

## COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

### ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORSHIP

Today's altar flowers are sponsored  
IN HONOR & GLORY OF GOD  
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#### Memorial Day

*The red, white, and blue carnations on the altar are in remembrance of all those who have died in service of the United States of America.*

### PRAYER LIST

Donna & Randy S., Grover F., George, Beverly, Debbie, Brian, Dean, Scheree, Rich, Sabrina, Walt & Peg, Bob E., Bob H., Ella S., the Schultz family, Madison, Jaxson, Carly, Michael, Luciana, Gene, Heather, Sue, Steve, Brian & Teresa, Mama Roz, Carolyn, Martha, Tom & family, Colin & family, Francesca, Baptiste, Jeff S. & family, Dolly, Debbie, Gail, Debra, Terry B., Joan, Kathy, Helen, Chrisie, Linda, Melissa, Jeff, Kirk family, Joan Merritt, Jim & Sarah, Jon, Kukon family, John, Sofia, Aimee, Lila, Sue, Nicole, the Dare family, Toby, Megan's Mother, Baby Isaiah, Smith Family, John, Darlene, Jeff, Nick Mengert, Audrey Serfass, Don Serfass, Della Meekins, Dawn Kerr, Bob Cusano, Jeannine VanBuren, Alice Kennedy, Dave, Bruce, Miss Juina, Mark Brooks, Tracey Kimmey. Those in recovery, the homeless and the food insecure.

### THIS WEEK AT EMILIE

**Sunday**—Chaos Youth Group, 6:00-7:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday**—Scouts Troop, 7 p.m.  
**Wednesday**—Prayer Team, 10:30 -11 a.m.  
Thrift Store, 6-7 p.m.  
**Thursday**—Girl Scout Troop, 6 p.m.  
Bell Choir Rehearsal, 7 p.m.  
**Saturday**—Men's Prayer Breakfast, 8 a.m.  
Thrift Store, 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

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### SAVE THE DATE

**Graduation Sunday, Next Sunday—May 31st**  
**Women's Crafting Circle—June 1st**

Last day to drop off items to be donated to the Day School for their Fundraiser —**June 5th**

**Office Hours**

This week: Tues. & Wed. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.  
Office closed on Thursday

### Sermonic Hymn

#### *There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit*

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,  
And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;  
There are sweet expressions on each face,  
And I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

#### Refrain:

*Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove,  
Stay right here with us, filling us with Your love.  
And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise;  
Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived,  
When we shall leave this place.*

There are blessings you cannot receive  
Till you know Him in His fullness and believe;  
You're the one to profit when you say,  
"I am going to walk with Jesus all the way."

If you say He saved you from your sin,  
Now you're weak, you're bound and cannot enter in,  
You can make it right if you will yield,  
You'll enjoy the Holy Spirit that we feel.

### CHARGE CONFERENCE-SPECIAL SESSION

June 5th, 6:30 p.m. in our church

#### Purpose:

- Sale of old church school bus.
- Secure a loan from the Conference Loan Fund to renovate the parsonage.

Please, make every effort to attend this meeting which will take place directly following our morning worship service.

## EMILIE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CELEBRATING 162 YEARS OF WORSHIP,  
PRAYER, & SERVICE  
1863 - 2026



# Pentecost Sunday

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Acts 2: 1-21

May 24th, 2026  
10 a.m.



BRINGING PEOPLE TO CHRIST,  
GROWING PEOPLE IN CHRIST,  
SERVING PEOPLE FOR CHRIST.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Pentecost Sunday*

May 24th, 2026

The Rev. Stacey Jones-Anderson

\*You are invited to stand in body or spirit, as you are able.

**Pre-Service Music** *Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*  
arr. Lloyd Larson

*(Please take this time to write any prayer requests you may have on the prayer cards in the pews. They will be received during the offering and shared during prayers of the people).*

**Greeting** The Lord be with you! **And also with you!**

**\*Call to Worship** Liturgist, Dennis Sibley  
Liturgist: Creator God, you instill in us the need and desire for belonging and community.

**People: Open our eyes and ears to each other, O Creator -**

Liturgist: Redeemer God, you have shown us how to practice agape love, to accept and include everyone, especially those we have marginalized.

**People: Open our eyes and ears to each other, O Redeemer -**

Liturgist: Sustainer God, you surround us as we go about the hard work of living and working to ensure that everyone flourishes, everywhere, right now.

**All: Open our hearts to you, O Sustainer - Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer God, open us to generate, manifest and protect your Beloved Community, where we affirm our differences and offer hospitality that stretches our image of ourselves.**

**\*Opening Hymn** *Let All the world and every Corner Sing*  
UMH #93

**Unison Opening Prayer** Dennis Sibley  
**Lord, we come from different neighborhoods, different backgrounds, different interests, and different ideas. Through your Holy Spirit, make us one today. Transcend our divisions and show us how to live together in unity. Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us and give us the power to love in ways we never thought possible. Amen.**

**Passing of the Peace** Dennis Sibley

## Community Connections

### Children's Message

### Receiving God's Tithes and Prayers

**Offertory Music** Special Music  
Todd Ermer & Lydia Ermer

**\*Doxology** *Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow* #95

**\*Unison Offertory Dedication and Prayer** Dennis Sibley  
**Holy Spirit, just as you filled the first believers with boldness and joy, we too are filled with gratitude for your blessings. All that we have comes from your hand. Receive these gifts as a sign of our gratitude. Bless them and bless us as we spread hope, bring people together and share your love in ways that speak to every heart. Amen!**

**Hymn of Reflection** *Spirit Song* UMH #347

### Prayers of the People & Lord's Prayer

**Scripture Reading** Acts 2:1-21 Dennis Sibley

**Sermonic Hymn** *There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit*  
**(See back of Bulletin or Screen)**

**Sermon** *The Vision of Beloved Community* Pastor Stacey

**\*The Apostle's Creed** UMH page 881

**\*Closing Hymn** *We Are the Church* UMH #558

**\*Mission Statement** (screen) Dennis Sibley  
Leader: We are a community called to worship and glorify God by

**People: Bringing People to Christ,  
Growing People in Christ,  
And Serving People for Christ.**

Leader: This is our mission.

**All: Thanks be to God!**

### \*Benediction and Sending Forth

**\*Postlude** *Spirit Divine, Attend Our Prayers*

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The pastor-on-call is available outside of regular office hours for those experiencing true emergencies, such as a critical hospitalization or urgent physical, emotional or spiritual need.

To inquire about services that the church offers, such as joining the church, transferring membership, confirmation, baptism or any other questions or information, please call the church office during business hours.

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