

Broad Street United Methodist Church

8th Sunday After Pentecost

August 3, 2025

Welcome! We are happy you are here today.
The order of worship is found in this bulletin.

*Indicates congregation stands, if able.

HYMN SING

Marsha Danser/Judy Schetler

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Temaris

*CALL TO WORSHIP (read responsively)

Pastor Temaris

Children of God, we gather as people who have received new life in Jesus Christ.

We come to set our minds on Christ, who surrounds us in love.

The world tries to distract us with anxious rumors, worrisome lies, and misleading half-truths.

We come to set our minds on Christ, who surrounds us in love.

In this place, we gather to remind, remember, and renew our commitment to dwell in the love of Christ.

We come to set our minds on Christ, who surrounds us in love.

Children of God, come! Let us worship God, who clothes us in new life and renews us in grace.

Come, let us worship as we set our minds on Christ, who surrounds us in love.

Discipleship Ministries

*HYMN

God Will Take Care of You (v. 1, 3, 4)

UMH 130

OPENING PRAYER (pray in unison)

Celine Danser

**God, our guide and our protector, as we gather today in your holy house,
open our minds and souls and hearts, that we may be inclined to hear
the gentle direction of your Spirit in our lives.**

**Help us follow you as you lead us to the land you have created for us,
where we may dwell with you and in you. Amen.**

UMC Discipleship

HYMN

Lead On, O King Eternal

UMH 580

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (pray in unison)

Leanna Danser

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the
Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what
you say to us today. Amen.**

UMC Discipleship

*PSALTER	Psalm 107:1-9, 33-43 led by Celine Danser	UMH 830
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Genesis 26:18-22	Leanna Danser
THE MESSAGE	<i>Faith That Digs</i>	Pastor Temaris
HYMN	<i>You Are My Hiding Place</i>	TFWS 2055

WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS TO GOD

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (pray responsively) Celine Danser

Almighty all powerful and omnipotent God,

We praise your name for who You are. Your grace is sufficient to carry us through the challenges of life.

You are our shepherd we follow your voice for guidance.

You are our refuge we seek strength and help in trouble.

You are our God help us to be still to trust in you and know that You are in control.

Merciful Lord, continue to have mercy on us your creation and come to rescue us, heal us, deliver us and restore us to the joy of new life.

I pray this in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth.

Amen.

Northern Illinois Conference of the UMC

Now let us pray for our own needs and those of others dear to our hearts.

We pray for _____ .

Lord, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

Merciful God, as we lift these prayers to you, we thank you for your blessings and ask you to continue being a source of joy for us through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

WE CELEBRATE HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION		UMH 12
CONFESSION and PARDON		
THE PEACE		
OFFERING		
OFFERTORY HYMN	<i>As the Deer Pants for the Water</i>	TFWS 2025
*DOXOLOGY		UMH 95
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		Pastor Temaris

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING
*THE LORD'S PRAYER
*BREAKING THE BREAD
*GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

UMH 15
UMH 895

WE SCATTER TO SERVE CHRIST IN THE WORLD

*HYMN *How Blest Are They Who Trust in Christ* UMH 654
*WORDS OF BLESSING (pray in unison) Pastor Temaris
CLOSING CHORUS *My Tribute* UMH 99

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This week's communion offering will be put towards our church and parsonage lawn maintenance expenses.



Please remember our families and friends in prayer:

Evelyn Kraft, Carolyn Shinn, Bobbie Kroh, Travis Montone, Zachary Montone, Dana Painter, Sue Graves, Jim Graves, Linda Slater Meyer, Terry Ansel, Tony Hoffman, Linda Hoffman, Donna Walsh, Tootsie Wooters, Robert LaPaugh, Bryon Wright, Frank Becker, Sam Selery

Requests for inclusion on the prayer list, removal from the list, or to have a name remain on the list longer than two weeks can be emailed to:

office@broadstumc.org or placed in the offering plate.

Please continue to pray for those on the prayer list in previous weeks.

Visit the church website (www.broadstumc.org) for more information on upcoming activities.

Planning ahead... mark your calendars

Sunday, August 3, 2025 – Communion Offering is for lawn maintenance expenses

Thursday, September 4, 2025 – Sanctuary Choir practice resumes; 7:00PM Lucas Hall

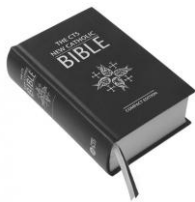
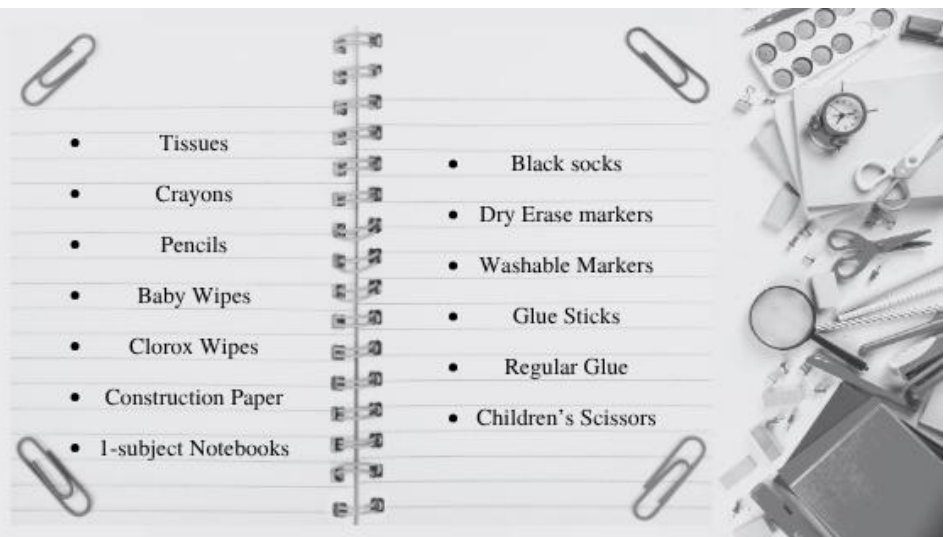
Sunday, September 7, 2025 – Rally Day; Fall Worship Hours begin (11:00AM Worship)

Monday, September 15, 2025 – Dickens: *Nicholas Nickleby* 1:00PM

A Christmas Carol 7:00PM

BSUMC Service Project

Please help us collect items needed by the teachers at the Captain James Lawrence Elementary School. We want to put together 21 boxes for the teachers of the kindergarten through 2nd grade classrooms at this local school. Back-to-school sales are on now and filling boxes for the teachers will help them ensure that their students have what they need to succeed as the school year starts. The item list is to the right. Please bring your items by **September 14th** and put them in the box in the library.



Bible Study at Broad Street!

All are welcome to attend a weekly Bible Study in the **chapel** on Tuesdays from 1 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. Pastor Helen is our leader and we are studying the book of Psalms. It is not a problem to "jump into" the Bible Study at any time. We would welcome you! Bring your friends.

Boscov's Friends Helping Friends

GOG has Friends Helping Friends coupons. They are \$5 each and you get 25% off many items at Boscov's (see coupons for exclusions). All proceeds from the sale of the coupons remains with Broad Street UMC so this is a great fundraiser. Friends Helping Friends Day is Wednesday, October 22nd from 8AM – 11PM. See Laura Jaskot for coupons. They make great gifts for your friends and you can have a shopping day together as a fun outing.



Gerald Dickens is returning to Broad Street!

On Monday, September 15th, Gerald will be back at Broad Street performing two different shows, *Nicholas Nickleby* at 1PM and *A Christmas Carol* at 7PM. Tickets are available now. See Laura Jaskot for tickets. \$18/show for seniors, \$20 for non-seniors. There is a savings if you want to see both shows: \$30 for a ticket to both shows. This is another event that is great for gifting your friends.