

## July Prayer List

Anthony	DJ	Laura	Timothy C.
Arnold	Fritz	Linda	Walter M.
Bella R.	Giada	Maurice	
Bianca H.	James	Nancy G.	
Bonita M.	Jean	Ryan	
Brian H.	Jerry	Sharon	
Dakota C.	Karla	Sheldon	
Deb	Larry P.	Skip	

*Please remember those who cannot attend our services with a card or note. They include:*

**Audrey Baird**  
Wells House  
201 W. Madison Ave.  
Johnstown, NY 12095

**Tinker Baird**  
Room 1A  
Pineview Commons  
201 S. Melcher St.  
Johnstown, NY 12095

**Erika Crear**  
Room 33  
Pineview Commons  
201 S. Melcher St.  
Johnstown, NY 12095

**John Bernard**  
Wells House  
201 W. Madison Ave.  
Johnstown, NY 12095

**Millie Rathburn**  
Willing Helpers Home  
226 W. Madison Ave.  
Johnstown, NY 12095

**Barbara Skoda**  
5 Abel Drive  
Johnstown, NY 12095

## We pray for those serving in the Military

Brian M.	Ian S.
Christopher	Matt B.
Connor W.	Ryan R.
Dino M.	Tim S.
Dylan	Will
Guy H.	



## We pray for...

- Our NOAH participants
- The inmates at Hale Creek Correctional Facility
- Those who come to the Prayer Table on Wednesdays
- Additional NOAH and Food Pantry volunteers
- Young people in recovery group
- The continued growth of our One Church Street ministries



*The flowers on the Main Altar are given in loving memory of Clark and Virginia Easterly, Thomas and Dorothy Briggs And Tom Briggs Jr. by the Easterly Family*

## Hymns for Today's Service

**Prelude: "Praise to the Lord Almighty"**  
(arr. by Mark Hayes)

**Opening Hymn: 423**

**Gradual Hymn: 372**  
*(Verse 1 & 2 before the Gospel)*  
*(Verse 3 & 4 after the Gospel)*

**Offertory: "My Creator King"**  
*By Don Moen*  
**Sung by Lucy LoDestro**

**Communion Hymns: "You are Mine"**  
*(see bulletin insert)*  
**700**  
*(red Celebration hymnal)*

**Recessional Hymn: 365**

**Postlude: "God our Help in Ages Past"**

*Please note:  
Hymns are also posted at the front of the Sanctuary.*



<b>Weekly Finance Update</b>	
<b>July 16-22, 2017</b>	
Pledges	\$4,673.00
Plate	\$132.00

## About Communion

### May I receive communion?

If you are a baptized Christian you are invited to receive communion, no matter what your affiliation.

### May my children receive communion?

Yes, if they receive communion at their own church. Some parents prefer their children receive first communion instruction prior to taking communion.

### If I choose to receive communion, how is it done?

The ushers will direct you to the center aisle. The consecrated Bread is received with both hands and carried to the mouth. The consecrated Wine is received lightly grasping the base of the chalice with one hand helping the minister to guide it to our lips and tipping it up until you receive enough.

### What if I don't wish to drink from the common cup?

You may dip the Bread in the Wine yourself, or leave the Bread in the palm of your hand. The minister with the Cup will pick up the Bread, dip it into the Wine and place it on your tongue.

### Must I receive consecrated Wine?

No, if you wish to receive only the Bread, simply pass by the station with the chalice, or cross your arms over your chest to let the chalice bearer know.

### What if I choose not to receive communion?

Then we invite you to receive a blessing at the altar. Kneel at the altar with those receiving communion, and cross your arms over your chest. The priest will give you a simple blessing. You can then stand up and return to your seat.

**TODAY**

## Summer Events & Happenings

**Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> • Lucy LoDestro** will be performing today with the musicians during the Offertory, singing “My Creator King”. The lyrics are printed in your insert.

**Monday, July 24<sup>th</sup> • Vestry Meeting • 6:30 p.m. Hawkins Room**

**Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> • NOAH Board Meeting • 7:00 p.m. One Church Street**  
Anyone who would like to attend is welcome.

**Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>**  
**Summer Lunches in the Park Band Shell**

Summer lunches are provided every weekday through August 11. They are open to all Johnstown school-aged children. **St. John’s day of service is on Thursdays.** We provide about 30 lunches each week a: sandwich, a piece of fruit, a drink, a vegetable and a snack or treat. Anyone interested in helping out or donating food for the program may contact the church office at 762-9210. **Thank you to the United Way, Whitey’s and Stewarts, as well as our volunteers, Food Pantry helpers and anonymous donors!**



**Fridays, July 28 • Last performance of Johnstown Citizen’s Band in the band shell.**

St. John’s is the rain location. Thanks to Karl Christensen for being on call to open the church if necessary.



**Thursday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> • Caroga Lake Music Festival ~ Special Performance and Invitation to Community Musicians • 7:00 p.m. St. John’s**

**Free Concert!** Calling all instrumentalists of all levels and ages to join us for CLMF’s inaugural Open House Orchestra!! Conducted by Maestro Luc Baghdassarian from Switzerland, the CLMF Open House Orchestra will rehearse and perform orchestral repertoire at St. John’s Episcopal Church. There will be two rehearsals: Monday, July 31 at 5:30 pm and Wed, August 2 at 5:30 pm in the church. Musicians must sign up ahead of time. There is a sign up sheet in the Hawkins Room.



[www.carogalakemusicfestival.org](http://www.carogalakemusicfestival.org)

## Ministry and Church Information



### Prayer Table Update

*Two volunteers prayed for six people this week.  
Prayer volunteers for Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> are:  
Pastor Brian of the Reform Church & Pam Miller*

### Expanded hours for Johnstown’s Food Pantry begin in August!

In addition to the regular hours of 9:00- 12:00 Noon every Wednesday, the Council of Churches Food Pantry at St. John’s will be open from 4:00 - 6:00 beginning August 2. If you are interested in volunteering one Wednesday a month please call Roger Rhodes (256-5766) or Carol McGrattan (774-8780).

**Thursday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> • Mary P:oppins • 7 p.m.**

**Colonial Little Theatre • Benefit Performance for the United Way**

The United Way of Fulton County helps support NOAH and the Food Pantry. They’ve asked us to help support them by selling five tickets to this special benefit performance of “Mary Poppins”. Tickets are \$15 each, and are available at the church office.



**Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**

**“Camp Sunday”**



**8 AM SERVICE ONLY AT ST. JOHN’S**

**JOIN US AT THE 10:30 AM SERVICE AT CAROGA LAKE CHAPEL.**

**WITH A HYMN SING BEGINNING AT 10:15 AM**

**Bakers Needed for August 3<sup>rd</sup> Community Reception after Concert •** We expect a big crowd, so we need the help of each baker to bring 4 dozen cookies to the concert. Please contact Louise Darragh at 762-3648 if you can help provide cookies.

**Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> • 10:00 a.m. • Band Shell**

**“Lawn Chair Church” • 8 AM SERVICE ONLY AT ST. JOHN’S**

Bring your own lawn chair and join this ecumenical service of word and worship with Johnstown, Fonda, Fultonville, Glen, Florida, Galway & Cranesville Reform Churches, Tribes Hill Presbyterian Church & St. John’s Episcopal Church.

