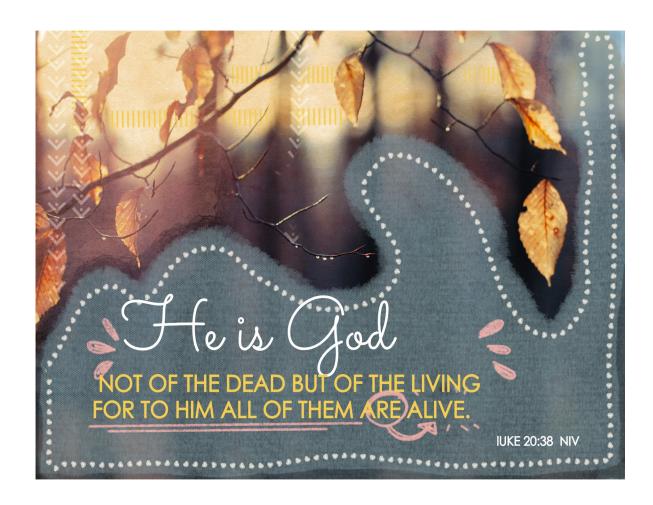
## **CALENDAR**

| Monday, Nov. 10  | 6:30pm  | Karate                      | FH                         |  |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--|
|                  | 7:00pm  | Boy Scouts                  | В                          |  |
| Tuesday, Nov. 11 | 1:00pm  | Knitters                    | CL                         |  |
|                  | 6:00pm  | ADK Voices                  | CL                         |  |
|                  | 7:00pm  | ADK Voices                  | FH                         |  |
| Thursday, Nov 13 | 10:30am | Preschool Thankful P        | reschool Thankful Party FH |  |
|                  | 4:30pm  | Bell Rehearsal              | FH                         |  |
|                  | 7:00pm  | Karate                      | FH                         |  |
| Friday, Nov. 14  | 10:00am | Ladies Group @ Panera Bread |                            |  |
|                  | 6:00pm  | Hometown Board              | K                          |  |
| Saturday, Nov.15 | 8:00pm  | A.A.                        | FH                         |  |
| Sunday, Nov. 16  | 9:30am  | Choir Rehearsal             | S                          |  |
|                  | 11:00am | Worship                     |                            |  |
|                  | 12:00pm | Consecration Lunch          | FH                         |  |
|                  |         |                             |                            |  |



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 9, 2025



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## **Welcome to Worship**

Welcome and Announcements

\*Hymn #2212

Stewardship Moment

Scripture Luke 20:27-38

Message

\*Hymn #389

Offering Our Gifts
Choir Anthem

REFRAIN: We till the earth, we tend the ground

sowing hope and peace where none is found.

In selfless love God's life abounds. We till the earth, we tend the ground.

Doxology #94

Sharing In Prayer

\*Hymn #2210

Benediction

Postlude

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Christ Church Grocery Cart: Many thanks for your continued support of Christ 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.

**Consecration Sunday:** Please join us to celebrate God's wondrous generosity and our faithful response as an act of worship on Sunday, November 16. 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 as an act of worship on 11/16 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.

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 – Admidst possible delays or cuts to SNAP benefits this month, we are hosting another supper. Today, Sunday, Nov. 9 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:** We will be adopting families in the community to help make their Christmas a bit brighter. Working with Family Services, we will be given details of items that are needed and some that are wanted for each child in the family. We will also provide food gift cards for their Christmas dinner. We are hoping to have the requested list from Family Services available on Sunday Nov. 23.

#### **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.

## \* First Presbyterian Church offers two **Organ Concerts** in November

Friday, Nov. 14 at 7:30pm Annual Beeman Organ Concert Featuring duo organists, Ken Cowan and Bradley Hunter Welch Suggested Donation of \$15.00 with a reception to follow.

Sunday, Nov. 23 at 4:00pm 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

www.theglensfallssymphony.org

Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$35.00

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