

CLOSING HYMN OF DEDICATION

(Please stand as you are able.)

"To God Be the Glory" #98

BENEDICTION – Pastor Amy Barr

CHORAL BENEDICTION – The Chancel Choir

"Go Now in Peace"

"Go now in peace, go now in peace, may the love of God surround you everywhere, everywhere you may go. Go now in peace."

POST-SERVICE MUSIC

The Offering Plates are in the front and the back of the church. You may leave your offering before or after the service.

Offering Received Last Week: September 7, 2025

General Fund	\$1,817
Attendance	28

Chancel Choir Director: Deb Sykes

Chancel Choir Members: Sharon Crego, Deb Hartong, Shaun Hartong, Terry Houston, Sandie King, Heather Kopycinski, Dianne Moreland, Gayle Oberltnr, Carol Stoye, Dave Ufferman, Donna Ufferman, Brenda Veltre, Robin White

Acolytes: Gavin and Tanner White

Bell Ringers: Aubree, Gavin, and Tanner White

Sound Technician: Shaun Hartong

"Button Pusher": Dennis Sykes

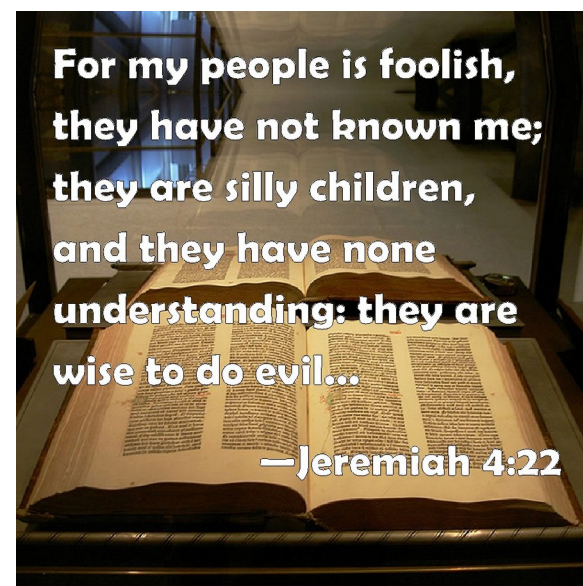
Pastor: Pastor Amy Barr

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WELCOME TO THE CENTERBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



"The United Methodist Church forms disciples of Jesus Christ who, empowered by the Holy Spirit, love boldly, serve joyfully, and lead courageously in local communities and worldwide connections."

September 14, 2025

Welcome to
The Centerburg United Methodist Church
Sunday, September 14, 2025
14th Sunday after Pentecost

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GATHERING MUSIC

INTROIT – The Chancel Choir
“Surely the Presence”

“Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; I can feel his mighty power and his grace. I can hear the brush of angels’ wings, I see glory on each face; surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS – John Thatcher

CALL TO WORSHIP – John Thatcher
(Psalm 14, selected verses)

Leader: Fools say in their hearts, “There is not God.” They are corrupt; they do abominable deeds; there is no one who does good.

CONGREGATION: The Lord looks down from heaven on humankind to see if there are any who are wise, who seek after God.

Leader: They have all gone astray; they are all alike perverse; there is no one who does good, no, not one.

CONGREGATION: You would confound the plans of the poor, but the Lord is their refuge.

OPENING HYMN

(Please stand as you are able.)

“There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy” #121

JOYS AND CONCERNS – Pastor Amy Barr

MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER – Pastor Amy Barr

CHILDREN’S MOMENT – Pastor Amy Barr

SCRIPTURE READING – Gail McClary

I Timothy 1:12-17 “Being Thankful for God’s Kindness”

“Thank Christ Jesus our Lord. He has given me the strength for my work because he knew that he could trust me. I used to say terrible and insulting things about him, and I was cruel. But he had mercy on me because I didn’t know what I was doing, and I had not yet put my faith in him. Christ Jesus our Lord was very kind to me. He has greatly blessed my life with faith and love just like his own.

‘Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.’ This saying is true, and it can be trusted. I was the worst sinner of all! But since I was worse than anyone else, God had mercy on me and let me be an example of the endless patience of Christ Jesus. He did this so that others would put their faith in Christ and have eternal life. I pray that honor and glory will always be given to the only God, who lives forever and is the invisible and eternal King! Amen.”

HYMN

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“Amazing Grace” #378 (verses 1, 2, 3 & 6)

OFFERTORY PRAYER – Pastor Amy Barr

ANTHEM – The Chancel Choir
“Thou Art Worthy”

“Thou art worthy, thou art worthy, thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory, glory and honor, glory and honor and power. For thou hast created, has all things created; thou hast created all things. And for thy pleasure they are created; thou art worthy, O Lord.

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MESSAGE – Pastor Amy Barr

(based on Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28 “The Coming Disaster”, “Jeremiah’s Vision of the Coming Punishment” and “The Death of Jerusalem”)

SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION – Pastor Amy Barr

PRAYER OF CONFESSION – Pastor Amy Barr