



"The grace of the
Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the fellowship
of the Holy Spirit
be with you all."

2 Corinthians 13:13

*Second Congregational Church in Wilton,
United Church of Christ
Open and Affirming*

ORDER OF WORSHIP

First Sunday after Pentecost
Trinity Sunday
June 15, 2025

Welcome to the worship of God at the
Second Congregational Church in Wilton,
United Church of Christ.
We are glad you are here today!

Bold print means congregational participation.
An asterisk (*) indicates to please stand, if you are able.

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Words of Welcome and Announcements

PRELUDE

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

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L: God our Creator, we call you Sovereign,
Lord, Giver of Life.

P: Draw us closer to you, O God.

L: Christ our Savior, we call you Messiah,
Redeemer, Friend.

P: Draw us closer to you, O God.

L: Holy Spirit, we call you Helper,
Comforter, Power of God.

P: Draw us closer to you, O God.

L: Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty;
God in three persons, blessed Trinity.

**All: Draw us closer to you, O God, that we may
journey with you faithfully, and love others,
as you love us.**

***GATHERING HYMN**

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”

No. 136

***PASSING THE PEACE**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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Gracious God, we thank you for this church; for the joy of worship; for the good news we receive by Word and Sacrament; for longtime friendships; and for our life together in your love. By your Spirit, guide us in the way of truth, that we may rejoice in your goodness and serve you always. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

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Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GOD’S GRACE

HYMN

“Morning Has Broken”

No. 35

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE

CALL TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

***DOXOLOGY**

(tune: Old Hundredth)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly host:
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

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Gracious God, with these gifts we offer ourselves.
Here we are, your hands and feet in the world.
By your Spirit, help us reach out and serve others with
the love you have shown us in Christ our Lord. Amen.

ANTHEM

THE WORD OF GOD

John 16:12-15

Jesus said, "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, the Spirit will guide you into all the truth; for the Spirit will not speak independently, but will speak whatever the Spirit hears, and will declare to you the things that are to come. The Spirit will glorify me by taking what is mine and declaring it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that the Spirit will take what is mine and declare it to you."

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

SERMON

"The Spirit Will Guide You"

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.

***SENDING HYMN** "All the Way My Savior Leads Me" No. 505

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

Praising God's Glory
the flowers are presented by
George and Dana Dahl
in honor and blessings
of their children and grandchildren



On The Calendar/Announcements

- **New Member Meeting with Rev. Gary**, today following Worship. If you would like to join our church or are wondering what joining means - please attend this meeting after worship service .
- **Fidget Blankets**, Tuesday, June 17 - 9:30 AM
- **Council Meeting**, Tuesday, June 17, 7:00 PM Via Zoom - Please have reports to Del by Monday, June 16 - 1:00 PM
- **Time of Quiet Reflection**, Wednesday, June 18, 1:00-3:00 PM
- **Rummage Sale**, Saturday, June 21 - Help is needed, sign-up sheets are in the link. Please give an hour or two of your time.
- **Worship in the Park**, Wednesday, June 25, 6:30 PM. Join us for a time of community prayers, hymns and fellowship at the Park on Main St in Wilton. Please bring your own chair - invite your friends and neighbors. It is a lovely setting and a great way to worship and extend fellowship to our community.

A Time of Quiet Reflection

We are offering A Time of Quiet Reflection. The Church will be open Wednesdays from 1:00- 3:00 PM. In this very busy uncertain world, we thought folks may want a place to come and have some quiet time to reflect. We will try this each Wednesday (6/18, 6/25)

The Mission Group will be collecting donations of personal care products for women and children along with cleaning supplies in support of Bridges. Bridges is a nonprofit agency dedicated to helping victims and survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

CHURCH PRAYER LIST

For the week of June 15, 2025
Please keep the following persons
in your thoughts and prayers this week:

John S
Bob S
Donna S
Mary Sue
Ellen V
James P
Roxann
Marsha
Isaac
Jerry S
Heather
John H
Bob M
Bonnie
Matt S
Mary Ellen
Jen
Don K
Caitlyn

Jim T
Krista
Sylvie
Lorraine
Courtney
Darrel B
Donna
Diane
Carol K
Bob D
Shawn D
Gail C
Amanda
Kathy & Dennis F
Janet
Shawna



PARTICIPATING IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Rev. Dr. Gary Klingsporn, Pastor
Kermit Williams, Liturgist
Guest Musician, Karen Nelson
Patricia Cauchon, Director of Music
All the Congregation, Ministers to the World

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