



1st CONGREGATIONAL
UCC
CHARLEVOIX

Sunday, September 20, 2026



Welcome to our church family!

Gathering Music - "Love in 5 Verses," (v. 3 & 5)

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

Welcome

Opening Hymn - #298 "The Day of Resurrection"

1st Scripture Readings - Psalm 51:10-12 & Psalm 86:11-13, *offered by Suzanne Balter*

Music for Reflection

2nd Scripture Readings - Matthew 5:6-9 & 6:24, *offered by Suzanne Balter*

Morning Message - "Living with an Undivided Heart"

Message Hymn - #373 "Change My Heart, O God"

Offering

Offertory Music - "Give Me Jesus," by Jeremy Camp, *offered by Shelley Fisher and Toby Jones*

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 - #457 "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

Benediction

Postlude

Prayer List

TOGETHER IN FAITH, HOPE & LOVE

*The Lord is close to
the brokenhearted and
saves those who are
crushed in spirit.*

— Psalm 34:18



Please pray for the family of Sue Tillotson who has passed away. Sue was a member of our church bell choir and a teacher at Charlevoix Elementary School for 30 years. Her visitation is scheduled for September 19th from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Mortenson's Charlevoix Chapel.



Please continue to pray for Marcia Bingham, a friend of Mary Duggan and Toby, as she approaches a new date for her bone marrow transplant, September 17th.



Please continue to pray for Barb Wilson as she recovers from a fall. Please also pray for her as she copes with the passing of her son, Jim, from a fall himself.

*In Our Prayers,
Always*



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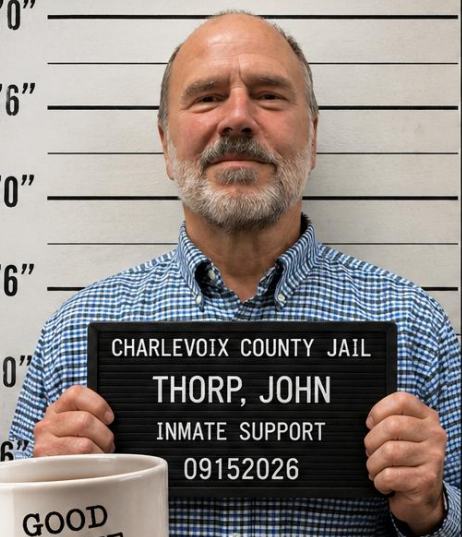
*Praying for One Another
Strengthens Us All*

Coffee & Conversation

Hosts:
Kris Jones &
Kendra Gates



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Special Presentation by John Thorp

Counselor for the
Charlevoix County Jail
who will give an update
on upcoming exciting
changes in
Inmate Support.

SUPPORT
CHANGES
BUILD
BRIGHTER
TOMORROWS



People
Not
Prisons



GOOD
COFFEE
BUILDS
STRONGER
COMMUNITIES



Love in 5 Verses –
Words & Music by Toby Jones

We've come together – to sing and to praise
God our Creator – all of our days
Serving together – with strength from above
Working for justice – spreading God's love

Love is what calls us – Love is our way
Love is the reason – we gather today
All are God's children – the near and the far
We're here to love you – so come as you are

Jesus unites us – He is God's Word
In flesh from the Father – His voice we have heard
The scriptures can guide us – so we'll understand
God's Word embodied – in one humble man

We reach deep inside us – where the Spirit abides
God gently whispers – to our hearts and our minds
We partner with others – to the world we will go
With love and compassion – as love's seeds we sow

There are no boundaries – where God's love will flow
No one's excluded – from the grace that we know
Our purple doors open – to red and to blue
Come and see with us – what love can do

The Day of Resurrection!

C F C C F C F G

1 The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad;
 2 Our hearts be pure from e - vil, that we may see a - right
 3 Now let the heavens be joy - ful! Let earth its song be - gin!

G7 C C7 F C G D7 G

the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.
 the Lord in rays e - ter - nal of res - ur - rec - tion light;
 The world re - sound in tri - umph, and all that is there - in;

G7 C7 F A7 D7 G

From death to life e - ter - nal, from sin's do - min - ion free,
 and, lis - tening to his ac - cents, may hear, so calm and plain,
 let all things seen and un - seen their notes of glad - ness blend;

G F C Dm7 C7 F F C G7 G C

our Christ has brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.
 his own "all hail" and, hear - ing, may raise the vic - tor strain.
 for Christ the Lord has ris - en, our Joy that has no end.

Change My Heart, O God

Unison

C Am7 Dm7 G7

Change my heart, O God, make it ev - er true.

C $\frac{G}{B}$ Am7 Dm7

Change my heart, O God,

$\frac{Dm7}{G}$ G7 C Esus E 3

may I be like you. You are the

Am Am7 Dm7 G C

Pot - ter, I am the clay;

Esus E 3 Am C/D D7

mold me and make me, this is what I

Gsus G7 C Am7 Dm7

pray. Change my heart, O God,

G7 C G/B Am7

make it ev - er true. Change my heart, O God,

Dm7 Dm7/G G7 C

may I be like you.

457 Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

N.C. D $\frac{G}{D}$ D

1 Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart, in my heart;
 2 Lord, I want to be more lov-ing in my heart, in my heart;
 3 Lord, I want to be more ho-ly in my heart, in my heart;
 4 Lord, I want to be like Je-sus in my heart, in my heart;

D A Bm G D $\frac{G}{D}$ D

Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be more lov-ing in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be more ho-ly in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be like Je-sus in my heart.

D G D Bm

In my heart, in my heart, in my heart, in my heart,

D A7 Bm G D

Lord, I want to be a Chris-tian in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be more lov-ing in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be more ho-ly in my heart.
 Lord, I want to be like Je-sus in my heart.