ORDER OF SERVICE

12th Sunday after Pentecost August 11th, 2024

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

Announcements & Affirmation of Community

Joys and Concerns

Prelude "Missing You"

by Adrian Carr from The Album The Golden Hour

Silent Reflection Time

Call to Worship

By the power of the Holy Spirit Our steadfast loving God reaches out to redeem us.

Thanks be to God!

*Hymn "For the Beauty of the Earth" #14

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of peace, we have rejected your redemption and forged our own way. We hang between heaven and earth, caught up in our own folly. We have held fast to falsehood, deceiving others and ourselves. We have sinned against you and done violence to others. Bitterness and wrath, anger and wrangling, slander and malice consume us. Evil runs rampant in our hearts. If you, O Lord, should mark our iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness in you so that you may be revered. Our soul waits in hope for your word to redeem us so that we may begin anew, a new day with you. Amen. (Silent Prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Prayer of Illumination

First Reading John 6:35, 41–51 pg. 98

Leader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Summer Soloist: Cathie Davenport

"Hymn of Promise" by Natalie Sleath

Second Reading Ephesians 4:25-5:2 pg. 194

Leader: The Word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon "Anger and Sin" Rev. Tim Luoma

Silent Reflection Time

*Hymn "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" #438

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

Offertory Invitation

*Doxology

#606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#281

*Prayer of Thanksgiving/Dedication

Generous, transforming God, thank you for the blessing of honest labor, through which you have provided these gifts for our hands to share with those in need. We dedicate them now as an expression of your love for the world, through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Hymn "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

#724

*Benediction

Postlude

All are asked to remain seated for the postlude.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH STAFF

PASTOR: Rev. Dr. Timothy J. Luoma
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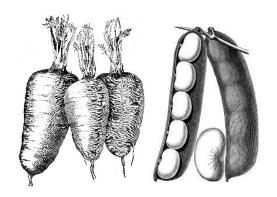
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Happy Birthday!

Angela Snook	8/7	Cullen Keleher	8/10
Sally Meisenheimer	8/13	Dana Jeweler	8/16
Jim Snook	8/16	Joyce Aldredge	8/22
Bridget Carey	8/23	Kolton Rafferty	8/25
Gail McGuire	8/26	Herbert Cottrell	8/27
Luke Haley	8/30	Chloe Berry	8/30
Derek Payne	8/31	Warner Houth	8/31

Community Garden

Plot #53 at the Community Garden has been planted! The Local Mission Council has maintained this plot for a number of years to raise produce for the Interfaith Food Shelf. As was previously noted, we have modified what we have planted and eliminated items that the Food Shelf receives in abundance. About half the garden is now planted with green beans and half with beets. The first four rows of green beans are up and the second four rows are now planted. The beets, which take longer to germinate are starting to make their appearance. Currently help with weeding and watering would be welcome with at this point— and also with keeping the Japanese beetles off the bean plants. Nancy Olsen (518.561.0189) and Judy Bunnell (518.561.8011) are the contact people.



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PRAYER FAMILIES FOR THE WEEK of August 11th, 2024

Linda Reh Lynette Riel Morris & Dianne Root Rosemary Schaffer

PRAYER CONCERNS

Matt Burgin and family Peg and Jack Myers Barbara Thompson Cynthia Newgarden

John Mazur Paul Heller

Art & Rita Pellerin Family of Carol Allen

Family of Nancy Sunderland

This Sunday we thank:

WORSHIP LEADER: Karen Merrill

USHERS: Linda Gonyo & Lynn Mulholland

FELLOWSHIP: Linda Gonyo & Lynn Mulholland

ZOOM COORDINATOR: Jennie Booth

Worship Leaders

Aug 18- Terri Mahoney Aug 25- Stuart Voss

Fellowship Time

Aug 18- Anne Bailey Aug 25-

Ushers

Aug 18- Gil & Judy Duken Aug 25- Carl & Travis Payne

Zoom Coordinators

Aug 18- Gabe Snook Aug 25- Jim Snook

Fellowship Time

Hosts are needed for Fellowship Time. Please consider stepping up and signing up. If you would like to host *Fellowship Time*, please sign up in Fellowship Hall or by contacting the church office via phone at 518-561-3140 or by e-mail at office@presbyplatt.org

Drive For Food

Drive for Food Golf Tournament will be held Friday, September 13th at The Barracks Golf Course. All proceeds go towards buying food for the Plattsburgh Interfaith Food Shelf.

This is a 4-person scramble, shotgun start. Entry is \$75 for Non-Members and \$65 for Members, which includes Golf, Cart, and Lunch. Anyone who wants to participate, gather your team of four!

They are looking for participants and sponsors. If you are interested in signing up or donating, please reach out to Cathy or Sue at: driveforfoodplattsburgh@gmail.com or pick up a form in Fellowship Hall, hanging underneath the poster on the board. Deadline for signing up is September 6th.

The Pulse

The August edition of *The Pulse* is available. Digital copies went out to our email list, and physical copies are available in the Sanctuary or the Church office. If you have any submissions you would like to make to the September edition of *The Pulse*, please email the church office before August 22nd.

The Worship and Music Council is meeting today, August 11th at 11:30 am.

Sunday, Aug 11:	10:00 am	Worship Service
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11:30 am Worship & Music Meeting

Tuesday, Aug 13: Noon AA Meeting

Wednesday, Aug 14: 1:30pm Parkinsons Support Group

5:30 pm Finance Comm. Meeting 7:00pm Plattsburgh Table Tennis

Thursday, Aug 15: 9:15 am Quilting Group

Noon AA Meeting

Sunday, Aug 18: 10:00 am Worship Service

