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SUNDAY WORSHIP AT 10 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL FOLLOWING CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE

24th Sunday after Pentecost **November 8, 2026**

**Please stand as able* *Please silence all cell phones*

PREPARATION

Silent Meditation

Let all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you. Let those who love your salvation say evermore, "God is great! -Psalm 70:4

Prelude "D Dorian" Girolamo Frescobaldi

Greetings and Announcements

Minute for Mission Thanksgiving Baskets Lynne Jones

Ringing of the Bell

Introit "Rain Down" J. Cortez

***Call to Worship**

The Lord is coming. Whom you will serve?
As for me and my family, we will serve the Lord.
What has God done for you?
Wondrous works. Unforgettable deeds.
Strength in the wilderness; paths of liberation!
Say more.
We'll never stop telling our story. The next generation will hear it. Children not yet born will know it.
Hope in God, whose story will never end.
Forever we will praise our faithful helper and deliverer!
Come, let us worship God.

***Hymn 1** "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

CONFESSION AND PARDON

***Unison Prayer of Confession:**

Everlasting God, we say we want to see you, we say we want to know you, we say we want to serve you, but we also do not want to put in the work. We do not want to prepare for your coming by working for your kingdom on this earth. We do not keep alert for signs of you among us, so we schedule you in for an hour or so on Sundays. Forgive us. Inspire us to put our faith to action. Surprise us with your presence so we might learn to always be ready for you to arrive. For it is in Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. Be at peace, beloved, for in Christ we are all forgiven! Amen.

***Response of Praise No. 581** "Gloria Patri"

Exchange of Christ's Peace

L: The peace of Christ be with you. **P: And also with you.**

HEARING THE WORD OF GOD

Children's Sermon *(Children are excused for Sunday School)*

Anthem "This is My Fathers World" Hagenberg

Scripture Readings Amos 5:18-24, Matthew 25:1-13

L: This is the Word of the Lord. **P: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon "Active Preparation" Rev. Michael Hafele

***Hymn 175** "Seek Ye First"

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

DEDICATION AND RESPONSE

Thanking God through the Offering

***Doxology 606** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" OLD HUNDREDTH

Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn 625** "How Great Thou Art"

Benediction

Postlude "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" Rudolf Moser

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR November 8-15, 2026

TODAY	**24th Sunday after Pentecost**
	Rev. Michael Hafele
9:00 AM	Family Tree
10:00 AM	Worship Service followed by Congregational/Corporation Meeting
TUESDAY	
9:30 AM	Staff Meeting
5:15 PM	Music & Worship Committee Meeting
6:00 PM	Session Meeting
WEDNESDAY	**Veteran's Day – Office Closed**
12:00 PM	P.W. Soup & Sandwich Luncheon
SUNDAY	**25th Sunday after Pentecost**
	Rev. Michael Hafele
9:00 AM	Family Tree
10:00 AM	Worship Service followed by Coffee Hour

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-Bulletin announcements must be received to the office by Monday each week to be included in the Sunday bulletin.

-Tidings Articles are due by the 20th each month to be included in the monthly newsletter. All are welcome to participate!

If you are visiting this morning, you do not come as a visitor but as a family member in Christ. You are welcome here as you are.

-Please sign the guest book located in your pew so that the church can stay connected with you. Please pass to your neighbor so all are able to sign.
-LARGE PRINT bulletins and hymnals are available in the rear of the sanctuary for easy reading. Please ask an usher for assistance.
-Nursery Care is available during worship in the West Wing.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Recent: Ellen Brenner; Ellen Talmage, healing prayers (friend of Tony Thompson)**; John Cooling,** cancer (friend of Jornitz Family); **Lois Kilpatrick,** cancer (sister of Karen Derryberry); **John Sprague,** healing prayers; **Mariko & Leandro Pichardo**, healing prayers; **Gale & Pete Seidler,** home**; Dick Anderson,** healing prayers; **Susan Sullivan**, friend of John and Mary Hull; **Leslie Johnson,** cancer (Stephanie Miller's mother)
Long Term: Ralph Neubauer; Chelsey Carter Collins, Hamptons Center for Rehab; **Dana Barrett,** friend of Nancy Miller

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Ushers
Jane & Tom Otis

Flowers
The flowers on the chancel are given to the Glory of God in honor of all veterans and their families who bear the burden of their service.
By The Williams Family

TODAY! Congregational/Corporation Meeting

The Session and the Board of Trustees have called for a joint Congregational/Corporation Meeting to be held immediately following worship. The purpose of this meeting is to hear the report of WPC's Nominating Committee and to elect church officers.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard H. Schneider, Clerk of Session

Wednesday, Nov. 11th: P.W. Soup & Sandwich Meeting

Join us on Nov. 11th at noon! Bring your favorite sandwich or salad to accompany soup provided by Gini Wagner. We will discuss old and new business. All ladies are welcome if able.

Annual Harvest Dinner at WPC



Thursday, November 19th at 6pm
Come share great Food, Fellowship & Fun!
John & Meryle King and The Kitchen Crew will provide turkey, dressing and dessert. Sign up in the Parish Hall or call the church office. Please put the side dish you will bring to accompany our feast. -**The Deacons will be delivering Harvest Dinners on Friday, Nov. 20th for those who are home bound, please contact Kathy Dayton 631-834-7280**.

Evening Chapel Service: Dec. 2

Join us on the first Wednesday each month at 7PM for an evening Chapel service of worship. These services will be an extension of our Sunday morning services and will give our congregation and community who are unable to attend, the opportunity to join us in fellowship. Save these dates! We'll see you there! (1 Beach Lane, Quogue)

Sunday's at 9AM: Christian Denominations Family Tree

Have you ever wondered how all the Christian Denominations came into being? 9AM in the Parish Hall, Pastor Michael will lead an 8-part video series on the Family Tree of Christian Denominations. This series will continue through Nov. 15th. All are welcome.

Food Pantry Needs

LI food banks are desperately low. Please donate nonperishable food items, necessary male & female personal products and children's snacks. Thank you for supporting our community. Your donations have been a blessing to our community pantry.

Youth Group: Thanksgiving Basket Collection

The Youth will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Deacons Thanksgiving Food Baskets from **now - Nov. 22nd**. Please bring your donations to the Youth table on Sunday mornings or drop off at the church office during the week. Kathy is also looking for family recipes to accompany the baskets. For more information, please see Kathy Tureski.