

"Always listen to your heart, because even though it's on your left side, it's always right." Nicholas Sparks

GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

PRELUDE Sandra Morris WELCOME GREETING Pastor Karen Griswold **ANNOUNCEMENTS Penny Higgins**

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In mutual compassion and authentic love...

PEOPLE: We gather as the family of God.

We offer our gifts, our hope, and our lives... Leader:

PEOPLE: To build up this community of faith. We bring our songs of gratitude and joy... Leader ALL: As we connect with the Holy Spirit of love.

*RINGING of the BELL

"For the Beauty of the Earth" #182

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*RESPONSE & PRESENTATION OF GIFTS "Praise Him! Praise Him!" (chorus) #12

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SPECIAL MUSIC "Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)" Kayla Tracey & Bentley Sullivan

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MOMENT Bill Warner

PASTORAL PRAYER SILENT MEDITATION THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" #393

SCRIPTURE Romans 12:9-21(NIV) **Penny Higgins** TODAY'S MESSAGE Pastor Karen Griswold "The List" *HYMN "Pass it On" Song Folder #24

*BLESSING & BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE "Lord of Life" Song Folder

POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able. A nursery is available for babies and toddlers in the basement.

CHURCH EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

TODAY Worship & Property Team meetings after Church

2:30 - 5:00 pm Scout meetings Sept 30 9:30 am Tuesday Mornings – prayers & scripture review

10:00 am Missionary Aide meeting and luncheon Oct 2

Oct 5 8:30 am Deacon's meeting

Finance Team meeting after Church **6:00 pm** Church Board Meeting – all are welcome

Oct 7 Oct 12 **Congregational Meeting after Church**

- Volunteers are needed for Nursery and Junior Church. Please see sign-up sheets in the overflow room.
- Don't forget to order some of Scott Griswold's bread to support the Alzheimer's Walk on October 18th. Forms are available in the
- October is our month to supply/work the WL Food Pantry. Please see the list in the overflow room for food needs or make monetary donations in the orange donation box. Checks need to be made payable to Carol Hemphill in order for her to cash and purchase items
- Your continued support is appreciated and may be mailed to West Liberty UCC PO Box 427, West Liberty, OH 43357.

PRAYER REQUESTS and JOYS



Don Moffitt Vicki Lingrell Marcus Taylor **Brandy McAdams** Michelle Moffitt Rosie Michael Heather Varian Renay Fullerton **Christy Ulmer** John Bailes Allison & Dave Daulton Patty Kauffman Lauretta McClain Brenda Cov Debbie Hamilton **Our Confirmands**

> Our nursing home residents & shut-ins Our service men & women

> > **Serving Today**

Nursery: Organist: Sandra Morris Sound: Ray Etgen Youth Message: Bill Warner Song Leader: Penny Higgins Screens: Ed Armentrout Jr. Church: Brandy Powell Ministers: The Entire Congregation Videotaping: Bec Smith Serving Next Week (Oct 5, 2025)

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