### **MEDITATION FOCUS**

The Spirit of God breathes life into our "dry places", our fears, doubts, and griefs. His Divine Love calls us out of the tombs we hide in.

**PRELUDE** "In the House" by Crowder

\*OPENING PRAISE

SONG "To God Be The Glory" **UMH #98** "Victory In Jesus" SONG **UMH #370** 

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader:

We need your resurrection power to fall in our lives today.

People:

Breathe new life into our lives,

Breathe new life into our homes.

Breathe new life into our neighborhoods,

Breathe new life into our relationships,

Breathe new life into our church.

Leader:

We, like Ezekiel, trust in Your power to breathe new life into our dry bones and dead situations.

## All:

We stand waiting for your life-giving spirit to fall upon us so that we might be revived, restored, renewed, and resurrected with newness and vitality.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

#### **ALL GOD'S CHILDREN**

Children, their parents, grandparents and other adults are welcome to join us at the front of the sanctuary.

**OFFERING** 

**OFFERING SONG** "More Precious Than Silver" FWS #2065

**SCRIPTURE** Ezekiel 37: 1-14 & John 11:32-44

**MESSAGE** "Dry Bones and New Life" Pastor Brian Comiskey **MESSAGE SONG** "Rise Up" by Cain

"Dem Bones" SONG

BENEDICTION

OUR EXTRA MILE GIVING FOR OCTOBER WILL GO FOR PRESCHOOL CHILDCARE OPERATIONS Minister: Pastor Brian Comiskey Pianist: Finnagan McKenzie

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SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK AN HOUR

# TURN YOUR CLOCKS **BACK 1 HOUR SATURDAY NIGHT** (NOV. 1) **BEFORE YOU GO TO BED**

**NEXT SUNDAY** 

ON NOVEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup> WE WILL BE REMEMBERING ALL OF THOSE WHO HAVE WENT BEFORE US IN THE LAST YEAR.



**1UDY WILL BE MAILING LETTERS OUT TO THOSE WHO'S SERVICES** WE HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN. IF YOU HAVE SOMEONE YOU HAVE LOST IN THE LAST YEAR AND WOULD LIKE THEIR NAME AND PICTURE UP ON THE SCREEN FOR THAT SUNDAY. PLEASE CONTACT JUDY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Notes:

#### THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

OCT. 26 9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 WORSHIP 2:00 YOUTH 27:12 NOON AA 6:15 WEIGHTS 6:45 YOGA

28: 8:00 AA 29 8:00 AA 6:15 WEIGHTS

OCT 19: 87 6:45 YOGA 30: 11-3 ACCEPT CLOTHING AT THE THRIFT STORE 1:00 AA / 1:00 QUILTING

7:00 Gerry's Group Study class

31:10-4 THRIFT STORE 8:00 AA

NOV. 1:10-4 THRIFT STORE 12 NOON AA

2: ALL SAINT'S SUNDAY DAYIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS

9:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 WORSHIP

2:00 YOUTH

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MOTHER HUBBARD'S CUPBOARD FOR

OCTOBER WE WILL BE COLLECTING THE

**FOLLOWING FOR OUR** 

PRESCHOOL/CHILD CARE CENTER: Facial

Tissue, Bags of fall fruit; apples, pears, etc.,

Bags of potatoes & Onions, Winter squash,

Diapers- all sizes (1-6), Pull-ups (sizes 3T, 4T,

5T), Diaper Wipes (Unscented) & Bibs

**ATTENDENCE** 

LAST SUNDAY,

REVOLVING FUND GIVING FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 2025 DAYCARE BUILDING: \$120 TECH SUPPORT: \$100 UMCOR/Disaster Relief: \$210 CAMP: \$100 COFFEE HOUR/HOSPITALITY: \$71 INSURANCE EMERGENCY FUND: \$100 PASTOR'S DISCRETIONARY FUND: \$50 THRIFT STORE: \$140 FUNERAL DINNERS: \$540 PCCC OPER: \$120 SATURDAY SOUP: \$125 LOVE OFFERING: \$69 GENERAL FUND FOR SEPTEMBER GIVING: \$14.955.42 EXPENSES: \$18.422.13

Please Continue to Keep In Your Prayers: We lift up the leadership of our nation and the men and women serving the Armed Forces, as well as the leaders and people of other nations. Joan Southwell and family on the loss of her husband, Bill Southwell Kelly & Karen O'Day on the loss of Kelly's father, Francis O'Day

Gerry Scott as he recovers

Lynn Chappell as he recovers from heart surgery

Maezie Bauer diagnosed with Sturge Weber syndrome(niece of Scott Vanhoose)

Prayers for continued healing for Jan Brandon, Diane Ellsworth, Josh Enfield, Ron & Marilyn Lovell(moved into assisted living), Kathy Traywick

Those with Parkinson's, Diabetes, Alzheimer's & Lupus and other chronic diseases. Those who have been diagnosed with Cancer: Linda Green(Elaine Green's daughter in-law), Patty (Humphrey)Hazen OUR SHUT-INS..... In Their Own Home:

Pioneer Golden Estates:

Barb Everts Brenda Longstreth Ruth Owens

Marge Dickey Glenda Baker Sue Neff (memory care) Carol Beatty Ruth Jones Larry Wyman Sr.

Gavle White Lou & Rita Bryans Bill & Barb Manderbach Bob Musser Jean Blow.

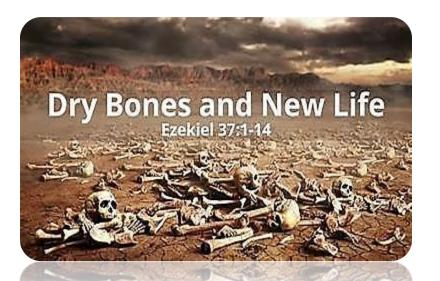
The Brook, Gladwin: Jean Burrows

Americana Seniors of Clare

Erma Johnson Ron & Marilyn Lovell

Jan Brandon(formerly prestige place)

# Clare United Methodist Church October 26, 2025 20th Sunday after Pentecost



CLARE UMC'S MISSION:

Making Disciples of Jesus by Helping People Know God, Grow in Faith, and Share Christ's Love.