

YOU
BELONG
here

***Please stand if you are able**
UMH is United Methodist Hymnal (red book)
TFWS is The Faith We Sing (black book)

Welcome to Worship

Brief Announcements with Welcoming Prayer

Call to Worship (*responsive*):

Leader: Through many dangers, toils and snares,

All: We have already come.

L: Through days of joy and nights of fear,

A: We've traveled this far by faith.

L: Through life, through death,

A: Christ walks with us.

L: We are not alone.

A: Thanks be to God!

L: In this promise,

A: Let's worship God together.

Opening Prayer (*in unison*):

All: Holy One, come to us now in this time of worship. Be present in our lives, that You may hear our cries, and speak to our souls. Give us Your strength, that we may live all the days of our lives in steadfast faith and hope.

***Opening Song** (on screen)

Glorious Day
by Passion

Joys & Concerns with Pastoral/Lord's Prayer

Tithes & Offerings with Offertory

***The Doxology** TFWS 2031

We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise

Honoring our Fathers

Children's Time

Choir Anthem

Scripture

1 Timothy 5:8

***Hymn** UMH 378

Amazing Grace

Scripture

Matthew 1:18-25

***Song** (on screen)

Good Good Father
by Chris Tomlin

Message

God Chose a Father for His Son

***Song** (on screen)

Build My Life
by Pat Barrett

*Benediction

Postlude

happy
Father's
day

*Tell someone you didn't come in with that you
love them and that you're glad they're here!*

Love Boldy ~ Serve Joyfully ~ Lead Courageously

ANNOUNCEMENTS/IMPORTANT NOTES

Welcome! We're so glad you are here worshipping with us today! Children are *always* welcome to stay and participate in worship. The nursery is open and located in the corner of the fellowship hall. If this is your first time with us, please fill out a Welcome Card and place in the offering plate. We Livestream our services each Sunday. You can find these services on our church Facebook page: www.facebook.com/1stUMCGouv/

- RIP IT**- Free exercise group. Check FB group or contact Amber Ormasen for updates.
- "Letters of John"**- book study **Mondays** from **7-8:30pm** at One More Chapter Book Store. Please see Don for more info.
- Bible Study- Wednesdays** at **10am** in Rm 103 (Acts)
- Summer Sunrise Series**- Annual 5k Fundraiser, walk or run at your own pace. \$10 per race. Join us **every first* Sat.** of the month at **7:30am**. Complete $\frac{3}{4}$ races to receive a t-shirt! **[6/6; 7/11*; 8/1] !**
- VBS** – June 29-July 3, 9am-12noon - St. James School
- Indoor Sale- Saturday, July 18th 9am-5pm**
Donate \$10 per spot for each church person to sell their items.
Contact Libby (315-276-0667) if interested

*Please see our bulletin board for announcements,
VBS registration/volunteer forms,
Camp Aldersgate info & forms, etc!*

Read ahead for next Sunday:
Matthew 10:40-42

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First United Methodist Church of Gouverneur

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Choir Director: Don Schuessler

Organist: Glenda Schuessler

Musician: Mike Hamilton

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