



July 6, 2025

"Life is like an ever-shifting kaleidoscope a slight change, and all patterns alter."
Sharon Salzberg

GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

PRELUDE

WELCOME GREETING

Pastor Karen Griswold

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lauren Flora

*CALL TO WORSHIP Inspired by Psalm 30

Leader: Sing praises to the Holy One, O you faithful, and give thanks to God’s holy name

PEOPLE: Shepherd and Source, you guide us in wisdom. You cover us in love.

Leader: Sing praises to the Holy One, O you faithful, and give thanks to God’s holy name

PEOPLE: Comforter and Spirit, you encourage us in times of trouble. You strengthen us for the journey.

Leader: Sing praises to the Holy One, O you faithful, and give thanks to God’s holy name

ALL: Redeemer and Friend, you hear our cry, redeem the years of struggle, and restore our joy. Praise the Holy One!

*RINGING of the BELL

*HYMN

“My Country ‘Tis of Thee”

#807

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*RESPONSE & PRESENTATION OF GIFTS

“Sanctuary”

#655

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Our God”

Bentley Sullivan & Whitne Etgen

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Scott Griswold

PASTORAL PRAYER

SILENT MEDITATION

THE LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN

“Pass It On”

Song folder

#24

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 5:13 & Luke 10:1-11 (NIV)

Lauren Flora

TODAY’S MESSAGE

“Poured Out”

Pastor Karen Griswold

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION – all are welcome

*HYMN

“Sent Forth By God’s Blessing”

See screens

*BLESSING & BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE

“This is My Song” vs 1

Song folder #41

POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able.

A supervised nursery is provided for babies and toddlers in the basement.

CHURCH EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

The candle on the altar represents our continued prayers for Peace.

TODAY	Finance Team meeting after Church
July 8	9:30 am Tuesday Mornings – prayers and scripture review
	6:00 pm Church Board Meeting - all are welcome
July 9	6:00 pm Porch Talks on the Parsonage front
July 13	Congregational Meeting after Church
July 14 – 18	6:00 pm – 8:30 pm Vacation Bible School Week – True North
July 19	5:00 pm Church Fish Fry at Lowell & Sandy Buck’s woods
July 20	Education Team Meeting after Church
July 20-23	Youth Mission Projects

- Vacation Bible School is fast approaching. True North – Trusting Jesus in a Wild World is our theme for VBS which will be July 14-18. Early registration is open visit myvbs.org/westlibertyunitedvbs to register or volunteer.
- Volunteers are needed for Nursery and Junior Church. Please see sign-up sheets in the overflow room.
- Your continued support is appreciated and may be mailed to West Liberty UCC PO Box 427, West Liberty, OH 43357.

PRAYER REQUESTS and JOYS (*New addition to prayer list)



Michelle Moffitt	Carol Edgecomb	Christina Porter	Vicki Lingrell	Alycia Brehm	Don Moffitt
Trudy Bradley	Marcus Taylor	Allison Daulton	Sharon Halter	Summer Piatt	Nancy Hamilton
Makayla & Annabelle	Ruth Ann & Charlie Lamb	Bill Byers	Bud Tomlinson	Mary Bahner	

Our nursing home residents

Our service men & women

Serving Today

Organist: Sandra Morris
Song Leader: Lucille Burden
Ministers: The Entire Congregation

Nursery:
Children’s Message: Scott Griswold
Jr. Church: Scott Griswold

Sound: Dennis McIntosh
Screens: Ed Armentrout
Videotaping: Bec Smith

Serving Next Week (July 13, 2025)

Organist: Sandra Morris
Song Leader: Judy Legge
Ministers: The Entire Congregation

Nursery:
Children’s Message: Nancy Hamilton
Jr. Church:

Sound: Ray Etgen
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