

**Activity Schedule—PLEASE SEE MORE DETAILS IN THE NEWSLETTER**

Today	9am	Worship Service Coffee Fellowship
9/17	1-3pm	10 Week Journey using "Companions in Christ", series "The Way of Discernment" @ Traverse Bay UMC (books are \$10 each)

**Blessing:**

The Lord bless us and keep us. The Lord make His face to shine upon us, and be gracious unto us. The Lord lift up His countenance upon us, and give us peace, this day and forever more. We thank you, O God, for the gift of baptism. In the waters of baptism you confirm to us that we are buried with Christ in his death, raised to share in his resurrection, and are being renewed by the Holy Spirit. Pour out upon us and on your whole church the gift of your Holy Spirit, so that all who have passed through the waters of baptism might be dead to sin and alive in God in Christ Jesus. To God be all honor and glory, dominion and power, now and forever, through Jesus Christ our Lord, in whose name we are bold to pray: Amen.

\*In September we are supporting Keys to Freedom, we collected \$22.00 for them last week.

Thank you! More information can be found on the Missions Board in the Narthex, thank you!\*

*Please join us for Coffee Fellowship after the Service!*

**September Celebrations!**

2nd	Stephen Donkers, Jr.	21st	Chelsea Lloyd
13th	Tom Bloxsom	27th	Kim Kuncaitis
17th	Dirk Renzema		



**Welcome!**  
**Williamsburg United Methodist Church**  
**September 8, 2024**



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Thank you to:  
Pianist: *Sally Eichberger*  
Liturgist: *Jean Ridge*

Coffee Fellowship: *Steve & Roberta Bloomfield*  
September 1, 2024 Attendance: 17  
Usher: *Chuck Walter*

**Welcome to Williamsburg United Methodist Church!**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Prelude:** Sally Eichberger

**Opening Hymn:** "Come, Thou Almighty King" Red Hymnal #61

**\*Call to Worship:**

We come, for God gathers us here,  
with that community called faith:  
**where the hungry are served first,  
where the thirsty drink life's water.**  
We come, for God welcomes us here  
into that home called grace:  
**where the naked are clothed in robes of hope;  
where the stranger is embraced as the long-lost prodigal.**

**\*Hymn:** "To God Be the Glory" Red Hymnal #98

**\*Opening Prayer**

**Scripture:** Luke 11:4 [NIV]

**Prayers of The People:** Pastor Matt Chapman

**Church Moment:** Pastor Matt Chapman

**Scripture Recap:** Pastor Matt Chapman

**Scripture Reading:** Genesis 2:4b-7, 15-17, 3:1-8 [NRSVUE] Pastor Matt Chapman

**Sermon:** Pastor Matt Chapman



**Pastoral Prayer of Gratitude, Community Praises and Prayer Concerns:**

**The Lord's Prayer  
"Hear Our Prayer"**

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**\*Closing Hymn:** "God Will Take Care of You" Red Hymnal #130

**\*Blessing:** Pastor Matt Chapman

**\*Sung Response:** "Surely the Presence of the Lord" Red Hymnal #328

**Postlude:** Sally Eichberger

**\*Please stand if you're able**

<b><u>Prayer Requests:</u></b>	Sandy Davids (ALS)
1st Responders	Mike Norton (hospice)
Jim Hockin	Jeanette Norton
Grace Bloxsom	Doris Norton
The Family of Mike (Joyce's nephew)	Joan Kisling (Jean's sister)
Kevin Blanchard	Wanda Provins
John Wayne	Ken and Carol Gallo
Family of Michelle (Berta's friend)	Shirley Lewis (back and legs)
Denny Bartz	Connor (4 year old with brain cancer)
John Sanborn (surgery recovery)	Heather Hockin (MS)
Fran Olson (broken hip)	Crossroads Farm
Joyce Burrows	ACTS Ministry & Food Pantry
Leighton Smith (horse accident)	_____
Jackie Axtell	_____
Kathy (Roberta's Friend) cancer treatment	_____
Claire	_____
Stephen (brain tumor)	_____