

West Barre
United Methodist Church



October 9, 2022

Sunday Worship
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Welcome and Greeting

Prelude

Announcements

*** Call To Worship**

Leader: The poor and needy search for water but there is none.

People: Their tongues are parched with thirst

Leader: But I the Lord will answer them, says the Lord, I the God of Israel will not forsake them.

People: I will make rivers flow on barren heights, and springs within the valleys. I will turn the desert into pools of water, and the parched ground into springs.

***Opening Unison Prayer**

Jesus, Lord and Master, as we are called to worship this morning we turn our hearts to the promises of your Word.

He who comes to you will never go hungry, he who believes in you will never thirst; but the water you give him will become a spring of water welling up to eternal life.

Lord, quench our thirsty souls, and give us this living water forevermore we pray. Amen.

***Hymn**

“Be Thou My Vision”

UMH #451

Scripture Lesson: John 4:3-26

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God

Dismissal of Children to their Classes

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the
worshiping throng, Water, God's Word, bread and cup
prayer and song: this is where children belong

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

UMH #895

*** Hymn**

"Open My Eyes That I May See"

UMH #454

Morning Meditation: "Jesus is the Answer"

Choir Anthem

Receiving of the Morning Offering

Doxology

UMH #95

Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn**

"More Love to Thee, O Christ"

UMH #453

Benediction

A Prayer of Saint Patrick

Christ be with us, Christ before us, Christ behind us, Christ in us,
Christ beneath us, Christ above us, Christ on our right, Christ on
our left, Christ where we lie, Christ where we sit, Christ where we
arise. Christ in every one who thinks of us, Christ in every eyes
that sees us, Christ in every ear that hears us. Amen.

***Sending Forth**

Disperse in Mission

*Note for visitors: **Bold text is spoken in unison**, *congregation standing as able. Please sign our visitor log before you leave, we'd love to be in touch with you!

To access our website, type: westbarreumc.org

We are also on Facebook, type: West Barre UMC

To contact Pastor Jim Heiler: 716-523-7542 or jheiler0409@gmail.com

Pastor Jim keeps regular office hours on Wednesday from 9am to 5pm, unless he steps out for visitation, meetings, or appointments. In that case, he will leave a note on the church office door advising when he will return. Please call if you have an emergency 24/7. You matter to Jesus. You matter to me.



	Today 10/9	Next Sunday 10/16
Preaching:	Rev. James Heiler	Rev. James Heiler
Greeters/Ushers:	Vicky Housenecht & Danny Shuler	Karen & Samantha Markle
Liturgist:	Jim Peglow	Jim Peglow
Organist:	Naomi Caldwell	Naomi Caldwell
Choir Director:	Hugh Dudley	Hugh Dudley
Altar Flowers:	Vicky Housenecht	Karen Markle

Announcements:

Monday: 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study
Friday: 7 pm Men's group

Looking ahead:

Sunday (16th): 9 am Choir
October 17th: 6:30 pm Women's Bible Study -
October 28th: 6:30 pm Family Night Supper with packing
Shoeboxes

Next week's scripture: 1 Kings 17:8-16, Mark 6:32-44

Monthly Mission: Shoebox ministry

Our Church charge conference is scheduled Saturday, October 22, 9am-10:30 am at Elmgrove United Methodist Church 1500 Spencerport Rd, Rochester NY 13606 (585) 247-4973. The district office has encouraged us to meet in person this year rather than by zoom conference.



Financial Statement:

October 2, 2022	\$ 1,575.00
Giving to Date:	\$ 80,325.83
Included:	
Shoe Box	\$260.00

The newsletter will not be published in October due to sickness in our publisher's family. We will try to resume the newsletter in November. Please contact Pastor Jim if you are willing to help during the transition period, while our publisher determines her role going forward.

The Barre Betterment Committee is going to be offering to deliver a dinner from the Community Kitchen to people in the Barre area that may be in need. It will only be on the first Thursday of the month beginning in September. Please contact Cyndy to make arrangements. 585-590-7503.



Be Thou My Vision

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Unison

1. Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
 2. Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word;
 3. Great God of heav - en, my vic - to - ry won,

naught be all else to me, save that thou art.
 I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord;
 may I reach heav - en's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!

Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
 thou and thou on - ly, first in my heart,
 Heart of my own heart, what - ev - er be - fall,

wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
 great God of heav - en, my trea - sure thou art.
 still be my vi - sion, O Rul - er of all.

WORDS: Ancient Irish; trans. by Mary E. Byrne, 1905; versed by Eleanor H. Hull, 1912, alt.
 MUSIC: Trad. Irish melody; harm. by Carlton R. Young, 1963

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1. O - pen my eyes, that I may see glimps - es of truth thou
 2. O - pen my ears, that I may hear voic - es of truth thou
 3. O - pen my mouth, and let me bear glad - ly the warm truth

hast for me; place in my hands the won - der - ful key
 send - est clear; and while the wave - notes fall on my ear,
 ev - ery - where; o - pen my heart and let me pre - pare

Refrain
 that shall un - clasp and set me free.
 ev - ery - thing false will dis - ap - pear. Si - lent - ly now I
 love with thy chil - dren thus to share.

wait for thee, read - y, my God, thy will to see.

O - pen my eyes,
 O - pen my ears, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine!
 O - pen my heart,

WORDS: Clara H. Scott, 1895
 MUSIC: Clara H. Scott, 1895

OPEN MY EYES
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More Love to Thee, O Christ

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1. More love to thee, O Christ, more love to thee!
 2. Once earth - ly joy I craved, sought peace and rest;
 3. Let sor - row do its work, come grief and pain;
 4. Then shall my lat - est breath whis - per thy praise;

Hear thou the prayer I make on bend - ed knee.
 now thee a - lone I seek, give what is best.
 sweet are thy mes - sen - gers, sweet their re - frain,
 this be the part - ing cry my heart shall raise;

This is my ear - nest plea: More love, O Christ, to thee;
 This all my prayer shall be: More love, O Christ, to thee;
 when they can sing with me: More love, O Christ, to thee;
 this still its prayer shall be: More love, O Christ, to thee;

more love to thee, more love to thee!
 more love to thee, more love to thee!
 more love to thee, more love to thee!
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