

Church on the Cape
United Methodist Church
Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost
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World Communion Sunday



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WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

HYMN SING

Susie Goodwin

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Thank you Diane Hutchins for hosting Coffee Hour this week.
- Please see the next to last page of the bulletin for information on how you can donate to the Hurricane Helene relief effort.

PRELUDE

“Let Us Break Bread Together”

Traditional Spiritual; Dale Wood, arr.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP , adapted from Psalm 26

Leader: Help me to walk with integrity, Lord,

People: **to trust you without wavering.**

Leader: Test my heart and mind,

People: **For I would be faithful to you.**

Leader: Keep me away from the company of evildoers,

People: **and save me from those who would lead me astray.**

Leader: Lead me to your altar, O Lord,

People: **That I might sing aloud a song of thanksgiving!**

Leader: Bring me to the place where your glory abides,

People: **That I may always remember your wondrous deeds.**

Leader: Place my feet on level ground,

People: **Be gracious to me and redeem me.**

Leader: In the great congregation I will bless the Lord!

People: **Bless the Lord! Amen!**

UNISON PRAYER

Creator God, through whom all things exist, who brings your many children to glory through the gift of Jesus, the pioneer of our faith; this day we join with our sisters and brothers around the world in remembering the great gift that you give us in Jesus, our Lord. For the opportunity to eat and drink together and for the life we have received, we give you thanks and praise. In the abundance of your many gifts, grant us grace to fill one another's lives with love. Redeem, restore and remold us until we are made new. Transform our daily bread in to the bread of life, and the cup that we drink into the cup of salvation. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-11

Today we begin a series of readings from Hebrews. In this introduction, the writer describes how God speaks through Christ and begins to ponder the nature of the redeeming work that we experience in Christ.

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 10: 1-16

MESSAGE

"What does he mean?"

OFFERING

"Upon Thy Table, Lord"

Southern Harmony; Dale Wood, arr.

*DOXOLOGY

*HYMN

"One Bread, One Body"

UMH #620

MUSICAL COMMUNION

Setting A, hymnal p. 17

*HYMN

"As We Gather at Your Table"

TFWS #2268

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

"Praise the Lord, Rise Up Rejoicing"

Johann Löhner, Johann Adam Hiller; Dale Wood, arr



PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Connie Lou (Friend of Judy Tripp)
Alice Bruton
Ada Byrnes
Judy Cadieux
Julie Chase
Mary Heather Cookson
Risha Deary
Jose Duddy
Bob & Sally Ewton
Matthew Gould
Steven Horan
Jeanne Howarth
Lesa Kraft Angelos

Emily King
Brett LaCour
Nicholas LaCour
Charity Perry Liutai
Chloe McLaughlin
Marybeth Munroe
Helen Neff
Nancy Russo
Lettie Samuel
Roberta Sanborn
Sandy St. Jean
Janet Vitanza
Chuck Wildes
Martha Young



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Wendy Emmons
Bill Matthews
Bob King
Beryl Samia
Paula Farnell
Debbie Parsons
Helen Neff
Jim Oppert
Olivia Spencer
Bruce Donath
Bill Goodwin
Rohi Atwater
Ada Byrnes
Linda Woodard

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Sunday October 6	9:45 a.m.	Hymn Sing
	10:00 a.m.	Worship
	11:00 p.m.	Coffee Hour
	1:30 p.m.	Communion at Huntington Common
Mon. October 7	10:00 a.m.	Chimes Rehearsal
	2:00 p.m.	Meet the Bishop—Auburn UMC
Tuesday October 8	10:00 a.m.	Knitters
	11:30 p.m.	Picnic Lunch (Bring Your Own Food)
	12:30 p.m.	Disciple Bible Study
	1:30 p.m.	Prelude Fair Meeting
	2-4 p.m.	Cargo Shop Open
	7:00 p.m.	Finance Committee
Wednesday October 9	9:30 –1:30 p.m.	Missions Planning Retreat
	3:45 p.m.	Senior Moments Rehearsal
	7:00 p.m.	Trustees Meeting
Thursday October 10	9:30 a.m.	Ministry of Caring
	2-4 p.m.	Cargo Shop Open
	5:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Sat. October 12	10-12	Cargo Shop Open

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday October 13	9:45 a.m.	Hymn Sing
	10:00a.m.	Worship
	11:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour
Mon. October 14		Office Closed (Holiday)
	10:00 a.m.	Chimes Rehearsal
Tuesday October 15	10:00 a.m.	Knitters
	11:30 p.m.	Picnic Lunch (Bring Your Own Food)
	2-4 p.m.	Cargo Shop Open
Wed. October 16	12:30p.m.	Education Committee Meeting
	3:45 p.m.	Senior Moments Rehearsal
	4:20 p.m.	Bon Appetit
Thursday October 17	2-4 p.m.	Cargo Shop Open
	4:00 p.m.	Worship Committee
	5:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Sat. October 19	10-12	Cargo Shop Open
	1:00 p.m.	Roy Bruton Memorial Service

ROY BRUTON MEMORIAL SERVICE

Roy Burton's memorial service will be here at Church on the Cape, **on October 19, at 1:00 p.m.**

LAITY SUNDAY SERVICE, OCTOBER 20TH

Bruce Donath, the Lay Leader, is leading the planning of the Laity Sunday service and is seeking folks who are ready to speak 4-5 minutes about a personal spiritual experience – your personal spiritual journey, a moving event that brought you closer to God, or a story that has inspired your religious life. And, he is seeking a planning partner to help put it all together. Call **617-974-1368** or email Bruce at bruce-donath@gmail.com or leave a message for Bruce.

TERRY MOULTON MEMORIAL SERVICE

Terry Moulton's memorial service will be here at Church on the Cape, **on October 26 , at 12:00 p.m.** *(Please note the time has changed)*

GRACE STREET MINISTRIES

It's not too late to give!

We are still collecting money for the Dunkin Donuts Gift Cards.

As Pastor Jeff reminds us, the gift card truly is more than just a cup of coffee. It allows those who are out in the elements to be inside as a buying customer and have coffee and something to eat. Bring your checks or cash to worship on Sunday, drop it off in the office , or mail it to Church on the Cape. Please clearly mark your check or envelope with the word, "SOCKS" PO Box 2740 Kennebunkport, ME 04046.

MECHUWANA ADULT MAKER'S (CRAFTERS)

October 17-20, 2024

At Camp Mechuwana in Winthrop Maine

Retreat leader Elizabeth Bailey-Mitchell invites you to come to Mechuwana and relax with others who enjoy sewing, crochet, knitting, scrap-booking/stamping, embroidery, or other “maker” crafts. Bring your UFOs (unfinished objects) or learn a new skill. Beginners welcome. We have makers eager to teach their favorite craft. There will also be time for worship and walks in the woods. Come for the whole retreat, or just a day or two. Housing will be in the retreat buildings, with meals provided at the Commons. Check-in is at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday leaving after breakfast on Sunday. Space is limited to 40. Cost is \$145 per person. You can find out more information by visiting <https://www.mechuwana.org/events> or call them at 207-377-2924.

GIVE

Donations enable UMCOR to respond quickly and effectively to disasters as they arise.

100% of gifts made to UMCOR go directly to help those in need.



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Hurricane Helene has devastated parts of the southeastern U.S., bringing catastrophic wind, rain and flash flooding to many states and communities.

In response, UMCOR is coordinating with affected annual conferences and supporting their local relief efforts.

UMCOR has awarded solidarity grants to the North and South Georgia annual conferences with multiple grants in process for other annual conferences. Additionally, UMCOR-trained Early

Response Teams (ERTs) are coordinating efforts to support the removal of debris, tarping of roofs, and cleaning out of homes in hard-hit areas. If you would like to donate you can give online at <https://umcmmission.org/advance-project/901670/> or you can write a check. Please make it out to Church on the Cape and the memo line use this Advance Special # 901607. Thank you.

CHURCH CONFERENCE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The date of our Annual Church conference (also known as Charge Conference) has been set for November 4, at 6:00 p.m.



Everyone is welcome at Church on the Cape, UMC, without exception. What matters most to us and what unites us as a vibrant, compassionate community of faith, is the assurance that we are all beloved children of God and of sacred worth to our Creator. Come as you are and join us on our faith journeys as we seek to make followers of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Join us from wherever you call home:

If you like what you see here, we post our worship, music, children's messages and sermons online - you can find them via our website, www.churchonthecape.org.

CHURCH ON THE CAPE STAFF

Rev. Greg Smith	Pastor
Paul N. Stephan	Music Director
Ivan Collazo	Custodian
Jen Murray	Office Administrator
Mike Kelly	Streaming Coordinator
Jean Baracco	Head Usher
Adrien Baracco	Assistant Usher