



Sunday, July 12, 2026

Congregational Meeting after Service



“His love endures forever...” ~ Psalm 146

Welcome to our church family!

Gathering Music - “Love in 5 Verses,” *by Toby Jones*

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

Opening Song - “City Called Heaven,” *by Norah Duncan IV, offered by Amber Rogers*

Welcome

Opening Hymn - #398 “O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus”

1st Scripture Readings - Psalm 136:1-9, 2-26 & Romans 8:31-39
Offered by Ellen Zienert

Music for Reflection

2nd Scripture Readings - Matthew 26:31-33 & 69-75, *offered by Ellen Zienert*

Morning Message -

“Moving Toward Unfailing Love in a World Where Love So Often Fails”
Offered by Toby Jones

Message Hymn - #446 “O Love That Will Not Let Me Go,” (*v. 1-3*)

Offering

Offertory - “My Soul’s Been Anchored,” *by Florence Price*
Offered by Amber Rogers

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 - #655 “Come Away from Rush and Hurry”

Congregational Meeting - *Please remain in your seats*



Guest Pianist: Eden West

Guest Musician: *Amber Rogers*



A Washington DC native, Amber Rogers is quickly becoming a highly coveted soprano voice. She has been described as having a “diamond-like” sound and leans into her beautiful, other-worldly tone. After covering Elvira in Music Academy of the West’s production of Mozart’s *Don Giovanni*, Amber will head to Metro-Detroit for the 2025-2026 season as the Artist in Residence for the Macomb and Warren Symphonies. She recently completed her Master’s degree at the University of Michigan studying with Caitlin Lynch and Dr. Louise Toppin. Amber completed her undergraduate studies at Oberlin Conservatory where she studied with Timothy Lefebvre and Marlene Rosen.

At Michigan, Amber sang Gretel in Humperdinck’s *Hansel und Gretel*, and Fiordiligi from Mozart’s *Così fan Tutte*, each directed by Metropolitan Opera visionary, Gregory Keller. Prior to these, she also presented a hilarious Nella in Puccini’s *Gianni Schicchi* directed by Mo Zhou and conducted by Kirk Severston.

Amber was a Finalist in the 2023 University of Michigan Concerto Competition, was named the 2024 National Scholarship Winner for the NANM competition, as well as winning first place in the 2024 George Shirley competition college division. When not singing, you can find Amber crocheting, running trails and looking for new recipes to cook.



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“The Haz-Binz”

A Very Special Sunday Morning!

Sunday, July 19 10:30 service

11:30 music & picnic



Joining us for the service and the picnic will be 70-year-old retired minister Tom Dickelman, who will be at the midpoint of GLiO 1000 - a solo, 26-day 1,000-mile circumnavigation of Lake Michigan on a 12' WaveRunner. What's behind the adventure? A desire to support research battling glioblastoma/brain cancer and to lead conversations about the importance of hope in our lives. It's going to be a memorable time – join us & bring your friends!



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Sunday 7/12	Mon 7/13	Tues 7/14	Wed 7/15	Thurs 7/16	Fri 7/17	Sat 7/18	Sunday 7/19
10:30a Worship 11:30a Congregational Meeting <i>(please stay in your seats immediately after Postlude)</i> 11:45a Coffee & Conversation Hour <i>Hosted by The Lyons & The Herberts</i>		11a-2p CMA Hours 10a Prayer Group	5:30p Uke Group Rehearsal	11a-2p CMA Hours 6:30p Choir Rehearsal			10:30a Worship 11:30a GLIO1000 Fundraiser Picnic

**Prayer Requests/
Celebrations:** To submit a
Prayer Request
please visit our website at
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at 231-547-9122

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

Please continue to pray for Delores Cain who is waiting on God to call her home.

Please continue to pray for all the people north of Harbor Springs, Michigan who are experiencing unprecedented flooding along M-119 and Lower Shore Drive, and for all who were effected by the flooding from the recent storms.

Please continue to pray for the family of Kathy Krueger as adjust to her passing.



Hosted by:
The Lyons & The Herberts

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


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