### **CALENDAR**

Monday, Nov. 17	6:00pm	Raise the Roof Mtg	CL
	6:30pm	Karate	FH
	7:00pm	Boy Scouts	В
Tuesday, Nov. 18	1:00pm	Knitters	CL
	6:00pm	ADK Voices	CL
	7:00pm	ADK Voices	FH
Thursday, Nov 20	4:30pm	Bell Rehearsal	FH
	7:00pm	OA Scout Mtg.	В
	7:00pm	Karate	FH
Friday, Nov. 21	10:00am	Ladies Group @ Panera Bread	
	6:00pm	Hometown Board	K
Saturday, Nov.22	8:00pm	A.A.	FH
Sunday, Nov. 23	9:30am	Choir Rehearsal	S
	10:00am	Pancake Breakfast	FH
	11:00am	Worship	



IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK: Barry Mix, Stewart Family-Grandson Conner, The Homeless, Those with Food Insecurity Reminder: If you would like a name added to our prayer list, please call or email the office with the information. In order to add someone's name (other than your own) you will first need that person's permission. Keep in mind if you are admitted to the hospital you must request for the pastor to be notified if you would like him to visit. Thank you.

# Christ Church United Methodist November 16, 2025



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## **Welcome to Worship**

\*All are invited to stand.

Prelude 3<sup>rd</sup> Suite:Air from Water Music by Handel

Welcome and Announcements

\*Hymn #2088 Lord, I Lift Your Name on High

Stewardship Moment Paul Dowen

Scripture Luke 21:5-19 Kenis Sweet

Message "Temple, Treasure, and Testimony" Rev. Rich Weihing

\*Hymn #2065 More Precious than Silver

Offering Our Gifts

Choir Anthem Prayer of the Children Kurt Bestor

Doxology #94

Sharing In Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn #593 Here I Am, Lord

Benediction

Postlude Everytime I Feel the Spirit All Seasons P.23

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Consecration Sunday Today:** Please pray about your involvement in Christ Church and our ministries, and about your commitment to supporting our work through your Prayers, Presence, Gifts and Service, as we pledge in our baptismal and membership vows. We will dedicate our pledge cards at the conclusion of worship, followed by a *Celebration Lunch* in the Fellowship Hall.

A Note from Our Choir Director: If anyone would like to try out choir by joining us for the Christmas season, please stay for rehearsals after our morning service on November 16<sup>th</sup>, December 7<sup>th</sup> and December 23<sup>rd</sup> to learn the music we will be singing on Christmas Eve. On December 24<sup>th</sup> we will meet at 5:30pm. See Catherine Reid with questions.

Church's food collection mission to supply food (unexpired), as well as paper and hygiene products, to the local food pantries. Amid the ongoing government shutdown, there are plans to suspend SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) benefits and possibly not restore them. This will impact roughly 42 million Americans for whom food insecurity is already an issue. If and when SNAP benefits are reinstated, new restrictions are planned. Among the proposed changes are lowering the age of dependent children to 14 and raising the work requirement to 64, ending exemptions for veterans, homeless people, and young adults aging out of foster care. As winter and the holidays are approaching your assistance is greatly needed and appreciated. Thank you for supporting our ongoing mission.

Advent Study: Celebrating Abundance by Walter Brueggemann. "Advent is a time for telling the truth—the truth of our weariness and our anxiety, yes, but also the truth of the relentless generosity of God... Brueggemann invites us to consider God's newness and abundance that are always breaking into our settled lives." As we find ourselves in a world that seems overwhelmed with weariness, anxiety, fearfulness, we are also moving into a season of faith that invites us to celebrate and imagine once again the wonder and possibilities of the new life that will come among us. Let us enter together into this season seeking, imagining, expecting 'the newness and abundance of God'. We are grateful to Rev. Nancy Dibelius, who will lead our study. We will meet on Sundays beginning November 30 at 12:15 in the Chapel Lounge. A light lunch will be served for each session. There will be some books available for those who don't want to order their own. See Dawn in the church office. Cost is \$13.00.

Emergency Sunday Supper – To try and help with food insecurities, there will be another supper today, Nov. 16 at 5:00pm. Come and share a free meal, bring your family & friends. All are Welcome!

Pancake Breakfast will be served on Sunday November 23 at 10:00am.

**Adopt-A-Family--Helping Families at Christmas:** On Sunday, November 23 you will have the opportunity to help area families for Christmas. Working with Family Services, we have been given details of items that are needed and some that are wanted for 15 children from 5 different families. We will also provide food gift cards for their Christmas dinner.

### **Community Events**

**Hometown Thanksgiving Presents -** A Free, delicious, home cooked meal with all the trimmings. Thanksgiving Day dinner is served 12 - 2:00pm in our Fellowship Hall. Hometown Thanksgiving is a meal put on by the community, for the community. Flyers are available on the entrance tables with details on how to contact the committee for deliveries and rides.

**Organ Concert** Sunday, Nov. 23 at 4:00pm at the First Presbyterian Church, Glens Falls. Hugh Allen Wilson Centenary Concerts Featuring; Bryan Kirk, organist and the Glens Falls Symphony, Charles Peltz, conductor

Tickets through the Symphony Office 518 793-1348 OR <u>www.theglensfallssymphony.org</u> Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$35.00

*More information can be found on the church website fpcgh.org/concerts*