



Endwell United Methodist Church

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The Mission of the Endwell United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

We are a Safe Haven Congregation equipped to welcome anyone whose church has closed or disaffiliated. May you find this faith community a resting place with people who will care for you while providing a haven of peace and grace.

THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP 18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST – OCTOBER 12, 2025

WELCOME/OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY Please sign the red Friendship pad and pass it to those in the pew with you. Our Nursery facility & Toddler room is open upstairs, while not staffed, the worship is streamed live.

PRAY-LUDE “Abide With Me” arr. Gerhard Krapf

***CALL TO WORSHIP:** Amid trouble and turmoil, God is our refuge.

Our Lord is worthy of our trust, even when we don’t understand our circumstances.

Jesus comes to bring us healing.

Heal us, Lord!

***HYMN** “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” #57

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Merciful, faithful, and loving God, we are so bound by rules and regulations that we fail to see that human need supersedes rules. Forgive us and help us to learn from Jesus’ example. Help us to care for one another, even as You have cared for us. We pray in the name of Jesus our healer, Amen.

TIME WITH OUR CHILDREN *(Please bring a penny if you can. If you can’t, come anyway)*

ANTHEM “He Keeps Me Singing” arr. Patti Drennan #895

MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING OURSELVES & OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY “I Need Thee Every Hour” arr. Dale Wood #94

***DOXOLOGY**

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

***HYMN** “You Are Mine” TFWS#2218

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 13:10-17

SERMON “Straighten Up!” Nancy #367

***HYMN** “He Touched Me”

SENDING FORTH & BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Please stand as you are able.

Who did you invite to worship this week?

Please pick up your September/October Upper Room Daily Devotional in the back of the sanctuary.

SERMON NOTES

Who is Jesus?

6) Our healer.

The woman in this story faithfully came to worship, despite the difficulties she had and the ridicule she may have received. Had she not come to worship that day, she would not have been healed. That isn’t to say that healing happens only in worship. Healing can happen anywhere.

The last 4 verses of the passage deal with the fact that Jesus had the audacity to heal this woman *on the sabbath*. The leader of the synagogue was indignant that Jesus healed the woman on the sabbath, completely blind to what he had just witnessed. Instead of rejoicing at the woman’s healing, he was focused on rules being broken. His blindness needed healing! Rules are necessary, but Jesus is demonstrating for us that the needs of people are more important than rules.

What causes you to be bent over? What is weighing you down? Jesus desires to heal you from whatever it is. Healing doesn’t always come the way we want or expect.

Verse 2-4 of our middle hymn, “You Are Mine,” which is a love letter from Jesus to us:

“I am hope for all who are hopeless, I am eyes for all who long to see. In the shadows of the night, I will be your light. Come and rest in me.

I am strength for all the despairing, healing for the ones who dwell in shame. All the blind will see, the lame will all run free, and all will know my name.

I am the Word that leads all to freedom, I am the peace the world cannot give. I will call your name, embracing all your pain, stand up, now walk, and live!”

Endwell United Methodist Church Prayer List

If you would like to include someone or would like to be removed, please call the office.

(Please send notes and words of encouragement to the following brothers and sisters)

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| Marie Foster - St. Louise Manor | Shirley Cannon – Homestead Apalachin |
| Shirley Stacconi – Hilltop | Rose Smith – Good Shepherd Fairview |
| Bob Mallery – Ideal Living Center | Peggy Rider – Ideal Living Center (rehab) |
| Joyce Lott – Homestead Apalachin | Alan Kisacky – living with Sister |
| Gertrude Anderson - Troy, NY | Delores Pero - Home |
| Joan Kisacky – ECM | Carolyn Potter – Castle Gardens |
| Karyl Gadecki –Ideal Living Center | Nettie Williams – Good Shepherd |
| Nadine Phillips – Castle Gardens | Thelma Lamoureux - Vestal |
| Bob & Lorrie Vaber – Good Shepherd | Teresa Perkins – Home |
| Miriam Steffensen – home | |
| Tim Rickard – Oxford Veterans Home (Combat Medic) | |

Grief

Global Wars/Humanitarian needs around the world

Hospitalized and/or recovering

- Nathan Allabaugh (3 yr. old)– still having cancer treatment
Danny McKnight, brother-in-law of Mike Nielsen, late-stage dementia, living in Rockledge, FL
Angela Estelle – in the hospital (friend of John & Debbie Zdimal)
Tom Koch – cancer (friend of John & Debbie Zdimal)
Jim Lewis – Wilson Hospital – tests
Phyllis Smith - recovering from surgery
Jamie Hoffer – cancer (niece of DeEtte Minerley)
Dave VanWinkle – surgery this week

Military

- Andrew Thomsen – Air Force – Deployed to South Korea, Nephew of Sally (Jim) Vazquez
Adam Mills- Air Force – Grandson of Carol Bowman
Tyler Allen – U.S. Army – Savannah, Georgia
David Williams, Jr – Army, Cousin of Nancy Green
Justin Harrington – U.S. Airforce – Del Rio, TX
Cameron Bingel – Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, CA, Grandson of Elsa Bingel
Brandon Nickerson – National Guard
Ben Bolcavage – in the Marines, Grandson of D. Bolcavage
Peter Khamis – Army (Linda Brock)
Andrew Nguyen – Marines – (Tom & Jane Scheibner)
David Danisa – North Carolina
Ayden Walker – Army bootcamp Georgia Grandson of Cindy Fitch

Please sign up to be liturgist. The sign-up sheet is in back of the sanctuary.



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Worship attendance September 28

In person = 129

Live stream = 23

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Monday-Friday

9:00 am-Noon



Electronic Giving

Want to support our Ministry?

It is easy to give electronically and reduces
costs for the Church

Use your smartphone to follow the QR Code

Call the office if you need help

