



1st Congregational UCC

Opening the Doors of Possibility

An Open & Affirming Church



Sunday, Feb. 9, 2025

(Jan/Feb Reaching Out Focus: Developing Our Guatemala Mission)

**DISCOVER
YOUR
DOORWAY!**

Worship

Music

Events

Serving Others

**Join Us
and discover
what is possible
for you!**

Sunday Services are live and
streamed at 10:30am
on our website
www.chxucc.org

First Congregational
United Church of Christ
101 State Street
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WHO WE ARE

**An Open and Affirming
community of faith
growing in Love**

**Espousing Jesus
as the Word of God**

**Reaching in
and reaching out**

**Making community
connections far and wide**

**Opening our doors ever
more widely to
ALL God's children**

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Welcome to our church family!

Gathering Music - “The Goodness of God,” *by Cece Winans, offered by Eloise Jones*

*Chorus: ‘Cause all my life You have been faithful
And all of my life You have been so, so good
With every breath I am able
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God*

Tolling of the Bell—our reminder to quiet ourselves inside & out for worship

Welcome

Opening Hymn - #664 “Thy Word”

1st Scripture Readings - Psalm 119:105, II Timothy 3:14-17

Music for Reflection

2nd Scripture Reading - John 1:1-14

Morning Message -

“Why JESUS is Our Word of God,” offered by Toby Jones, Pastor

Message Hymn - #662 “Thanks to God Whose Word Was Spoken”

Offering

Offertory 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”*

Closing Hymn—#615 “Community of Christ” (*v. 1-3*)

Morning Prayers - The Lord’s Prayer

Charge & Benediction

Postlude



NORTHERN MICHIGAN BRASS BAND

**Sunday, February 23
3:00 P.M.**

First Congregational Church UCC of Charlevoix

an afternoon of wonderful music played by twenty-nine of northern Michigan's finest brass players

\$10 General Admission
All Students Admitted Free


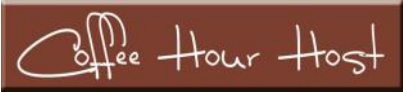
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www.northernmichiganbrassband.org

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Sunday 2/9	Mon 2/10	Tues 2/11	Wed 2/12	Thurs 2/13	Fri 2/14	Sat 2/15	Sunday 2/16
10:30a In-Person & Live-Streamed Worship 11:30a Coffee Hour <i>Hosted by The Wadland's</i>	6p Personal Pantry	10a Scripture Discussion Group 11a-2p CMA Hours 7:15p Poverty, by America Book Group	9a Reaching Out Mtg 5p Uke Band Practice 5p Centering Prayer/ Meditation Group	11a-2p CMA Hours			10:30a In-Person & Live-Streamed Worship 11:30a Coffee Hour <i>Hosted by Kris Jones</i> 11:45a Council Meeting

<p>Prayer Requests/ Celebrations: To submit a Prayer Request please visit our website at chxucc.org or call the office at <u>231-547-9122</u></p> <p>Please be sure to get permission from the person needing prayers.</p>	<p>Please pray for the victims and families of the airplane/helicopter/medevac accidents on January 29 and 31st.</p> <p>Please continue to pray for Susan Burke as she mourns the passing of her husband.</p> <p>Please continue to pray for Linda Weller as she recovers from recent knee surgery.</p> <p>Please continue to keep Jennifer Carroll's family in your prayers as their son-in-law, Craig, remains in hospice care.</p> <p>Please continue to pray for Vera McKown who is now residing at Bay Bluffs in Harbor Springs..</p> <p>Please continue to pray for the victims of the fires in California. Please also continue to pray for the safety of the first responders fighting those fires, and the aide workers assisting the displaced.</p> <p>Please continue to pray for Dolores Cain as she remains in hospice care.</p>
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	<p>Please join us for Coffee Hour in Ransom Hall immediately after the service.</p>	 <p><i>The Wadland's</i></p>
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