

Please join us for

**BREAKFAST**

in celebration of our completed  
kitchen remodel  
immediately following this service!

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**Join us on Sunday!**

**9 a.m. Traditional Service**—Jeff Glen, Worship Leader

**11 a.m. The Gathering (Contemporary) Service**— Scott Swartz, Worship Leader

*Legends*

**Mary Magdalene**

September 23, 2018

18<sup>th</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

9 a.m. Traditional Service



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## Youth Group

### Friday Night Football Outing

Friday, September 28th 6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

We will be going to the Rochelle Hub football game on this night instead of having Youth group. If you would like to go along, let Matt know and we can meet at the church at 5:30 to carpool over to the stadium.



### Rochelle Area CROP Hunger Walk

TODAY, 1:30 p.m.

Come join us in this year's CROP Hunger Walk. If you are interested in walking please let Matt know. This is a great mission opportunity you won't want to miss out on to help raise money for those who go without food. Please join us!

Today's Radio Ministry is sponsored by Ronda Threlkeld in memory of her parents', Ron & Leota Hansen, wedding anniversary.



Today's Flower Ministry is sponsored by Jim & Joyce Manning in honor of Joyce's parents, James & Elizabeth Trowbridge, August & September birthdays.

### Benevolent Fund

As you leave Communion, you'll find baskets available for your donation to our Benevolence Fund. The fund helps Rochelle area residents with food, utilities, medications, and other assistance. Many in our community benefit from the generosity of this congregation. Please know, however, that you never have to give to receive the Sacrament. Jesus has already paid the price.

## September 23, 2018 Order of Worship

### Prelude

"How Can I Keep From Singing"  
"He Will Walk With Me"

### GATHER

#### \*Opening Hymn #2130

"The Summons"

#### Opening Prayer

#### \*Passing the Peace

#### Special Music

"Don't Try So Hard"

Carley & Callie Ackland

#### Joys and Concerns

#### Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

### LISTEN

#### Hymn of Preparation #191

"Jesus Loves Me"

(You may be seated as the children come forward during the hymn for the Children's Message.)

#### Children's Message

#### Scripture

Luke 8:1-3, John 20:11-18

#### Message

"Legends: Mary Magdalene"

Rev. Rob Hamilton

### RESPOND

#### Offertory

"Jesus, Jesus, Jesus in the Morning"

#### \*Doxology #95

#### \*Prayer of Dedication

#### The Sacrament of Holy Communion

We celebrate an open table. Regardless of your background, if you're seeking to love Jesus as best you can, you are welcome to come. Small children may participate at the discretion of their parents or they may come forward for a blessing from our Pastor. Gluten-free elements are also available from the station attended by our Pastor. All stations are unfermented grape juice.

### ENGAGE

#### \*Closing Hymn #548

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

#### \*Parting Blessing

#### Postlude

"Psalm 19"

**\*Please Stand**