



1st Congregational UCC

Opening the Doors of Possibility

An Open & Affirming Church



Sunday, September 29, 2024

(Sept./Oct. Reaching Out Focus: Community & Civic Duties)

PRAYER OF ST FRANCIS

LORD, MAKE ME AN INSTRUMENT
OF YOUR PEACE;
WHERE THERE IS HATRED, LET ME SOW LOVE;
WHERE THERE IS INJURY, PARDON;
WHERE THERE IS DOUBT, FAITH;
WHERE THERE IS DESPAIR, HOPE;
WHERE THERE IS DARKNESS, LIGHT;
AND WHERE THERE IS SADNESS, JOY.

O DIVINE MASTER,
GRANT THAT I MAY NOT SO MUCH SEEK
TO BE CONSOLED AS TO CONSOLE;
TO BE UNDERSTOOD AS TO UNDERSTAND;
TO BE LOVED AS TO LOVE.
FOR IT IS IN GIVING THAT WE RECEIVE;
IT IS IN PARDONING
THAT WE ARE PARDONED;
AND IT IS IN DYING
THAT WE ARE BORN TO ETERNAL LIFE.

Welcome to our church family!

Gathering Music

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

Welcome

Opening Hymn - #40 “For the Beauty of the Earth”

1st Scripture Readings - I Corinthians 1:4-9 *offered by Hugh Hansen*

Music for Reflection

2nd Scripture Reading - Luke 17:11-21, *offered by Hugh Hansen*

Morning Message - “**The Other Two Things: Saying ‘Thank You’ & ‘I Love You’**”
offered by Guest Pastor, Rev. Tom Cook

Message Hymn - #113 “Rejoice, Ye Pure of Heart”

Offering

Offertory

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

*“Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive
our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.”*

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

Charge and Benediction

Postlude

WHERE DO YOU VOLUNTEER?

Please check next any community organization that you are involved with.

Put on the Office Managers Desk after.

- Food pantry
- Rainbow Shoppe
- Lions Club
- Kiwanis Club
- Chx Evening Garden Club
- Chx Garden Club
- Meals on Wheels
- Chx Area Humane Society
- Friends of the Library
- Rayder Den
- Victim Services Unit
- C.E.R.T.
- Northern MI Mediation
- Joppa House
- Chx Circle of the Arts
- Crooked Tree Art Center
- Little Traverse Bay Humane Society

- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Bergmann Center
- Women's Resource Center
- Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- Scouts of America
- Habitat for Humanity
- Chx Conservation District
- Senior Center
- Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council
- NW MI Hospice Assist
- Munson Hospital
- McLaren Hospital
- Grandvue
- Other(s) _____

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I am willing to be a contact for my group above. ____

I am willing to give and/or arrange a presentation from the group above. ____

Sunday 9/29	Mon 9/30	Tues 10/1	Wed 10/2	Thurs 10/3	Fri 10/4	Sat 10/5	Sunday 10/6
<p><i>Guest Pastor Rev. Tom Cook</i></p> <p>10:30a In-Person & Live-Streamed Worship</p> <p>11:30a Coffee Hour <i>Hosted by Lynette Webb & Kris Jones</i></p>	<p>6p Personal Pantry</p>	<p>11a-2p CMA Hours</p> <p>NO SCRIPTURE GROUP</p>	<p>5p Uke Band Practice</p> <p>6p Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>11a-2p CMA Hours</p>			<p>10:30a In-Person & Live-Streamed Worship</p> <p>11:30a Coffee Hour</p>


<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 continue to pray for Jennifer and Stan Carroll and their family as their son-in-law, Craig Sinclair, enters hospice care from cancer complications.</p> <p>Please continue to pray for David Bowen as he continues to struggle with health issues and other challenges.</p> <p>Please continue to pray for Dolores Cain as she remains in hospice care.</p>
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**Please join us for
Coffee Hour in
Ransom Hall
immediately after
the service.**



***Lynette Webb &
Kris Jones***

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