

## TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

**PRELUDER** "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Elise Sweger

**POSTLUDE**  
(Please stand, if able)

"Freely, Freely"

Elise Sweger

## **LIGHTING THE CANDLES / RINGING THE CHURCH BELL**

**CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP** "Christ Be Our Light"

Adult Choir

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: God of promise, who sent Jesus to us as a sign of hope; help us to embrace your love that brought light to our world

**P: Awaken our spirits as you did with the shepherds and wise men.**

L: And lead us to those places where God revels His presence and glimpses of the Kingdom.

**P: Be with us as we face new challenges and new tasks, so that this year might be a time of growth in our faith.**

**HYMN** "God of Grace and God of Glory"

UMH 577

## **CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

## **PASTORAL PRAYER / LORDS PRAYER (DEBTORS)**

**HYMN** "The Gift of Love"

UMH 408

## **GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**Offerory** "In the Garden"

Elise Sweger

**Doxology** "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

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Genesis 41:39-43

**SPECIAL MUSIC** "Ancient Words with Amazing Grace"

Adult Choir

**MESSAGE** "Giving Away the Good Stuff"

Rev. Joe Kugle

**CLOSING HYMN** "Pass It On"

UMH 572

## **PASTORAL BENEDICTION**

**CHORAL BENEDICTION** "Shalom"

Adult Choir

## **EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES / CHIMES**

## **WORSHIP NOTES**

**Hearing assist devices** are available at the right rear of the sanctuary in tech room.

**Large Print Bulletins** are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please ask an Usher.

**Children's Worship** - Children are invited to the front of the sanctuary for the children's moment followed by Otter Kids in Room 5.

**Today's altar flowers** are given in loving memory of my husband, John, by Diane Stamy and family.

**Usher Captain** – Tom Wivell

**Organist:** Elise Sweger

**Worship Schedule**

8:45 AM Traditional  
9:30 AM Contemporary "Gathering"  
11:00 AM Chapel

**Adult Sunday School:**

9:45 - Loyal Class (Library)  
10:00 - BASIC Class (Room 8)

**Attendance - January 11, 2026**

8:45 Traditional	163	Online: 74
9:30 Contemporary	44	18
11:00 Traditional Chapel	43	
<b>Total 250</b>	<b>Online: 92</b>	

**The mortgage balance after the January 15<sup>th</sup> payment is \$150,921.31.**



# Otterbein United Methodist Church

January 18, 2026  
Traditional Service

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## "Giving Away the Good Stuff"

**Genesis 41:39-43**



## **Welcome to Otterbein Church**

Whether you are a first-time guest, a new resident looking for a church home, or simply visiting the area, we are delighted you chose to join us for worship.

Otterbein is a United Methodist congregation committed to serving our Lord Jesus Christ by sharing the Good News and caring for our neighbors. We would love for you to walk with us on this journey of faith and become part of our church family.