

Activity Schedule—PLEASE SEE MORE DETAILS IN THE NEWSLETTER

Today 9:30am Worship Service
Coffee Fellowship

Benediction:
Beloved, the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God. May the Spirit bless us and empower us to reveal ourselves as the children of God as we work for the flourishing of all creation. Amen.

*July we are supporting Central UMC Outreach, we collected \$58.00 for them so far, thank you ! More information can be found on the Missions Board in the Narthex, Thank YOU!

Prayer Requests:

1st Responders	James Underwood
Pam (Judy’s friend in Florida)	Don Eichberger
Nick Latimer	Chuck & Carol Walter
The Family of Norm Weber	Connie Oberlitner
Abby’s Grandmother (Marilynn)	Pastor Matt’s Aunt Nancy
Abby’s Grandfather (Clayton Davis)	Pastor Matt’s Cousin Brooke
The Family of Marcia Clone	Sherry (lung cancer)
Mary Lizenby	Heim Chapman
The Family of Dean Jeanett	Jo Purdy-Kieft
Bill Fosdick	Pam (Rich’s ex-wife)
Charlene Wylie (fractured sternum)	Joyce Burrows
David VanLente (Jerri’s brother-in-law)	Jackie Axtell
Julian (Jerri’s grandson)	Wanda Provins
The Family of Lana Nickels	Heather Hockin (MS)
Frank Pietrykowski (Jaclyn’s father)	ACTS Ministry & Food Pantry

3rd	Linda Belcher	22nd	Chuck Walter
8th	Shirley Lewis	28th	Holly Barrett
20th	Judy & Tom Jenkins’ Anniversary!	28th	Sami Aisthorpe
21st	Jean & Ron Ridge’s Anniversary!		



Welcome!
Williamsburg United Methodist Church
July 19, 2026



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Thank you to:
Liturgist: Carol Hockin
Pianist: Sally Eichberger

Coffee Fellowship: Carol Hockin
Usher: Jan Donkers
Attendance for July 20, 2026: 20

Welcome to Williamsburg United Methodist Church

Welcome & Announcements!

Prelude:	Sally Eichberger
*Opening Hymn:	“My Hope Is Built” Red Hymnal #368
*Call to Worship:	Carol Hockin
Today, we gather to join our voices with winds and seas, sunshine and rain, mountains and grassy plains to worship God, our Creator. We gather as children of God, stewards of God’s creation. We gather to join our hearts with creatures who creep and crawl, slither and squirm, swim and soar, to worship God, our Creator. We gather as children of God, stewards of God’s creation. We gather as witnesses of the harm that has been done to God’s creation, to the groanings of the earth and all the earth’s inhabitants who long for peace and flourishing. We gather as children of God, stewards of God’s creation. Come, let us worship God who strengthens and equips us, guiding us to live out our faith as good stewards of God’s good creation. Come, let us worship God who inspires and empowers us to be stewards of hope and redemption in a wounded and hurting world! Amen.	
*Opening Prayer:	Carol Hockin
* Hymn:	“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” Red Hymnal #139
Prayer of Illumination:	Carol Hockin
Scripture Readings:	Genesis 28:10-19a; Psalm 139:1-12, 23-24 Carol Hockin
Church Moment:	Pastor Matt Chapman
Confession and Assurance of Pardon:	Pastor Matt Chapman
Special Music:	Abby Chapman
Scripture Reading:	Romans 8:12-25 Pastor Matt Chapman
Gospel Reading:	Matthew 13:24-30, 39-43 Pastor Matt Chapman
Sermon:	Pastor Matt Chapman

Response to the Word:	Creed	Pastor Matt Chapman
*Hymn:	“Grace Alone”	TFWS #2162
Praises and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer		
The Lord’s Prayer:		Media Screen
Hear Our Prayer:		Media Screen
*Closing Hymn:	“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”	Red Hymnal #384
*Benediction:		
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*Response Hymn:	“Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”	TFWS #2088
Postlude		
*please stand		

