



Please take a moment to sign
the attendance book and let us
know you're here.

We're grateful to have you with
us today!

Prayers of Concern and Thanksgiving

If you have someone to place on this list or would like our prayer chain to pray for them, please contact the church office via email to sugargroveumc176@gmail.com or fill out Prayer Request found in the pews.

Bennett Dohse grandson of Dave and Sheri Emmert came home from the NICU!!

Military

Andy Fellela – Army (Friend of McCannon family)
 Laura Guzick – Air Force (Lifted by Rogers family)
 Tim Langkan - (Lifted by Rogers family)
 Steve Holy – Army (Nephew of Dave Hacker)
 Mateo Morales — National Guard (Son of Diane & Tomas Morales)
 Austin Kintz – Air Force (Lifted by Brian Schiber)
 Eric Stoll – Army (Son of Art & Jen Stoll)
 Nick Confiliano—Marines (Friend of Mark Wojak)
 Nick Malak – Army (Nephew of John Malak)
 Ben Bushno - Marines – Deployed (Nephew of Sheri Emmert)
 Brent Stevenson – Air Force (Nephew of Bob and Tami Armstrong)

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September 6, 2026

9:00 a.m. Worship Service

Communion Sunday

Pastor Joe Munro

Breakthrough Prayer

Holy Spirit, lead us into the future with courage, grace, and faith. Make us disciples to spread Your word. Never let us forget we are created with a purpose....To Love God, Love People, No Exceptions.

Amen

Welcome to Sugar Grove United Methodist Church!

We hope that you know that wherever you have been on your spiritual journey and whatever your faith background might be, you are welcome, and we are glad to worship together.

Prelude Onward, Christian Soldiers

Welcome & Announcements

+Passing of the Peace

+Opening Hymn: Onward, Christian Soldiers UMC#575 vs. 1-3,5

+Call to Worship

L: When the storms of life come, where will we stand?

P: We will stand on the faithfulness of God.

L: When fear tells us to give up, where will we turn?

P: We will turn to Jesus, our strength and our hope.

L: When temptation comes and the way forward is difficult, what will we remember?

P: God is faithful. He will provide a way.

L: When the waves rise and the winds blow, what holds us steady?

P: Christ is our anchor. We will not be moved.

L: We do not gather today because life is always easy.

P: We gather because God is always faithful.

L: We do not worship because we have everything figured out.

P: We worship because we trust the One who does.

L: So let us lift our voices, open our hearts, and worship the God who has already won the victory.

P: We will stand firm in faith, walk in courage, and trust in the victory of Jesus Christ!

L: Let us worship the Lord!

Opening Prayer

Gracious God, thank You for bringing us together today. Whatever battles we are facing, remind us that we do not face them alone. Fill us with Your Spirit, strengthen our faith, and help us stand firmly on Your promises. Quiet our fears, open our hearts, and remind us that our victory is found in Jesus Christ. May everything we say, sing, and do today bring glory to You. In Jesus' name, Amen.

+ Please stand if you are able.

**Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:13, Ephesians 6:13
Kira Lafond**

Children's Time

Song You Are My All In All

Song In Christ Alone

Sermon Stand in Victory Pastor Joe Munro

Joys and Concerns/Pastoral Prayer

Offering Invitation

**Offertory: My Faith Has Found a Resting Place
arr. Kurt Kaiser**

+Doxology

+Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to the Table

All are invited to God's table. All are welcome to participate in the fullness of God's abundant, healing, reconciling meal. Come to the feast. All is ready!

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Sharing the Bread and the Cup

All here are welcome to receive the bread and cup. You will come forward in the center aisle to receive the bread and the cup. Then return to your pew by the side aisles. If you prefer gluten free communion, please let the pastor know.

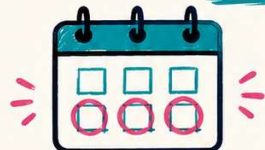
Prayer After Receiving

Closing Hymn I Need Thee Every Hour UMC #397 vs. 1-3,5

Benediction

SUGAR GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

LEARN. GROW. BELONG.
FAITH. FRIENDS. FUN.



THE 2ND, 3RD
& 4TH SUNDAYS
OF THE MONTH



DURING
WORSHIP
AT 9 AM



GROW IN FAITH,
BUILD FRIENDSHIPS,
HAVE FUN!

ALL KIDS PREK-TEEN WELCOME!

COME BE A PART OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY!



SUGAR GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH RALLY DAY Kick Off!

LET'S KICK OFF AN
AWESOME YEAR TOGETHER!

**SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 13**

**WORSHIP AND
SUNDAY SCHOOL
AT 9 AM**

**STAY FOR LUNCH
AFTER WORSHIP
FOR ACTIVITIES
AND FUN!**

**WEAR YOUR
FAVORITE TEAM
GEAR TO CHURCH!**

**BYOC –
BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR
FOR OUTSIDE IF YOU
WOULD LIKE!**

STAY FOR LUNCH!
★ BURGERS & HOTDOGS PROVIDED! ★
SIGN UP FOR SIDES AND DESSERTS! ♥