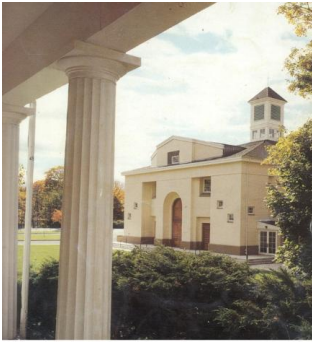




"This is the day the Lord
has made, let us rejoice
and be glad in it"

Psalm 118:24

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September 13, 2026
~ Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost ~
10am Worship

We Celebrate the Good News

The Gathering of God's People

Time to speak with each other

Greeting

"The Lord be with you...
And also with you."



*Please fill out and pass the Friendship Books.
Visitors, please fill in your address as well. Thank You!*



Prelude



The Call to Worship

Pam Kara / Congregation

L: Now is the time to awaken to the presence of God the Eternal Spirit.

P: Now is the time to come alive with our songs of praise.

L: Today we open ourselves to the power of the Spirit in our lives.

P: Today we extend our hands in caring toward humanity.

All: We do all this because we have responded to the ministry and message of Jesus Christ, whose people we are. Amen and Amen.



Gathering Hymn: "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" #52

The Welcoming Prayer/God's Greeting

Rev. Jack Branford

The Call to Confession

Pam Kara

Prayer of Confession

Creator God, we confess that we do not give our lives over to the transforming power of your Spirit to call out the gifts of each one of us and to build up the life of the whole church. Today, as we wonder at your creation in the world around us, may we also open ourselves to the new creation you seek to bring about within and among us, through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Pam Kara

The Law

Pam Kara



“Glory Be to the Father”

Anthem

“The Summons”

John Thayer, Soloist

Gabriella Fryer, Accompanist

We Proclaim the Good News

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture

Psalm 19

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



Sermon Hymn: " Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies"

#562

The Message

“The Heavens are Telling the Glory of God”

Rev. Jack Branford

We Respond to the Good News

(Please print your prayer request on the blue card in the pew rack and deposit in offering plate.)

The Offering



The Doxology: “Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”

The Offertory Prayer

Thank you, God, for the opportunity to share in your work of restoring the creation. Because you have blessed us, we have much to give. Accept these offerings as an expression of our gratitude and our hope to be more fully your own loyal community. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.



Prayer Hymn: “Spirit of the Living God” #297

Prayers of Thanksgiving

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.



Sending Hymn: “God of Creation, All Powerful” #48

Benediction

Postlude



See the information table for a list of our current Consistory Members and Committees.