



Sunday, October 19, 2025

(Sept/Oct Reaching Out Focus: Emergency Preparedness)



Sermon Title:

"Get A Winning Lottery Ticket Here"

Welcome to our church family!

Guest Pastor: Rev. Dr. Tom Cook

Gathering Music

Tolling of the Bell - our reminder to quiet ourselves inside *and* out for worship

Choral Introit

Welcome

Opening Hymn - #51 “How Great Thou Art” (v. 1, 2, & 4)

1st Scripture Reading - II Peter 3:8-14, *offered by Ellen Zienert*

Music for Reflection

2nd Scripture Reading - John 10:7-18, *offered by Ellen Zienert*

Morning Message - “Get a Winning Lottery Ticket Here”
Offered by Rev. Dr. Thomas Cook

Message Hymn - #73 “The Lord My Sheperd Guides Me Well”

Offering

Offering Music

Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Her above ye heavenly host,
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost, Amen*

Morning Prayers

Closing Hymn - #352 “Spirit Song”

Benediction

Postlude



charlevoixes

Presents

True Stories Told Live

My Bags Are Packed. I'm Ready to Go?!?!?

Friday, October 24

7:00 pm

First Congregational, UCC
101 State Street, Charlevoix

Admission: Donation
Charlevoix Food Pantry

From packed bags to uncertain roads, from what's known to discovering what's new, join us for an evening of heartfelt stories with unexpected turns. These stories remind us that every goodbye carries a hello, and every arrival holds a story yet to be told.



CHURCH

Meeting

immediately after service
to elect leadership for 2025

OCT

26th

2025



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Sunday 10/19	Mon 10/20	Tues 10/21	Wed 10/22	Thurs 10/23	Fri 10/24	Sat 10/25	Sunday 10/26
<i>Guest Pastor:</i> <i>Rev. Dr. Tom Cook</i> 10:30a Worship 11:30a Coffee Hour 11:45a Council Mtg 11:45a Trustees Mtg 11:30a Church Fall Cleanup	6p Personal Pantry	10a Scripture Discussion Group		5:15p Centering Prayer 6:30p Choir Rehearsal	7p CharleVOICES "True Tales, Told Live" <i>Admission by Donation to Chx Food Pantry</i>		<i>Guest Pastor:</i> <i>Alice Pletz-Miller</i> 10:30a Worship 11:30a All-Church Meeting 11:45a Coffee Hour

Special Notice!

Next Sunday during Coffee and Conversation, the Reaching In team will be recruiting people to be team leaders in the event of an emergency in the community. Please see Teri Stout if you would like to sign up!

**Prayer Requests/
Celebrations:** To submit a Prayer Request please visit our website at chxuuc.org or call the office at 231-547-9122

Please be sure to get permission from the person needing prayers.

Please continue to keep Ron Moore in your prayers as he deals with serious health issues.

Please continue to keep Bob Chapman & his family in your prayers. Bob is in hospice care for an inoperable tumor on his pancreas. Due to health restrictions, no visitors please.

Please continue to pray for Toby as he returns from Sabbatical on October 23. Please pray for easy and safe travels for him.



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*Toby Jones, Pastor * Shelley Fisher, Music Minister
Stacey Luoma, Office Manager * Larry Minch, Custodian
Lynette Webb, Childcare Supervisor*

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