

Sunday Morning Worship
8 AM & 10:15 AM

September 28, 2025
Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Worship Assistants

Hospitality: Team 2: Leslie
Elder of the Morning: Chriss Bodde
Deacon of the Morning: Judy Johnston
Audio Technician: Robin MacMullen
Chancel Flowers: Ruth Kinsey
Driver: Kay Peebles
Social Host: Karen & Mark Methlie

October 5, 2025
World Communion Sunday

Worship Assistants

Hospitality: Team 3: Methlie
Elder of the Morning: All
Deacon of the Morning: Rickie Lee Sands
Audio Technician: Matt Rivett
Chancel Flowers: Marcia Stacey
Driver: Scott Vanderburg
Social Host:

Praying Hands Stitchers

Sunday, October 5 at 9 am

We provide yarn, needles, hooks, and instruction! All are welcome! The Stitchers are a dedicated group that enjoy knitting and crocheting for good causes!



Chancel Flowers:
September 28, 2025



- ☼ In honor of Gold Star Mother's Day from Jean Roshong
- ☼ In memory of John Burkholder's Oct. 2nd birthday from his daughter Judy Johnston and family
- ☼ In memory of Julia G. Krieble's October 3rd birthday from her family

October 5, 2025

- ☼ In memory of loved ones from Doris Latta
- ☼ In memory of Madeleine Bruen from her son, Mark, and Grace, Ben and Allison Bruen

From the Service Outreach & Witness Team:

Join St. John's UCC to

Feed Hope
In
Gaza



Famine is now at unprecedented levels in Gaza. Help us support World Central Kitchen as they seek to scale up production to one million hot meals a day. The church will match the first \$1,000 contributed.

Make a tax-free gift using the QR code, give online at www.st-johns-ucc.org, or mail a check to:

St. John's UCC
500 W Main Street, Lansdale, PA 19446.



As of August 31, 2025	
Budgeted Monthly Income for August	\$26,099.00
Actual Income for August	\$23,539.04
Total Income Difference	(\$2,559.96)
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Budgeted Monthly Expenses for August	\$52,707.22
Actual Expenses for August*	\$101,265.27
Total Expense Difference	\$48,558.05
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YTD Budgeted Current Income for August	\$315,930.00
YTD Actual Current Income for August**	\$359,863.73
Total Current Income Difference	\$43,933.73
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YTD amt. needed to fulfill OCWM pledge	\$29,163.00
YTD Actual Offering for OCWM	\$31,771.00
OCWM Difference	\$2,608.00
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Weekly amount needed for Current Income 2025	\$7,884.62
Weekly amount needed for OCWM 2025	\$826.92
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A Look at the Week of August 3, 2025	
Offering For Current Income	\$7,902.00
Offering For Our Church's Wider Mission	\$1,418.00
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A Look at the Week of August 10, 2025	
Offering For Current Income	\$6,767.50
Offering For Our Church's Wider Mission	\$662.50
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A Look at the Week of August 17, 2025	
Offering For Current Income	\$4,520.34
Offering For Our Church's Wider Mission	\$306.00
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A Look at the Week of August 24, 2025	
Offering For Current Income	\$3,530.00
Offering For Our Church's Wider Mission	\$245.00
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*Includes \$50,000 used to repair front steps (income received in June)	
Without this, actual expense was \$51,265.27.	
**Includes \$65,252.76 from Church Mutual Insur claim to be used to repair front steps	



Book Rummage Sale!

Sundays at **11:30 am**

Books will be displayed downstairs during fellowship, completely free! In-kind donations are welcomed and will be used to better the St. John's library.



Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, September 28 at **2 pm**

Special treats for all the animals! All pets welcome – leashed or crated. Pictures also blessed.



Information Needed For

Fall Goodie Boxes for College Students!

Please send the name and complete address of the student(s) to Bonnie Weber at bonweber@gmail.com or church office at office@st-johns-ucc.org by Sunday, October 5. **Goodie Box Items are due Sunday, October 12.**

See posting on Council Bulletin Board for requested items.



Women's Retreat

9:30 am Saturday, October 4

The October Women's Retreat will meet one week earlier than usual. The presenter will be Luchi Luzares who will speak about her Mother's remarkable legacy and long standing connection with Global Ministries of the United Church of Christ. Light Refreshments will be served. **All women are welcome!**

We're Introducing
Living Our Faith Together With a

LOFTy Breakfast Potluck

Sunday, October 5 at **9:00 AM**



The **LOFT** is a new space to live into the questions and deepen our spiritual practices. It builds on the St. John's tradition of Adult Sunday School & Adult Bible Study & offers opportunities for adult faith formation. Bring a dish and join us for breakfast for more info!

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		11:30 AM	Fellowship, Assembly Hall
		2:00 PM	Blessing of the Animals
Sept 29	Mon	7:00 PM	Fireside 12 Step CA
Sept 30	Tues	7:00 PM	AA, Assembly Hall
Oct 1	Wed	6:30 PM	United Ringers Rehearsal
		7:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Oct 3	Fri	Lansdale First Friday	
		North Penn Chess Club	
Oct 4	Sat	9:30 AM	Women's Retreat Art of Living Foundation
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Oct 7	Tues	7:00 PM	AA, Assembly Hall
Oct 8	Wed	6:30 PM	United Ringers Rehearsal
		7:30 PM	Artist Series Chorus Rehearsal
		8:30 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Oct 9	Thurs	1:00 PM	St. John's Stampers
		6:30 PM	Girl Scouts, Activity Room
Oct 10	Fri	6:00 PM	North Penn Chess Club
Oct 11	Sat	9:30 AM	Choir Retreat w. Trinity Lutheran Art of Living Foundation

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