



The Transition Team is very pleased to announce that the new designated term pastor of The First Church in Belfast is Rev. Joshua Fitterling. He will serve as a three-year designated term minister. At the end of Rev. Fetterling's designated term of three years, his term can be extended by the church, he can apply to become the settled or long term pastor, or he and the church can part company. At a special council meeting on April 2, the church council approved the covenant agreement between The First Church in Belfast and Rev. Fitterling.

Originally from Pennsylvania, Rev. Fitterling was ordained in 2015. He has served churches in Maine and Massachusetts. On Sunday, April 16, Rev. Fitterling will conduct the worship service at The First Church in Belfast. Please join us after worship at the coffee hour for an opportunity to meet Pastor Josh and to welcome him and his husband, Mason. They have found a home in Belfast and will move here in early June. Pastor Josh will begin working full time with our faith community on June 6th, and begin leading our worship services on Sunday, June 11th