

**LEADING WORSHIP: John Marrine & the Laity of PUMC**

**HELPING IN WORSHIP**

Acolyte Sarah-Grace White  
Liturgist  
Head Usher Will Cass  
Ushers Cheryl Cass, Debi McGarvey, Joseph Norman

**OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST SUNDAY**

Contemplative Prayer Service @ 8am 5                      Worship @ 10:00 am 103  
Sunday School – All Ages 15                                      YouTube & Zoom 34

**REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS**

**Our members:** Barbara Bates, Cheryl Cass, Will Cass, Janet Cole, Ron Cole, Dylan Coughlin, Sandra DeGuzman, Irene Feller, Veronica Gordon, Emily Griess, Betsy Grover, Doris Hammell, Gwen Higgins, Tom Halloran, Sandra Hansen, Pat Hughes, Dick James, Donna Jonnigan, Danny Jones, Betty Longobardi, Julia Miller, Kathleen Nicodemus, Michelle Olavarria, Karla Quinlan, Arnette Schmidt, Diana Silverman, Michelle Simonis, Jeff Tryon, Priscilla Wendover, Catherine White, Sarah-Grace White, Marilyn Zier.

**Friends of our church in your prayers:** Georgia Kustas-Beurket, Cris and John Burke, Jordan Fidler, Bryan Foy, Lee, Margot Madalengoitia, Edgar Martinez, Adonis Marzan, Hilary McAllister, Joe Pollen, Rob Post, Jean Slater, Wayne Surico, Jeff Theiss, Robert Thompson-Gee, Ronald Tomaso, Jackie Triguero, Clifford Zier. All the innocents affected by wars and conflicts around the world.

**Members of the military, active and/or retired, in your prayers:** Michael Clear, Staff Sergeant in the Army, Joshua Lord, 1-69 Infantry Medical Platoon Sergeant, NYC; Randal Middleton, Naples, Italy Naval Base, Major Jason Oliver, Texas.

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**Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church Service**  
**October 20, 2024**

**Laity Sunday/Pastor Appreciation**

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Offertory Anthem: "O Lord Most High"

Debbie Carrier & Laura Gabor, handbells

**RISE UP!**

Words of Welcome

Life of the Church

Prelude

Call to Worship

John Marrine

Leader: We are called to be witnesses who bring life to light.

**People: We know the Spirit guards for safe keeping every life entrusted to God.**

Leader: We listen for the altar call of grace at every address.

**People: We know grace is a prayer for help answered.**

Leader: In all that we do, we are growing together in God's grace, ever at work for the life of the world.

**People: We thank God that the same Savior who accompanies us leads us to bear witness to grace at work in others.**

Opening Prayer

John Marrine

**\*Songs of Praise: "Make Me a Servant"**

TFWS 2176

*"Here I Am, Lord"*

UMH 593

**Scripture Reading:** Mark 10:35-45

Patty Little, Dexter Moreno & Juno Little

Pastor Appreciation

Beth Borchert & Debi McGarvey

Sermon for the Young & Young at Heart

Angela Soto-White

**\*Hymn of Preparation: "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"**

UMH 400

Sermon

Worship God with Tithes and Offerings

Doxology

UMH 94

Silent Prayer & Pastoral Prayer

Vickie Carroll

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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.**

Passing the Peace of Christ

**\*Closing Hymn: "We Are The Church"**

UMH 558

Benediction

John Marrine

*\*Please stand if you are able*



***The Flowers on the Altar are given by Sandy Pullinger to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my husband Richard on his birthday in heaven.***

## Opportunities for You This Week

### SUNDAY, October 20, 2024

#### Laity Sunday/Pastor Appreciation

8:00 am	Contemplative Prayer
8:45	Coffee with Jesus
10:00	Worship Service Sunday School
11:15	Fellowship
11:30	Halo Bells
1:00 pm	Casa de Adoracion
2:00	Parkside AA
4:00	Youth Group

### MONDAY, October 21, 2024

9:00 am	Monday Morning Group
10:00	Exercise
6:30	Gamblers Anonymous

### TUESDAY, October 22, 2024

10:00 am	Pastor's Book Study
12:00 pm	Fellowship Discovery Luncheon
1:00	Arts & Crafts Group
5:30	PP Alcoholics Anonymous
6:00	Joyful Ringers
7:00	Social Justice

### WEDNESDAY, October 23, 2024

7:30 am	Morning Prayers
1:00 pm	Sandy's Bible Study
7:00	Trustees

### THURSDAY, October 24, 2024

5:30 pm	PP Alcoholics Anonymous
7:00	Choir

### FRIDAY, October 25, 2024

8:00 am	Lancaster Trip Departs
8:30	Collate Journey
10:00 am	Exercise
6:00 pm	Casa de Adoracion

### SATURDAY, October 26, 2024

#### Lancaster Trip Returns

8:30 am	Gambler's Anonymous
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### SUNDAY, October 27, 2024

8:00 am	Soaking Prayer
8:45	Coffee with Jesus
10:00	Worship Service Sunday School
11:30	Senior Luncheon Halo Bells Crop Walk
1:00 pm	Casa de Adoracion
2:00	Parkside AA

#### **Make Me A Servant**

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#### **Here I Am Lord**

LYRICS: Dan Schutte  
MUSIC: Dan Schutte

#### **Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing (UMH 400)**

LYRICS: Robert Robinson  
MUSIC: Wyeth's Repository of Sacred Music

#### **We Are the Church (UMH 558)**

LYRICS: Richard K Avery & Donald S. March  
MUSIC: Richard K Avery & Donald S. March

*1 Beu, B.J.; Scifres, Mary. The Abingdon Worship Annual  
2024 (p. 28). Abingdon Press. Kindle Edition.*

**Welcome to Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church.** We are delighted to have you worship with us today!

**We want to be your family of faith.** We hope that you feel at home in our church family, and we encourage those interested in membership to speak with one of the ushers or contact us at 845-452-2933 or by email at [office@pokumc.org](mailto:office@pokumc.org)

### Open Opportunities at PUMC:

Stewardship

Board of Trustees

Nominating Committee

Hospitality

Visitation

Harriet Tubman Academic Skills Center Board

Green Team Coordinator

## Announcements

**Save the Date for Church Conference.** Church conference will be held on Sunday, November 17 @ 2pm. We will be hosting this year. **Reports will be optional, except those that are required by the conference.** If you aren't sure what is required please contact the office.

**November 3 is All Saints Sunday** – Please contact the office with any names you would like to be included. Traditionally that includes people who have passed away in the year since last years All Saints Sunday. Also feel free to bring in pictures of those you lost and they will be displayed on the altar.

**The Way Forward team is exploring the return of a contemporary service to PUMC.** We are in early discussions with an experienced Worship Leader for the best way to accomplish this. In parallel, we'd like to start the search for musicians who play the guitar, bass, piano or drums. If you are interested or know someone who might be interested, please contact John Marrine ([jmarrine@gmail.com](mailto:jmarrine@gmail.com)).

**Senior Celebration – September 27@ 11:30pm!** It will still take place right after church, but it will now be a full luncheon for all those that are in their 80s and 90s. If you plan to attend there will be a sign up sheet at church, or you can contact the office.

**Please spread the word so that the whole congregation knows about this event!** For those that are not at that age yet, we need your help to put on an amazing event. We will need servers, decorators, people to bring in food, cooks, and folks to clean up. Please contact the office to offer to help or there is a sign up sheet in Fellowship Hall.

**Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes** - Please consider contributing to our mission project Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. This ministry partners in more than 100 countries to distribute these gifts during Gospel-focused events where children and their families learn about the Lord Jesus Christ. In the coat closet is a marked container for items such as school supplies (pen, pencils, small tablets, scissors, crayons), personal care (brushes, combs, barrettes, toothbrushes, soap) socks, and small toys. **Please NO liquid items, food or war related toys.** All are welcome to fill a shoebox at home and bring it into our collection. Please have all items at the church by November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Hope on a Mission meals** - Our church will transition our food contribution to assist our local street church ministry Hope on a Mission and have committed to providing a meal on the third Saturday of each month. This mission will also accept packaged food and bottles of water throughout the month. Clothing can also be donated. Please contact Nancy Marrine (cell 845-380-4887) if you can help.

**Important Upcoming Dates:**

- Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup> – Lancaster Trip
- Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup> – Senior Celebration & Crop Walk
- Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> – All Saints Sunday
- Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> – Election Day Pie Bake
- Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Baskets Due
- Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup> – Veteran’s Day – Office Closed
- Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup> – Church Conference @ 2pm
- Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Lunch After Worship
- Thursday, November 28<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Day
- Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup> – Advent Potluck Supper

**Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church**

*invites you to the*



If we work together, we can end world hunger. That's why Poughkeepsie United Methodist Church is participating in the CROP Hunger Walk to help families who are struggling with hunger. Please join your brothers and sisters in Christ at PUMC with your steps and your donations. Together we will provide more meals for the growing number of people right here in our community who need them and create greater food security in communities around the world.



**WALK** with us after the service on October 27<sup>th</sup>.

Email Barb Adams at [bcadams317@gmail.com](mailto:bcadams317@gmail.com) to signup!

**DONATE** by visiting the

**PUMC Crop Walk Fundraising page:**

*Point your phone camera at the QR code and touch the orange link that appears.*

**Thank you!**

**Our Youth Group is supporting the Crop Walk in conjunction with their month-long focus on food insecurity. Please consider supporting the Youth at their planned activities which will be raising funds for the Crop Walk, and joining them for the walk itself on Sunday, October 27th.**

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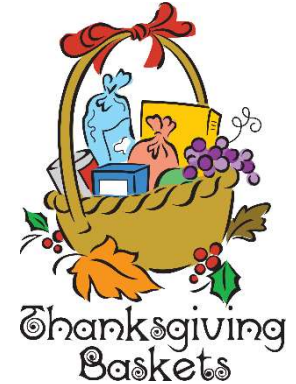
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## THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Our Church will again be sponsoring the Adopt-a-Family for Thanksgiving Program. We hope to provide a nutritious, traditional meal. We are asking those who can to provide a family of 4 the following items:

Box of instant potatoes  
 Box of stuffing mix  
 3 cans of vegetables  
 1 can of yams  
 1 can of cranberry sauce  
 2 envelopes of gravy mix  
 and

a check for \$20.00 to cover the cost of the turkey, pie and rolls



~OR~

Donate funds so that the items can be purchased. You can make a check payable to the PUMC and note clearly on the check "Thanksgiving Baskets" or place cash in an envelope marked "Thanksgiving Baskets" and place it in the offering or send it to Church. We also would appreciate a donation of a turkey.

Sign-ups for donating a bag of food and money donations can be done in Fellowship Hall during the month of October or call Nancy Marrine on her home number (845-471-6492) or text/call her on her cell (845-380-4887) if you can provide a basket. You can also send an email ([NMarrine@aol.com](mailto:NMarrine@aol.com)). If you are not shopping and want to contribute a basket please let us know and we can shop for you.

The groceries and checks and turkeys will be brought to Church by Sunday, November 10 and will be placed in the Narthex or the coat rack by Fellowship Hall. The Thanksgiving baskets will be distributed on Friday, November 22 at the Family Partnership Center on North Hamilton St.

We also need helpers in the Church office on October 28, 29, 30, 31, & November 1 to take telephone calls for baskets. Additional assistance will be needed to bring the bags of food to the Family Partnership Center and assist in the distribution. For information or to volunteer, call the Church office (452-2933) or Nancy Marrine.