

# First United Methodist Church

July 20, 2025

6th Sunday after Pentecost

**Personal Hearing Amplifiers on shelf next to center doors**

Welcome and Announcements    Welcome Susan Conway  
Prelude

Responsive Call to Worship: Jeanne Thatcher

L: We come into God's presence,

**P: like green olive trees in the house of God.**

L: We drink deep from the waters of life,

**P: like young saplings in the courtyard of the Lord.**

L: We ripen in the light of God,

**P: like the fruit of God's vineyard.**

L: Come! Let us worship.

Message for the Child in All of Us

\*Those who are able are invited to stand

\*Hymn: #103    "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

Prayer of Yearning (unison)

**When the winds of life buffet us, O God, we need your hand to hold us and your love to make us whole. Speak words of peace to our aching hearts, that we might find the courage to embrace the fullness of life you place before us. Correct our sight when our vision fades, and lead in right paths when we lose our way. Amen.**

Silent Prayer

Words of Assurance

First Scripture Reading: Colossians 1:15-28 (page 1832)

L: This is the word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God**

Music for Meditation

Mission Moment

Call to Prayer -#2193 (stay seated)

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place;*

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace.*

Joys & Concerns

\*Gospel Reading: Luke 10:38-42 (page 1613)

L: This is the word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God**

Message:                    "Focus"                    Rev. Tyler

\*Hymn # 2128    "Come and Find the Quiet Center"

Holy Communion – page 15 (*All are invited and welcome to receive*)

*Communion will be brought to you by the pastor and lay leaders. Hold out your hand to receive the bread or wafer, carefully take a cup from the tray, and place your used cup in the container. Offerings can be left in the plates at the doors as you leave the sanctuary.*

\*Hymn #2065    "More Precious than Silver"

\*Benediction

Postlude

Sunday, July 20

9:00 Worship Service Live & on-line

Monday:

Tuesday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting

Wednesday:

Thursday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting

1:00 Creating with Pastor Scott

Friday:

Saturday:

9-2:00 Thrift Shop

Sunday, July 27

9:00 Worship Service Live & on-line

Monday:

Tuesday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting

Wednesday:

Thursday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting

Friday:

Saturday:

9-2:00 Thrift Shop

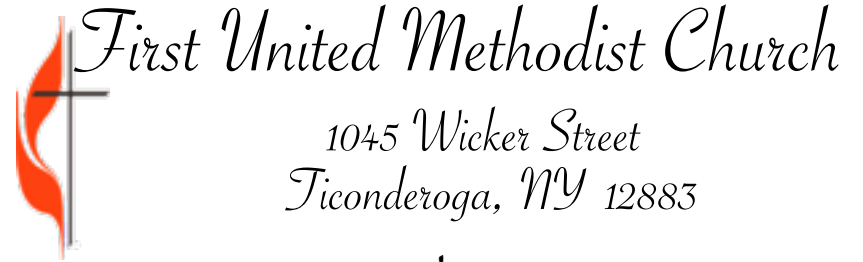
Sunday, August 3

9:00 Worship Service Live & on-line

4:30 Free Community Dinner

Pastor: Rev. Scott Tyler

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July 20

“‘Martha, Martha,’ the Lord answered,  
‘you are worried and upset about  
many things,  
but only one thing is needed.’”

Luke 10:29-30

July 27

“He was praying in a certain place, and  
after he had finished, one of his  
disciples said to him, ‘Lord, teach us to  
pray, as John taught his disciples.’”

Luke 11:1

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# Prayer List of our Faith Community

† Our Church Family \* New on the list this week ♦ Answered prayer

*Please help us keep the prayer list **updated** and **spelled** properly.*

†Grace Ambrus	Pat Ida	Betty Thompson
†John Anello	Richard Johndrow	†Mary Thompson
James Beaty	†Marion& Howard	Keith Thorne
Jim Barns	Lamphere	†Pam Thorne
†Margaret	†Larry	*Richard Tyler
Beuerlein	Launderville	†Fred Viault
Wanda Benson	†Joe Liddell	†Joan Viault
Bill Bondesen	Lilyann	†Bill & Ann
†Josie Bougor	Judy Marcotte	Westervelt
Jim Boyce	†Melanie Marshall	Jeff Wilson
†Todd Condon	Jean McKee	Wendy Winchill
Dayton Dedrick	<b>Military &amp; their</b>	<b>Youth growing in</b>
Betty Dolback	<b>families</b>	<b>faith</b>
†Dave Ferguson	Kendyl Molina	
†Ed Flack	Ann Morette	
Scott Fleming	Maria Novello	
Alan Forgette	Nancy Olcott	
Frank Guido	Ed Parker	
†Keith Halcomb	Parker Family	
†Beth Hanley	Liz Shaw	
Emma Helms	†Evelyn Shuart	
Pat Hintze	Maureen Stacy	
David Hurlburt	†Carl Thatcher	
	†Albert Thompson	

## July 20& 27, 2025

Free Community Dinner  
August 3, 4:30-6pm



This is the church QR code for smart phone donations.

Thrift Shop (585-2242)  
Sorts T&Th Shop: Sat. 9-2:00


The Ticonderoga Food Pantry M/W/F 11:00am-Noon.

**Painting (Etc.) with the Pastor**  
In Fellowship Hall, July 24  
Bring your projects, creativity, and self.  
If your project isn't portable, come and share ideas, etc.

Please sign up to help with the Communion Ministry  
and Altar Candle lighting, and summer readings.

*Thank you for your continued financial support of  
your faith community's missions.*

**Flowers on the Altar  
are Given to the Glory of God**



# First United Methodist Church

July 27, 2025  
7th Sunday after Pentecost

**Personal Hearing Amplifiers on shelf next to center doors**

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Responsive Call to Worship: Sandra Trepainer

L: Before we even knock,

**P: Christ opens the doors and invites us in.**

L: Before we even ask,

**P: God knows our every need.**

L: Come to seek; come to pray; come to worship,

**P: for the Spirit has called us here.**

Message for the Child in All of Us

\*Those who are able are invited to stand

\*Hymn: #2202 “Come Away with Me”

Prayer of Yearning (unison)

**Grow in our lives, Christ Jesus. Make our hearts larger with each gift of your grace. Make our spirits stronger with each moment of your mercy. As you fill our lives with your presence, fill our hearts with your love, that we might grow into your likeness. As we grow in your love, may we give our love and grace as freely as you have generously given your love to us. Amen.**

Silent Prayer

Words of Assurance

First Scripture Reading: Ephesians 6:18-20 (page 1824)

L: This is the word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God**

Music for Meditation

Mission Moment

Call to Prayer -#2193 (stay seated)

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place;*

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace.*

Joys & Concerns

\*Gospel Reading: Luke 11:1-13 (page 1613)

L: This is the word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God**

Message: “Persistence in Prayer” Rev. Tyler

\*Hymn #405 “Seek Ye First”

Holy Communion – page 15 (*All are invited and welcome to receive*)

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\*Hymn #526 “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

\*Benediction

Postlude