## **Activity Schedule—**PLEASE SEE MORE DETAILS IN THE NEWSLETTER

**Worship Service** Today 9:30am

> **Holy Communion Coffee Fellowship**

10/25 Hammered Dulcimer & Guitar Concert (with Pam Bowman and Jeff 5pm-8pm

Gardner) Soup & Salad 5-6:30pm with concert to follow @ 7pm

**Benediction:** 

Alleluia. Amen.

Go out into the world in the joy and peace of the resurrection of the Lord Jesus. Care for his redeemed creation; follow him as children of the light; make disciples by your life and words; and glorify him by your dedication and love; so may he bless you with his gift of the Holy Spirit and be with you until his kingdom comes.

\*In September we supported Jubilee House in Traverse City. We collected \$109.50 for them, thank you! In October we are supporting Haiti- New Life School. More information can be found on the Missions Board in the Narthex.\* Thank you!

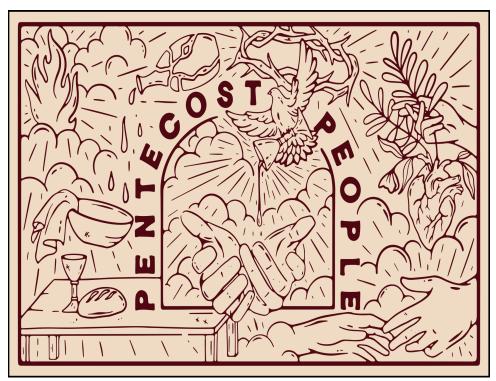
Please join us for Coffee Fellowship after the Service!

## **October Celebrations!**

4th Mark Walter	17th Heim Chapman
4th Grant Hamilton	19th Jim Hockin
5th Sue & Pete Morrison's Anniversary!	20th Jo Purdy-Kieft
10th Kim Likins	22nd Marcia Clone
12th Shane Barrett	25th Jean Ridge
15th Brook & Janet Goss' Anniversary!	28th Gabrielle Gualtiere



## Welcome! Williamsburg United Methodist Church **October 5, 2025**



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Thank you to: Pianist: Sally Eichberger Liturgist: Jean Ridge

September 28, 2025 Attendance: 20 Coffee Fellowship: Dirk & Darlene Renzema Usher: Rich Hargreaves

## Welcome to Williamsburg United Methodist Church! Please sign the Red Visitor Pads at the end of your pew, thank you.

Welcome & Announcements
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Prelude: Sally Eichberger

\*Opening Hymn: "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" Red Hymnal #302

\*Call to Worship:
God of gentle rains and warm sun, God who encourages growth;

we are creatures who sometimes grow quickly, and sometimes get stuck.

God of freedom, of liberation, of binding ropes being cut;

we are bound in ways we don't always understand or recognize.

God of exodus and exile and homecoming,

God who calls us to leave where we are and come home;

help us to have the courage to make the journey and to trust in the path.

God of health and healing,

God who wants us to be made whole;

we come as people who are wounded in body and in spirit, people who seek healing.

God who has laid out a way for us to live, who has given us rules for living in community;

we come as people who sometimes go astray, people who stretch the rules.

God of Grace,

we come as people who live through that Grace.

And so we praise you for the growth, we rejoice in being set free, we dance along the path that leads us home, we give thanks for the healing we have received, we relax in the knowledge that we are forgiven and we live as people of Grace. Amen.

\*Opening Prayer: Jean Ridge

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Response Hymn: "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Scripture Readings: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 & Colossians 2:8-15 Jean Ridge

Prayer of Illumination: Pastor Matt Chapman

Red Hymnal #327

Gospel Reading: Matthew 28:1-10 Pastor Matt Chapman

Response to the Word: Media Screen

**Praises and Prayer Concerns** 

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Jean Ridge

The Lord's Prayer Media Screen

**Hear Our Prayer** 

\*Hymn: "Easter People, Raise Your Voices" Red Hymnal #304

Confession and Assurance of Pardon: Pastor Matt Chapman

The Great Thanksgiving & Prayer after Communion

\*Closing Hymn: "Now Let Us from This Table Rise" Red Hymnal #634

\*Benediction: back of bulletin

\*Response: "Spirit of the Living God" Red Hymnal #393

Postlude: Sally Eichberger

Prayer Requests: The Family of Suzette Cooley-Sanborn

1st Responders
The Family of Charlie Kirk
Margret Shriner (brain surgery)
Julian (Jerri's grandson)
Carol Walter

Ken Blanchard (back surgery recovery) Ron Ridge's niece Toni (breast cancer) Sue Morrison (back surgery recovery)

Joan Kisling (Jean's sister)

Laird & Jo Anna Kieft

Family of Marilyn Graham (Greta Sheffer Hall's sister) Jim Hockin Families at ACTS
Denny Bartz
Joyce Burrows

Jackie Axtell
Mike Norton (hospice)

Pam (Rich's ex-wife)

Bonnie Smith (Holly's aunt)

The Family of Mike (ACTS client)

Jean Ridge's niece Sophie (lymphoma)

Melanie Earl (Bloxsom's granddaughter)

Wanda Provins Ken and Carol Gallo

The Family of Don Hogerheide (Linda's brother)

Heather Hockin (MS)