



First Congregational Church

IN WINCHESTER, UCC

Order of Worship - October 15, 2023 - Youth Sunday

Prelude	<i>Domine Deus, Agnus Dei</i>	François Couperin (1668-1733)
Welcome & Call to Worship		Rev. Maeve Hammond
Processional Hymn	<i>My Life Flows on in Endless Song</i>	New Century Hymnal, #476
Morning Prayer The Lord's Prayer & Act of Praise - Gloria Patri		Isaac K. & Rory V.
Time for the Young		Maggie Keeler & FCCW Youth
Musical Reflection	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i> Janet Vaughan, flute	arr. Kyle Pederson
Scripture	Psalm 147:1-5, 7-11 Matthew 5:3-10, The Beatitudes	Gavin V.
Senior Reflection		Matt H. & Georgia K.
Offertory Anthem	<i>Gavotte in C Minor</i> Michaela S., cello	J.S. Bach
Responsive Closing Prayer	"Lord, In Your Mercy, Hear Our Prayer"	Sonia K.
Closing Hymn	<i>O Love That Will Not Let Me Go</i>	New Century Hymnal, #485
Announcements & Benediction		Rev. Will Burhans & Rev. Maeve Hammond
Postlude	<i>What God Ordains is Always Good</i>	Dan Forrest (b. 1978)

Rev. Will Burhans, Lead Pastor, Rev. Maeve Hammond, Pastoral Resident,
Jane Ring Frank, Minister of Worship & the Arts, Maggie Keeler, Minister of Children & Families,
Jeffrey Mead, Keyboards, Sarah Marino, Office Administrator
Thanks to Brian McArdle, our Live Stream Technician, and Leslie French for Slide Advancement.
Deacons serving today are: Carol Andrus, David DuBard, Andy Gallop, and Liz Sayre.

Visitors, get connected!

Please tell us about yourself and/or request a prayer by filling out a Welcome/Prayer Request Card found in the pews.

Please keep these people in your prayers

Prayers for the grieving **family of Kristina Ellis Spry**, niece of Karen and Lee Roberts.

Prayers of thanksgiving for the life of **Nick Iacuzio**, Marianne Iacuzio's husband, and prayers of comfort for his loved ones.

Rick Osgood, for strength and healing and **his wife Alice and children** as they support him through a difficult time.

Mary Summers, Bill Lewis's sister-in law, for healing.

Family and friends of David Gray, Cindy Mutterperl's son, in their grief.

Julie Peebles (former minister of FCCW in early 1990s), **Paul Davis**, and family as they grieve the death of daughter Meghan.

Matt Gardiner and family, as they grieve the death of their son Nate Gardiner.

The VerPlank family, in the loss of their father/grandfather.

Continued prayers for **Ed Banzy's cousin Charlene** as she slowly recovers from hip surgery and also for **her husband Bart**, who has returned home after 7 weeks in rehab recovering from congestive heart failure.

Laurie Roby's friend Laurel and her family. Her sister, **Amy**, was recently diagnosed with cancer. Amy's husband, **Cliff**, had been diagnosed with cancer as well earlier in the year. And Laurel's **mother** was recently hospitalized with pneumonia.

Alicia Flores, mother of Trish from the Dwelling Place, who had a stroke & is recovering at Winchester Hospital.

A friend of Jodie Mullane, **Marcia**, diagnosed with inoperable throat cancer.

Prayers for healing and recuperation for **Russell Carter** as he continues to recover abroad from surgeries to his collarbone.

Shelly Griffiths, Tomye Little's cousin, for healing, comfort and peace for her and her family.

Nancy Alleyn, friend of **Nick Wankowicz's sister, Nina**, for healing.

Prayers for peace for **Mike Redding** and her loved ones.

Glenn McPherson, **Tony McPherson's brother**, for healing as he awaits a kidney transplant.

Olivia, for healing and help finding her way back to recovery.

Flowers

Today's Chancel flowers are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Liam's 3rd Birthday, given by The Shannahan family.

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