

10:30 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

- CHIMES Connor Ricotta
- PRELUDE Connor Ricotta
- INTROIT Senior Choir
"I'm Goin' a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing"
- WORDS OF WELCOME Doug Harke
- CALL TO WORSHIP *(read responsively)* Doug Harke
Lector: God's faithful love welcomes us here.
People: Thank God for this glorious gift!
Lector: God's faithful love redeems our lives.
People: Thank God for our many blessings!
Lector: God's faithful love is ours to share.
People: We will offer this gift to God's world.
- OPENING PRAYER *(read in unison)* Pastor Beth Malone
**Faithful God, we come to you from many walks of life.
Some of us come after wandering off. Others come sensing
that you are as close as their very breath.**
**From our many journeys, welcome us with your love.
Pour out your Holy Spirit on us, that we might sense your
presence in our lives.**
In joyous gratitude, we pray. Amen.
- ANTHEM "If My People" Senior Choir
Mary Jo Johnson, speaker
- † HYMN "Stand Up and Bless the Lord" #662
- † PASSING OF THE PEACE Pastor Beth Malone
- CHILDREN'S TIME Pastor Beth Malone
- SCRIPTURE READING **John 2:1-11**
People: Thanks be to God!
- MESSAGE "Partying with Jesus" Pastor Beth Malone
- OFFERING Doug Harke
*Please date and sign the friendship pad found at the
center aisle end of the pew, next to the cushion.*
- † OFFERING HYMN by Leonard Sweet *(found in the front of your hymnal)*
- PRAYER OF DEDICATION *(read in unison)* Doug Harke
**God of steadfast love and faithfulness, thank you for the
gift of your love and the gifts of your Holy Spirit.**
**Thank you for the gifts we return to you, this day and
every day.**
**Help us share as generously with others as you have
shared with us, that your love might be known throughout all
the world. Amen.**

JOYS AND CONCERNS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE	Pastor Beth Malone #895 #898
† HYMN "Rejoice, the Lord Is King"	#715
ANNOUNCEMENTS AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINISTRY	Doug Harke
BENEDICTION	Pastor Beth Malone
† RESPONSE	Shalom (<i>peace</i>)
Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. May God's full mercies bless you, my friends. In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.	
POSTLUDE	Connor Ricotta

PRAYER REQUESTS: Jean Farthing, Bill Guthrie, Ron Huff, Vineta Johnson, Joan Pope, and the family of Shirley Pascuzzo.

CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR: Brad Farthing, Vineta Johnson, Joe Kane, Jane Krenzer, Marion Taylor, and Ginny Youtzy

PRAYER ROOM: Our Prayer Room (Room 2) is a space for quiet, private contemplation. It is open for your use on Sunday mornings (except when the Youth Choir is practicing) and whenever the church building is open.

GUMC PRAYER CHAIN: Do you have a prayer request, joy or concern? Call Brenda Mastin (443-9132), to activate the GUMC prayer chain.

COMING TOGETHER WORSHIP SERVICE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 10:00 AM



We are excited to announce **Bishop Héctor A. Burgos-Núñez will be preaching at our 200-year Anniversary Celebration, here at Geneseo United Methodist Church, on Sunday, February 2, 2025 at a Coming Together Service at 10:00 am.**

The worship service will be **followed by a dish-to-pass luncheon**, with meat provided. Members of the Upper New York Conference and Genesee Valley District have been invited to join us. Please help us to plan this event by indicating if you would like to attend the luncheon and, if you are able, what dish-to-pass you can bring (casserole, side dish, dessert, bread/rolls). Also indicate if you would be able to help with set-up and/or clean-up. **The sign-up sheet can be found on the table outside the sanctuary.**



Support the ministries of Geneseo UMC. In addition to traditional giving, we have an online giving option. Scan this QR code with your mobile phone's camera to be taken to our giving page or visit www.geneseomethodist.org/giving-back-to-god.

Human Relations Day, TODAY, January 19th. United Methodist Special Sundays are set aside each year to deepen the connection between the local church and ministries on a global scale.

Human Relations Day is a special Sunday across our denomination, focused on fostering better relationships and supporting community and youth outreach. It calls us to recognize the right of all God's children in realizing their potential as human beings in relationship with one another.

On the Sunday before Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday, we take up a special offering to help bring his vision of a "beloved community" to life.

Your gifts support neighborhood ministries through Community Developers, community advocacy through United Methodist Voluntary Services and work with at-risk teens through the Youth Offender Rehabilitation Program.

For over 50 years, United Methodists have observed this special Sunday to honor the message Jesus lived out: that every one of God's children matters.

Find the special offering envelope in your bulletin and give to this Special Sunday Offering, helping us continue this vital work together. You may also give online at www.geneseomethodist.org/giving-back-to-god

USHERS

1/26

2/2

8:30 SERVICE

Jim & Alice Barrett

no 8:30 service

10:30 SERVICE

Ron & Marsha Merrick

Sue Arney & Chad Putnam

LECTORS (10:30)

1/26

2/2

Nancy Meyer

Julie Buehler

MINISTER

Rev. Beth Malone

LAY LEADERS

Bill Lewis

Peggy Oltz

SUPPORT TEAM

Administrative Assistant - Kathy Rosier

Custodian - Dave Woodworth

Nursery Attendant - Marissa Ross

MUSIC TEAM

Director of Music - Cynthia Towler

Accompanist - Connor Ricotta

Praise Band - Randy Bigelow

Bell Choir - Sandi Szymanski

Youth Choir - Beth Feuerstein

LECTOR-10:30

Doug Harke

USHERS

8:30 - Doug McCoy

10:30 - Linda Parnell & Chad Putnam

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

JANUARY 12 - 19

Sunday, January 19 HUMAN RELATIONS DAY

7:30 am Praise Team Warm-up

8:00 am The Prayer Room (Room 2) is open throughout the morning for a quiet time of prayer.

8:30 am WORSHIP & PRAISE SERVICE – Sanctuary

8:45 am Sunday School, PreK-2 - Room 8

Sunday School, gr 3-6 - Room 3

9:30 am Fellowship Hour – Fellowship Hall

Youth Choir - Room 2

9:35 am Adult Sunday School - Wesley Room

10:30 am TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE – Sanctuary

2:00 pm Adult Study, *The Chosen* - Wesley Room

Monday, January 20 MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY (office closed)

12:30 pm Lunch Good Grief - Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, January 21

10:00 am Adult Study, *Disciple I* - Youth Room

6:00 pm Lay Leaders - Wesley Room

7:00 pm Church Council - Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, January 22

8:00 am Prayer Breakfast – Fellowship Hall

10:00 am Memorial Service, Shirley Pascuzzo - Sanctuary

6:00 pm Praise Band - Sanctuary

7:00 pm Senior Choir Practice - Fellowship Hall

8:00 pm Bell Choir - Fellowship Hall

Thursday, January 23

6:00 pm Core Worship Team - Wesley Room

Sunday, January 26

7:30 am Praise Team Warm-up

8:00 am The Prayer Room (Room 2) is open throughout the morning for a quiet time of prayer.

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The Geneseo Parish Outreach Center, Inc. is open, by appointment at (585) 243-3120, Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm.

COMING SOON

1/28 Staff Pastor Parish Relations Committee

2/1 Set-up for Bishop Luncheon

2/2 Coming Together Worship Service with the Bishop

Geneseo United Methodist Church

The water now
become
WINE
... the first of
his signs.

John 2:9, 11, ESV



Following in Jesus' footsteps as a
welcoming, caring, giving, and
prayerful community of faith.

Second Sunday after the Epiphany
January 19, 2025

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

11:00 am - 4:30 pm, weekdays, except for Wednesdays

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REV. BETH MALONE

Pastor Beth would love to meet with you!

Please call to make an appointment.

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