

WELCOME
We are pleased that you are worshipping with us today. We hope the service will be a blessing to you. Today is the 10th Sunday after Pentecost. Please join us after the service for coffee time. Let us now be in silence as we prepare to service and listen to the prelude.
Flowers are in memory of William Brezovsky from Perry Capasso & Boles Family
MUSICAL PRELUDE “They’ll Know We Are Christians By Our Love” TFWS 2230

WORDS OF ASSURANCE (In Unison)
Be assured that God’s love is sufficient to come and save us.
In the warmth of the sun, the fertility of the soil, and the refreshment of life-giving water, we have been given all that we need. God hears our cries and asks us to Turn again to the Lord who always loves each of us. Remember God's loving mercies and faithfulness. AMEN

INVITATION TO WORSHIP
Leader: The Lord told us to sing a new song!
People: We sing a song of peace and hope!
Leader: Sing to the Lord a song of strength.
People: Our strength is in the Lord of hosts!
Leader: Sing to the Lord a song of joy!
People: Our song is a song of service and faithfulness
Leader: How shall we continue in service to the Lord.
People: The Lord calls us to grow in faithfulness.
Leader: Come, let us worship the Lord who delights in our faithfulness.
People: Let us open our hearts to God, trusting in God's ways and God's word.
AMEN
GATHERING SONG “Trust and Obey” UMH 467

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (In Unison)
Lord of light and life, you have called us this day to open our hearts, our minds, our spirits to hear your words of encouragement, healing, and hope. we ask for your presence and your guidance. Help us to be faithful servants to you and to others. Give us patience and willingness to serve you in all that we do.

Show us the way, through Jesus your Son, to discern your will, hear your word, and grow in your ways... In Jesus' Name, we pray. AMEN

TIME WITH GOD’S KIDS **** SECOND SUNDAY OFFERING ****

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS
(Prayer request forms are available at the back of the sanctuary)

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

PRAYER RESPONSE “Let it Breathe on Me” UMH 503

GIVING OF OURSELVES & OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “Amazing Grace” (Soloist Thomas Baldwin)

DOXOLOGY “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 95

UNISON PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGING
Loving God, we offer our gifts today into your nurturing hands. Receive the devotions of our labors, the fruits of our vines, and all that we are and know, that we may make a difference in our homes, in our communities, and in our world. Receive these gifts we bring as our pledge to live our beliefs, through Jesus Christ, the perfecter of our faith. Amen

SONG OF COMMITMENT “Breathe on me Breath of God” UMH 420

SPECIAL READING Canticle of Covenant Faithfulness UMH 125

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (Please Stand) UMH 881

GLORIA PATRI *(We use this ancient response to praise God for the Bible)* UMH 70
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

SCRIPTURE Luke 12:49-56

SHARING THE STORY Interpreting the Times Pastor Joyce Royal
WE SCATTER TO SERVE

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE
August 15, Food Pantry 10:00 - 1:00 PM @ 316 No Main
Free Lunch on Monday August 15, 2022 - Take out only. 11:30 AM-12:30 PM Stop in to see Nancy and Ron and Penna. They work very hard to make this Mission a successful one for North Main, and while you are visiting, get your free "Grab and Go" lunch...
August 18, 2022 3:30-6:00 Neighborhood Engagement at Darling Field starts at 3:30... Come for some fun and information... Our Therapy Dog Abracadabra will be there to greet... fun for everyone... Free snacks to the first 50 kids...
August 21... Administrative Board meet after church in Fellowship Hall.
August 27... Back Pack Give-A-Way and Food Truck Party
October 29, 2022... @ 3:45 North Main Annual Church Conference at ADK Worship Ctr.

SENDING SONG “Let There be Peace on Earth” UMH431

THE SENDING FORTH
Plant us again in your garden, O Lord. Help us to grow in our witness and service to you by serving others. Guide us as we ponder the ways that we can bring peace to this Earth. May your peace always be with us and with everyone we meet as we continue to place our lives in your loving hands. AMEN

MUSICAL POSTLUDE “In the Garden” UMH 314

Worship Reader: Nancy Cairo Estes Music: Mavis Baldwin
Prayer List: Gerri Wood’s Family, Don Bonfey’s Family (Nancy Morey), The Cowles Family, Cheryl Bielli’s Family, The family of Tina Perry, Family of Judy Davis, Nancy March’s family, The Marshall family, The family of Jimmy Gordon and the Schrum family, Jean Hart, Gregory Coon, The Degnans, Carol Johnson, and any other prayers in your heart this day.

*** If you have a prayer request or would like to be a part of the Prayer Chain please call Carol Johnson @ 518-921-9902

Welcome to Worship

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We Gather to WorshipWe Scatter to Serve

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

