

ABOUT OUR CHURCH AND AREA

Nestled in the beautiful hills surrounding Granville stands a quintessential New England country church. Originally founded in 1789, with a rich and full history, South Granville Congregational Church (SGCC) today is a thriving church of about 45 strong believers who enjoy faith, fellowship, and service. We live and worship together serving God and our community.

Listed in the National Registry of Historical Places, SGCC has been a beacon of love, hope, and spiritual guidance for over 200 years. Notable pastors include Lemuel Haynes (1822–1833), the first ordained Black, abolitionist Pastor in the United States.

As an independent Congregational Church, we believe that the Holy Bible is the Inspired Word of God. You will find Biblical preaching during our services and Bible Studies. We also believe in the tenets of the Apostles' Creed.

We have the Adirondack Mountains to the west, the Green Mountains of Vermont to the east, and Lake George, Saratoga Springs, Lake Placid and many other lakes and state/local parks nearby. Not only are we surrounded by the four-season glory of nature, but we also have incredible hiking, boating, cycling, skiing, and other outdoor recreational activities. As a bonus, this area is steeped in history and significant historical sites.