



SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

(June through August)

ONE Service: 10:00 AM

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Proper 5

June 7, 2026

*Please take the opportunity to fill out the Prayer and Gratitude Card and a Connection Card.
You'll be invited to place them in the offering tray later in the service.*

ENTRANCE

Prelude

Steve Snyder

Welcome

Pastor Bryan Langdoc

Call to Worship

Haley Trueblood

Leader: Come, all who seek healing.

People: We come to the One who restores life.

Leader: Come, all who long for mercy.

People: We come to the One whose love never gives up on us.

Leader: Jesus called Matthew from the tax booth, sat at a table with outsiders, and welcomed those others overlooked.

People: Christ still gathers people into a beloved community.

Leader: Come, let us worship the God whose mercy is deeper than our wounds.

People: Thanks be to God!

Opening Prayer

UMH #451

“Be Thou My Vision”

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

Prayer for Illumination

Listen to the word which God has spoken,
listen to the One who is close at hand,
listen to the voice which began creation,
listen even if you don't understand.

First Reading

Hosea 5:15-6:6

John Stewart

After the Reading, the Reader says

Holy words. Holy wisdom. Let all who have ears, hear.

People: Thanks be to God, we are listening.

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

After the Reading, the Reader says

For the Word of God in scripture,
for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us;

People: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Pastor Joel Everson

Prayers of Concern

Luke Miller

Please join me in prayer, saying, God of mercy,

Hear our prayer.

THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

Invitation, Confession, Pardon

Most 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 neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your name. Amen.

DID YOU KNOW?

An independent study by Partners for Sacred Places found that Gobin Church contributes more than **\$3 million annually** in community impact to Greencastle through education, arts, hospitality, social services, community partnerships, and preservation.

Every week, our building hosts worship, recovery groups, student organizations, community meetings, music programs, outreach ministries, and opportunities for service. Thank you for helping Gobin continue to be a place of welcome, hope, and transformation for our community.

JOIN US TODAY AFTER THE SERVICE!

One of Gobin's ministries, the Summer Enrichment Program (SEP), is a five-week day camp offered free to families in our community. For nearly 40 years, SEP has been rooted in a desire to meet the food needs of children. As part of that mission, each Friday SEP campers go home with a bag of non-perishable food items to help sustain them over the weekend.

We would love your help packing approximately 100 of these food bags for our campers. It's a simple but impactful way to serve together as a church family—and we'll have pizza and drinks to enjoy as well!

Date: Sunday, June 7

Time: 11:15 a.m. (following the 10:00 a.m. service)

Location: Gobin Basement

We hope you'll be part of this special opportunity to care for our neighbors and serve together.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

If you or someone you know is ill, injured, or otherwise in need of prayer or visitation, please fill out a prayer card, or let the pastoral staff or church office know. Jai will work to keep us connected.

Here are members of our Gobin connection who need prayer & comfort at this time:

Margot MacCracken, Brandie Sitton, Andrea Insley, Ashlee Vitz, Sandy Miller, Katie Isaacs-Bailey, Jim & Windy Watt, Luke & Sherry DeJaynes, Larry Rider, Ann Hansen, Marcia Linville, Matt Fruits, family of Heather Cantonwine, Charlie Taylor, Kids Hope mentors & students, Asbury Towers residents, Valyrian residents, residents of the Putnam Co. Jail, Kyaw, Vivi, Treasure, Yun Ling, Ajaypal Singh and all ICE detainees in the Clay Co Detention Center

If you would like to add a name to our prayer list, please fill out a prayer request card or send an email to prayers@gobinumc.org

OPPORTUNITY FOR PRAYER

You may have noticed the votive candles near the entrance to the sanctuary. We invite you to take one and join Wednesday morning prayer from 7:45-8am wherever you are. If you wish to have a candle, but are not able to come to the church, contact us and we will arrange to have someone bring it to you.

Passing the Peace

Offering

Offertory

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures here below.

Praise God, above ye Heavenly Host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Offering Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

...as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Communion Song

Communion

Prayer after Communion

**Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery
in which you have given yourself to us.**

Grant that we may go into the world

in the strength of your Spirit,

to give ourselves for others,

in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

Closing Song

“May You Be Well”

Benediction

Postlude

Steve Snyder



PRESENCE

Your attendance matters. Scan the QR code below to let us know you're here! It's an excellent way to stay connected to Gobin.



SECOND CENTURY COMMITMENT UPDATE

If you've noticed activity on the roof in recent days, you've seen the first visible signs of The Second Century Commitment at work. Removal of the original slate roof is now underway as we begin critical preservation efforts on our nearly century-old building.

This work is possible because of generous early commitments from members and friends of Gobin, along with matching grants from the Indiana Sacred Places program and the National Fund for Sacred Places. While we celebrate this important milestone, much work remains ahead. The Second Century Commitment continues as we seek to preserve this place of worship, hospitality, music, service, and community for generations to come.

The work you see today is only possible because many people who love this place—members, alumni, neighbors, and friends—have chosen to invest in its future.



GREENCASTLE SUMMER MUSIC FESTIVAL

The Greencastle Summer Music Festival has returned!

Every Wednesday at 7:00 PM at Gobin.