

Church on the Cape

United Methodist Church

All Saints Sunday

The Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost

Rev. Greg Smith

November 1, 2026



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Welcome to Church on the Cape
Large print bulletins are available upon request.
Please ask an usher if you would like a copy.

****All stand if able***

HYMN SING

Susie Goodwin

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The altar flowers were given by Laura Patnaude in honor of her loving parents- Norm and Margie Degenhardt.
- Thank you, Deb Parsons, and Elaine Triplett, for hosting Coffee Hour today.

PRELUDE **“Wenn mein stündlein vorhanden ist”**
Johann Michael Bach

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalms 34)

Leader: I will always bless God.

People: I will praise God all my life long.

Leader: Every fiber of my being rejoices in God.

People: Those who have been forgotten will rejoice.

Leader: Join me in proclaiming God's greatness!

People: Together we will exalt God's name!

Leader: When I seek God, God answers.

People: God overcomes my fears and gives me assurance.

Leader: Look at God and be radiant!

People: Our faces will reveal our faith and our joy!

Leader: All around us are God's angels.

People: They watch over us and deliver us.

Leader: O taste and see that God is good!

People: Blessed are those whose refuge is God.

Leader: God redeems the lives of the faithful.

People: God Saves us and gives refuge.

*HYMN

“For All the Saints”
Vss. 1,2,4,6

UMH # 711

UNISON PRAYER

In joy and thanksgiving, we bow before you this day, Almighty God. We thank you for the faithful witness of all those who have gone before us, making it possible for us to gather in this place, to worship you and to be your people.

We remember all those who have labored long and lovingly to strengthen this church in many ways. We call to mind those who have passed from our midst into your heavenly kingdom.

We remember the saints who have touched our lives, those who have loved us, nurtured us, shared faith with us, taught and encouraged us and blessed us to this very day.

And now, God of our fathers and mothers, God of all the saints, send your Holy Spirit to guide us this day and every day that we too may live as your holy people, serving you with all the saints, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

READING OF THE MEMORIAL ROLE & LIGHTING OF CANDLES

FIRST LESSON

Revelation 7:9-17

LIGHTING CANDLES OF REMEMBRANCE

You may come forward to light a candle to remember your loved one.

*HYMN

"Shall We Gather at the River"

UMH # 723

SECOND LESSON

1 John 3:1-3

GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 5:1-12

MESSAGE

"What we will be..."

OFFERING

"Christus, der ist mein leben"

Johann Gottfried Walther

*DOXOLOGY Hymnal #95

HOLY COMMUNION, musical setting D, hymnal p.23

*HYMN

"Be Still, My Soul"

UMH #534

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

"Valet will ich dir geben"

G.F. Kauffmann

Church on the Cape Saints

Carolyn Broad

December 13, 2025

Robert L. Clark

April 12, 2026

Elissa Bouiler

March 19, 2026

Graceanne Barbour

June 23, 2026

Mary Parker

June 30, 2026

Hubert Van Horn, Jr.

July 8, 2026

Rev. Kevin Goldenbogen

September 29, 2026

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE

George Acker	Faith Gilmore	Marybeth Munroe
*Gail Browning	Harold Falcone	Ann Nelson
Ada Byrnes	Patty Hutchins	Stewart Pratt
Judy Cadieux	Bethany Hessel	Luverne Preble
Julie Chase	*Louise Hurlbutt	Steve Russell
Cheryl Collazo	Micki Kinney	Beryl Samia
Mary Heather Cookson	Lesla Kraft Angelos	Lettie Samuel
Risha Deary	Brett LaCour	Lois Small
Beth Dudley	Nicholas LaCour	Eric Schoener
Henry & Diane Dynia	Janet Lennon	*Linda Woodard
Jean Earley	Charity Perry Liutai	Chuck Wildes
Sally Ewton	Lee Maynard	*New to Prayer List



November 4	Chris Humphrey
November 7	Ralph Hurlbutt
November 9	Heidi Phillips & Connie Wood
November 13	Theresa Bowdoin
November 14	Elaine Triplett & Reah Atwater
November 16	Annie Hidell
November 18	Carol Schoener
November 23	Kerri Lovejoy
November 24	Sally Ewton
November 28	Bill Scarborough

If you would like to add a birthday celebration to our list, please let the office know. 207-967-5787

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Sun. November 1	9:45 am	Hymn Sing
All Saints'	10:00 am	Worship
Sunday	11:00 am	Coffee Hour
	2:00 pm	Communion at Huntington Common
Mon. November 2	10:00 am	Chimes Rehearsal
Tues. November 3	10:00 am	Knitters
	11:30 am	Picnic Lunch
	12:30 pm	Small Group Discussion
	2-4 pm	Cargo Shop Open
Wed. November 4	11:00 am	Upper Room Discussion
	1:00 pm	Children's Christmas Pageant Meeting
	2:00 pm	Senior Moments Rehearsal
Thu. November 5	2-4 pm	Cargo Shop Open
	5:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Sat. November 7	10a-12p	Cargo Shop Open
LOOKING AHEAD		
Sun. November 8	9:45 am	Hymn Sing
	10:00 am	Worship
	11:00 am	Coffee Hour
	11:30 am	Fraud or Not ?
Mon. November 9	10:00 am	Chimes Rehearsal
Tues. November 10	All Day	Greg Out of Office (DCOM)
	10:00 am	Knitters
	11:30 am	Picnic Lunch
	2-4 pm	Cargo Shop Open
	4:00 pm	Finance Committee
Wed. November 11	11:30 am	Veterans' Day Lunch
	2:00 pm	Senior Moments Rehearsal
Thu. November 12	10:00 am	Ministry of Caring Meeting
	2-4 pm	Cargo Shop Open
	3:00 pm	Worship Committee Meeting
	5:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Sat. November 14	10a-12p	Cargo Shop Open (Last Day Until Prelude)

PARISH NEWS

TUESDAY DISCUSSION GROUP

Our next book will be "Tuesdays with Morrie" by Mitch Albom. If you need help getting a copy of the book, please see Greg as soon as possible so you can be prepared.

The Advent Study begins November 17, takes a break for Thanksgiving week, and resumes on December 1. It will end on December 15 so that it will not meet the week of Christmas. It will meet on Tuesdays at 12:30 after lunch. If we have enough interest, we will have a Wednesday evening ZOOM group.

FRAUD OR NOT WORKSHOP

November 8 at 11:30 am

Kaylee Powell from Kennebunk Savings Bank will be here and give a presentation with valuable information about spotting fraud and not getting involved. Scams and fraud are becoming increasingly common but understanding how they work can help keep you and our loved ones safe.

VETERANS DAY LUNCHEON

November 11 at 11:30 am

The office will be closed on Wednesday, November 11th but the doors of the church are open as we invite all those who served in the Armed Forces to join us for lunch! In partnership with Alisson's Restaurant, we will serve clam chowder, sandwiches and dessert as a token of appreciation for your service. If you have not served in uniform, but know a veteran in our community, you are encouraged to bring them along or invite them to join us. Please let the office know if you are planning to attend. 207-967-5787

CHRISTMAS FAIR INFO

The Christmas Fair will be held on December 5th.

- Please see the insert for information on the Christmas Surprises!
- Time to set aside your treasures for our Prelude Sale. Treasures only, please.
- The Prelude Cookie Ladies need your clean (no rust please) cookie tins for our Prelude Fair Bake Sale. Please bring them to the church at your earliest convenience.

Attendance
October 18, 2026
In Person- 78 Online 89



Love Boldly. Serve Joyfully. Lead Courageously.

Everyone is welcome at Church on the Cape, UMC, without exception. What matters most to us and what unites us as a vibrant, com-passionate community of faith, is the assurance that we are all beloved children of God and of sacred worth to our Creator. Come as you are and join us on our faith journeys as we seek to make followers of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. Join us from wherever you call home. If you like what you see here, we post our worship, music, children's messages, and sermons online - you can find them via our website:

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