

First United Methodist Church March 30, 2025

4th Sunday in Lent/UMCOR Sunday

Personal Hearing Amplifiers on shelf next to center doors

Welcome and Announcements Prelude

Lenten Symbol and Reading

Responsive Call to Worship: Sandra Trepanier
L: Come, all ye faithful ...
P: to worship, praise, and pray.
L: Come, all ye unfaithful ...
P: for God's love welcomes us home.
L: Come into the presence of Christ ...
P: for Christ's grace makes us new and whole.

Message for the Child in All of Us

*Those who are able are invited to stand*Hymn: #384 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

Prayer of Yearning (unison)

Father-Mother God, welcome us home when we wander afar. Restore us with your compassion and love. Transform us with your miraculous grace, that we might become the new creations you envision us to be. Strengthen us with the power of your Holy Spirit, that we might offer others the same welcome, grace, and love that you have offered us. In your beloved name, we pray. Amen. First Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21 (page 1799) L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God

Musical Meditation on the Scripture

Mission Moment

Call to Prayer -#2193 (stay seated) Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your Spirit in this place; Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Joys & Concerns

*Gospel Reading: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 (page 1623)

- L: This is the word of the Lord.
- P: Thanks be to God

Message: "The Power of Reconciliation" Rev. Tyler

*Hymn #378 "Amazing Grace"

Holy Communion – page 15 (All are invited and welcome to receive) Communion will be brought to you by the pastor and lay leader. Hold out your hand to receive the bread or wafer, carefully take a cup from the tray, and place your used cup in the container. Offerings can be left in the plates at the doors as you leave the sanctuary.

*Hymn #383 (V 1-4) "This Is a Day of New Beginnings"

*Benediction Postlude

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Silent Prayer Words of Assurance

Sunday, March 30 UMCOR Sunday

9:00 Worship Service Live and on-line Lenten envelopes are available. <u>Monday</u>:

Tuesday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting 7:00 Champlain Valley Chorale <u>Wednesday:</u>

Bridget out of the office in the morning Thursday:

9-noon Thrift Shop Sorting Friday:

Saturday:

9-2:00 Thrift Shop

Sunday, Apríl 6

9:00 Worship Service Live and on-line4:30 Community Dinner

Please sign up to help with the Communion Ministry and Lenten Reading.

Thank you. for your continued financial support of your faith community's missions

First United Methodist Church 1045 Wicker Street Ticonderoga, MY 12883 "All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and has given us the ministry of reconciliation." 2 Corinthians 5:18



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Prayer List of our Faith Community

[†] Our Church Family * New on the list this week • Answered prayer *Please help us keep the prayer list updated and spelled properly.*

[†]A friend Jim Barns [†]Margaret Beuerlein Wanda Benson **Bill Bondesen** *†*Josie Bougor Jim Boyce **Rick Bush †**Todd Condon Dayton Dedrick Betty Dolback [†]Dave Ferguson *David Flack †Ed Flack Percy Fleming Alan Forgette *†*Judy Gourley Frank Guido Keith Halcomb *†*Beth Hanley Emma Helms Pat Hintze

David Hurlburt **Richard Johndrow** *Greg Johnson Linda Lamb *Marion& Howard Lamphere [†]Joe Liddell Lilyann Judy Marcotte *†*Melanie Marshall Jean McKee Military & their families Kendyl Molina Ann Morette *Maria Novello Nancy Olcott **Crystal Page** Liz Shaw Maureen Stacy *†*Carl Thatcher Betty Thompson *†*Albert Thompson

Betty Thompson *†*Mary Thompson Keith Thorne *Richard Tyler *†*Fred Viault *†*Joan Viault Jeff Wilson Wendy Winchill Youth growing in faith

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April 6 Free Community Dinner Pulled Pork Dinner, sides, and desserts All are welcome: 4:30-6:00, and take outs.

Lenten Readers are needed in Lent! Please sign up.



This is the church QR code for smart phone donations.

Thrift Shop (585-2242) Sorts T&Th Shop: Sat. 9-2:00

The Ticonderoga Food Pantry M/W/F 11:00am-Noon.

Champlain Valley Chorale on Tuesdays at 7:00pm

Lenten Bible Study Wednesdays at 1:00 in Lounge & on Facebook

> Painting with Pastor April 3, 1-3pm in Fellowship Hall