



First United Methodist Church

August 16, 2026
12th Sunday after Pentecost

Personal Hearing Amplifiers on shelf next to center doors
Welcome and Announcements and Prelude

Responsive Call to Worship: Donnie Norton

L: When hatred and division separate us,

P: God's love binds us together.

L: When quarrels estrange us,

P: Christ's grace brings reconciliation.

L: When we feel excluded and left out,

P: The Spirit's peace eases our pain.

L: Come! Let us worship the One who makes us one.

Message for the Child in All of Us

*Those who are able are invited to stand

*Hymn #57 Vs 1-4 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Prayer of Yearning (unison)

Merciful God, fill us with mercy and compassion for those who trigger deep-seated prejudices against those who offend us. Open our hearts, O God, to those who seem different and strange. For we long to know the joy of living in peace, and the hope of living in harmony, with those we would rather live without. Amen.

Silent Prayer

Words of Assurance

First Scripture Reading: Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32 (page 1761)

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God

Music to Meditate on God's Word

Moment for Mission

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: Matthew 15:10-28 (page 1521)

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God

Message: "Living from Christ's Heart" Rev. Tyler

*Hymn #374

"Standing on the Promises"

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 #383

"This Is a Day of New Beginnings"

*Benediction /Postlude

Pastor: Rev. Scott Tyler

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Sunday, August 16

9:00 Worship Service Live & on-line
Fellowship Coffee by the Westervelts

Monday:

Tuesday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting

Wednesday:

Thursday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting

Friday:

Saturday:

9-2:00 Thrift Shop

Sunday, August 23

9:00 Worship Service Live & on-line

Coming Soon: August 30- Bluegrass Sunday!

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

*Flowers on the Altar
are given
By Ann & Bill
Westervelt
to honor their fathers*

Please sign up to help with the
Communion Ministry.

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*“Then Jesus said to her,
“Woman, you have great faith!
Your request is granted.”
And her daughter was healed
at that moment.”*

Matthew 15:28



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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.*

Peggy Ainsling	Scott Fleming	George Savage
Rose Allen	Alan Forgette	Shep
*†Margot Anello	Jennifer Gonyea	Maureen Stacy
Jim Barns	†Charlie Gonyea	♦†Carl Thatcher
†Carol Barnwell	Frank Guido	†Albert Thompson
Jeff Barry	†Debra Halcomb	Betty Thompson
†Jane Bassett	†Keith Halcomb	†Mary Thompson
James Beatty	†Beth Hanley	Sadie Thompson
†Margaret Beuerlein	Emmet Hargett	Keith Thorne
Wanda Benson	Emma Helms	†Pam Thorne
Bill Bondesen	David Hurlburt	†Walter Thorne
†Josie Bougor	†Marge Hurlburt	Alan Trombley
Debbie Boyce	Keisha	<i>Richard Tyler</i>
Jim Boyce	†Joe Liddell	Fred Vradenburg
Terry Butler	Lilly Ann	Jeff Wilson
†Todd Condon	†Melanie Marshall	Wendy Winchill
†Jerry Cooper	Military & their families	†Judy Woodard
Ron Drinkwine		Rev. George Wirth
Lane Duval	Maria Novello	†Richard Wray
Gary Ferris	Nancy Olcott	Youth growing in faith
†Dave Ferguson	Brian Phillips	
†Ed Flack	Liz Shaw	
†Skip Flack	Jody Sherman	

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Thank you!

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

Thrift Shop Big Deal
All Yellow Tag Housewares:
Buy One, Get One Free!

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

Flowers for the Altar
Sign up to bring flowers
or plants from your garden-
Houseplants welcome!

August 16- Fellowship Coffee

August 30- Bluegrass Sunday!