

LIFE OF OUR CHURCH

Today	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Worship with Communion
	11:30 am	Rummage Sale Committee Meeting
Tuesday, August 4th	10:30 am	Exercise Group
Wednesday, August 5th	8:30 am	Prayer Meeting (Zoom) (Call 606-5009 with prayer concerns)
Thursday, August 6th	10:30 am	Exercise Group
Sunday, August 9th	9:00 am	Adult Sunday School
	10:30 am	Sunday Worship
	11:45 am	Ministry Team Meeting
	4:00 pm	Bible Study @ Kathy Hanson's

Next Sunday is **Golden Cross Sunday**. The offering taken on this special Sunday benefits the Wisconsin Conference's Health and Welfare Ministries.

VBS: Sunday, August 16th at the Westby Church from 4 to 7 pm—*Find the Name of the Lord*. All ages are encouraged to attend. Invite others too!

Painting/moving week is scheduled for August 10th—15. We will be painting the Narthex and front entryway. There will be some furniture to move too, so men and teenagers will be most welcome. People are asked to come when they can spare a couple of hours throughout the week. If you will sign up as to when you are planning to come, it will help in the planning. Many hands make "light work!"

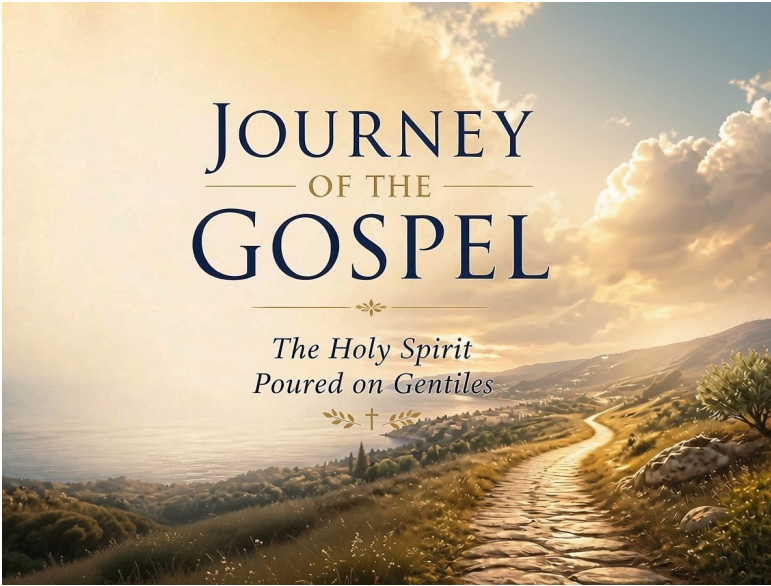
The Center Street Construction project has moved on from the block in front of our church. The street is gravel, but fully passable. It is expected to remain this way for several weeks until they come back to do curb & gutter & paving.

Prayer List: All Homebound Members, Zoe, Ryleigh, Pat M, Jolene & Dale G, Ardith O., Lisa K., Hester N., Janice P., Pete G., Irene F, Janet W., Gary S., Gerry E., Jim H., Erma E, Shirley B, all those suffering from personal stress, pain and/or illness.

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**Viroqua
United Methodist Church**

August 2, 2026



Our Prayer

God, the giver of life, generous giver of gifts and abilities, help us discover our talents and have the courage to use them to serve you and our community with unimagined new purposes and deepening love for Jesus Christ. Amen.

Viroqua UMC
221 S. Center Ave.
Viroqua, WI 54665



August 2, 2026

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Viroqua UMC Worship Service

Please turn off all cell phones and electronics

**Please stand if you are able

PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE "ADAGIO" Angelico Corelli

RINGING OF THE BELL (remain seated)

WELCOMING WORDS/LIFE OF THE CHURCH

CALLED TO WORSHIP

**CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Living God, you have called us together to worship you again today.

P: With all our heart and mind, we come before you.

L: Your Spirit is always at work, making all things new in our lives.

P: We praise you for this grace, and worship you in this hour.

L: Remembering the love and grace you have poured out on us,

P: We give you glory with thanksgiving and joy

**APOSTLES' CREED UMH No. 881

**HYMN OF PRAISE "COME HOLY GHOST, OUR HEARTS INSPIRE" UMH No. 603

**OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

Loving God, thank you for gathering us here again today. In this hour of worship, renew us by your Spirit, and fill our hearts with your word. Let us meet you today, the God who works beyond our thoughts and experience, and help us respond to your grace with humility. Through this worship, may we offer you a worship that is pleasing to you, and may your presence and peace be with everyone gathered here. We pray in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

CALLED TO REFLECTION

SCRIPTURE READING ACTS 10: 44—11: 18 PEW BIBLE NO. 1334

L. This is the word of God for the people of God

P. Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE THE HOLY SPIRIT POURED ON GENTILES

CALLED TO COMMUNITY AND TO SHARE

**COMMUNION HYMN "BREATHE ON ME BREATH OF GOD" UMH No. 420

THE LORD'S TABLE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

COMMUNITY PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

**OFFERING/DOXOLOGY UMH No. 95

**OFFERING PRAYER

**CLOSING HYMN "BLESSED BE THE TIE THAT BINDS" UMH No. 557

SENT TO SERVE

**BENEDICTION

**BENEDICTION RESPONSE "BLESS HIS HOLY NAME" (refrain) TFWS No. 2015

**RINGING OF THE BELL

**POSTLUDE "CAPRICE" James Southbridge

If this is your first time to worship here at Viroqua UMC, WELCOME!
Be sure to get one of our red welcome bags as you leave!

Love Boldly, Serve Joyfully, Lead Courageously

The radio broadcast this morning is given in celebration of
Sherman Carney's goth birthday on August 6th.