



WIKIMEDIA/BAPTISM OF CHRIST



“Remembering the Ecosystem of Baptism”

OCTOBER 19, 2025

9:30 AM

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Prelude Welcome & Time of Silence

"In this quiet moment, Jesus speak to me. Fill my heart with Thy love divine,
Your power let me see."

Call to Worship

L: Creator God, the river of your grace flows about us.

All: We enter into its flow, deep in wonder, swimming in your grace.

L: Rabbi Jesus, you were baptized by John in the Jordan.

**All: We come with you to be washed in the grace of God,
to be immersed in the glory of the Beloved.**

L: Holy Spirit, you came to Jesus at his baptism like a dove.

**All: Come to us, and fill us with the joy of your presence,
the song of your power, the feathers of delight.**

L: Give us wings to do your will, and to be your people.

**ALL: Alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, and transform us by your grace.
Alleluia!**

Hymn 793

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

Empower Moment

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Sung response: Glory be to the Father; and to the Son; and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen, Amen.

An Affirmation of Faith (unison)

This is the good news which we received, in which we stand and by which we are saved; that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day; and that he appeared to Mary, then to the twelve, and to many faithful witnesses. We believe he is the Christ, the Son of the Living God. He is the first and the last, the beginning and the end, he is our Lord and our God. Amen.

Sharing of Joys and Concerns & 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen."

The Sacrament of New Members and Baptism

Anthem

"What an Awesome God"

Contemporary Choir

Scripture:

Mark 1:1-11

Sermon: "Remembering the Ecosystem of Baptism"

Anthem "Come Holy Spirit" **Contemporary Choir**

Congregational News

Hymn 597 "Take My Life and Let it Be"

Benediction Postlude and Sung Benediction

Upcoming Worship Leaders

October 19: Rev. Sarah Henkel

October 26: Elizabeth Orengo (WL) Sodelina Holderbaum (Preaching)

November 2: Jim Eggleton with Elizabeth Orengo for Communion

Today

- Music: Penny Antona, Sue and Mike Conklin, Contemporary Choir
- Sound/Lights: John Goldsmith, Maurice Davoren
- PowerPoint & Live Stream: Elizabeth & Rich Orengo
- Worship Leader: Rev Sarah Henkel
- New Members: Sherri Laird, Rafaele Carson, Jr. and Susan Carson
- Baptism: Ethan Halstead, Owen Halstead, Asher Carson, Colton Carson, Sawyer Carson, Maverick Carson and Rafaele Carson Jr.
- Our 9:30 AM service is live streamed on YouTube and you may appear in live worship

Giving QR Code

- To give by credit/debit cards/online checks use the QR code!
- Giving especially during this transitional time is essential!



Note from the PNC:

- Members: Mike Canonico (Chair), John Goldsmith, Josh Decker, Kelly Dolson, Krista Vellenga, Lisa Grainger, and Robbie Green.
- We are preparing for second interviews.
- Please continue to pray for the PNC—that God will grant wisdom, clarity, and discernment throughout this important process.

Office Hours

- Monday and Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00pm and Wednesdays as needed.

Share your Joys & Concerns

- Did you know you can share your prayer requests 24/7 by posting them on our church app's Prayer Wall? [Download the app today.](#)
- They will also be collected before and during worship.

Interested in leading worship?

- Speak to Elizabeth about an upcoming Sunday in Nov and December.

Do you have any announcements or information to share?

- Send details to Maggie at secretary.otisvillepres@gmail.com by Monday to be included in next Sunday's bulletin.

Blood Drive in memory of John Dineen

- The blood drive was a huge success with 37 pints of blood collected!!
- The Dineen family wishes to express their love and gratitude for all who participated in any capacity whether giving or helping with the set up and break down or spreading the word! Thank you and blessings!!!
- The family is aiming to make this blood drive an annual event.

Food Pantry Needs!

- We need JUICE! And, canned tuna, salmon or chicken, and canned veggies.

Wednesday Night Bible Study

- Wednesday Night Bible Study is being held on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM. Bible study is held in person in the Memorial Room or on Zoom. Contact Jim or Sue Eggleton for more info.

Stewardship Mailings

- We are working on the Stewardship Mailings. Watch for them at the end of October. Be sure the church has your current address.

Thanksgiving Baskets Available NOW.

- Bags are available in the sanctuary and the fellowship hall each with their own number list. There are turkey included or non-turkey bags.
- You can drop off the filled bags on *Sun. 11/16 or 11/17, 11/19 or 11/21 between 9:00am – 3:00pm.*

Deacons Fall Legacy Brunch – November 16

- Join us for a time of fellowship, gratitude, and joy as we celebrate and honor our senior congregants.

Operation Shoe Box collection – November 16

- Operation Christmas Child "Shoe Boxes" will be ready for distribution on Oct. 19th! Labels and information will be in the boxes.
- Please return your filled shoe box on Sunday, November 16th with a \$10 donation towards shipping.
- If you would like to participate in this Ministry without actually packing a box, monetary donations will be gratefully accepted. See Sue Conklin for details.

Deacon's Medical Closet

- There are walkers, wheelchairs, shower chairs and other medical supplies available for those in need. See Frank or Will.