

Sunday, September 6th , 2026
Fifteenth Sunday After Pentecost

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 119)

Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes,

and I will observe it to the end.

Give me understanding, that I may keep your law

and observe it with my whole heart.

Turn my heart to your decrees

and not to selfish gain;

be gracious to me according to your word.

for your word is good.

OPENING PRAYER

**God of Grace and Love we approach your altar this morning
with joy. Letting go of the passing disappointments of this world
to be lifted to a higher realm. To hear the truth of Your word,
know the peace of Your people and experience the joy of Your
presence. A-men.**

*OPENING HYMN Joyful Joyful #89

OFFERING

TESTAMONIAL

DOXOLOGY/PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE As the children come forward,
please sing "Jesus Loves Me" First Verse only UMH#191

JOYS/CONCERNS/PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S
PRAYER

PREPARATORY HYMN Lord Whose Love Through
Humble Service #581

SCRIPTURE: 2 Corinthians 9:5-10

SERMON A Joyful Giver

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN: I Come with Joy #617

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Please remain seated until after the Postlude. Let
this time center you to **Love Boldly, Serve Joyfully,**
and **Lead Courageously** this week*

Sunday, Aug 30rd , 2026

Attendance- 75

Tithes, Offerings, & Loose plate: \$3,094.10

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT PORT BYRON FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



United Methodist Church Mission: *The mission of the church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.*

United Methodist Church Vision: *The United Methodist Church forms disciples of Jesus Christ who, empowered by the Holy Spirit, love boldly, serve joyfully, and lead courageously in local communities and worldwide connections.*

Port Byron 1st UMC Mission: *The mission of the Port Byron First United Methodist Church is to center the congregation with God and Jesus Christ, to develop authentic relationships in a faithful community and communion of grace, and to honor God and all of Their creation.*

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