sup> Muth Hawley - *once Monehouse*  
Deborah Hawley

Salmon Hawley and Anne his wife  
Salmon Hubbell and Sarah his wife

Dechiel Hubbell and Catharine his wife  
~~W<sup>r</sup> Muth Hawley -~~

Aaron Hubbell and Sally his wife  
David Hubbell and Anne his wife

+ Joseph Strong -  
+ Silas Sherman and Abbe his wife

Abijah Monehouse and Rachel his wife  
Stephen Sumner and Phebe his wife

Sam<sup>r</sup> Burr -  
+ Ezra Gregory and Sarah his wife

+ Stephen Hull and Abigail his wife  
Thomas Gouge and Muth his wife

David Stetson and Deborah his wife  
Nathaniel Wade and Muth his wife

+ William Deforrest and Sally his wife  
Daniel Fayweather and Phebe his wife

+ Samuel Warden -  
Isabod Lewis -  
Thomas Mowthwell and his wife  
+ W<sup>r</sup> Ann Maker -  
+ Elijah Burr and Deborah his wife  
David Maker and Esther his wife



1806

Names of the Church Members

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who have come with their families and their children  
to the ordinance of baptism —

- ✓ Sarah Stelling
- ✓ David Morgan and his wife —
- ✓ ~~Missa Hawley and Charity his wife~~
- ✓ Edward Burroughs and his wife Elizabeth
- ✓ Polly Burroughs
- ✓ ~~Edson Hawley and Anne his wife~~
- ✓ Stephen Sumner and Mary his wife
- ✓ James Gregory and Philena his wife
- ✓ Abraham Parrot and his wife Abraham Parrot
- ✓ Philip Stelling and Martha his wife
- ✓ ~~Martha Hawley~~
- ✓ Asel Dudley

Total 71

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- ✓ Primes Freeman and Chloee his wife (Huyons)
- ✓ Thomas Freeman and Chloee his wife
- ✓ Betty Smith Wife of Grace Smith

1807

- ✓ ✓ Zachariah Sherwood and Anna his wife
- ✓ ✓ William Bistey and Lavina his wife



An Account of the Children baptised during the  
time of Mr Profs Ministry in Stratfield  
who was ordained Nov. 2. 1753

Decr 2 1753 Miah Daughter to David Wheelers, was  
baptized.  
Decr 3<sup>rd</sup> 1753 Eden & Son of David Wheelers, Eunice  
& Daughter of George Morit, Sarah & Daughter of y<sup>e</sup> Widow  
Sarah Broadwell, were baptised by y<sup>e</sup> Rev Mr Roberts

Decr 15<sup>th</sup> Pueth & Daughter of Gesham Odell, was  
born after was expected by all y<sup>e</sup> his wife would die French  
& baptised y<sup>e</sup> same Day became weakly a while y<sup>e</sup> French  
Jan: 27-1754 baptised Hannah & Daughter of Joseph French y<sup>e</sup> French  
Jan: 13-1754 baptised Elizabeth Daughter of Joseph French (Burri)

Feb-17 1754 - baptised Stephen Son of Stephen & Eunice Staley.  
Feb-24-1754 baptised Josephiah Son of Elizabeth & May Odell.

March-10-1754 baptised Stephen & Son of John & Barbara  
March 17<sup>th</sup> 1754 baptised Thaddeus & Son of Thaddeus  
brent.

March 20<sup>th</sup> 1754 baptised Robert Channing, & Son of  
Robert & Anne

April 21<sup>st</sup> 1754 baptised, Lois & Daughter of Gesham  
Hubbell.

April 1754 baptised Comfort & Daughter of Ephraim Day,  
N B They two were baptised by Mr French

July 14 - baptised Peter & Son of Amos  
Lackhouse.

August 18<sup>th</sup> Baptised Catharine the Daughter of Louis  
Sullivan - -