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If you are not able to join us in person or want to watch the service again, watch on YouTube.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNVYi-R3mmlG7LnX1jKJnEg>

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Service from the previous week will be shown on COGECO channel 13 or 700HD at 10:30 am Sunday mornings.

**WELCOME
TO
GRACE UNITED CHURCH**



***Where Everyone is Part of the Family
and
Worship is a Lifestyle NOT an Event***

(Remember to pass this bulletin to someone else)



Grace United Church

120 Pine St. Gananoque, ON K7G 1C7

Director of Music

Mr. Paul Harding, B.Mus., B.Ed.

Office Administrator

Laurie Cadue

Sunday, July 19, 2026

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Worship Leader – Lillian McNamee, LLWL

We Gather as A Grateful People

Organ Prelude

Welcome: Mary Haussler

Land Acknowledgement

One: Grace United Church takes seriously the commitments made to First Nations communities through the national Truth and Reconciliation Commission Report, especially through the Calls to Action to churches like us.

All: Therefore, we acknowledge this day, that we gather for worship on the traditional territories of the original nations of this land, and we acknowledge with respect, their history, their spirituality and their culture.

Community in Action - Birthdays and Anniversaries

Centring Music

We Centre Our Hearts for Worship.

Spiritual Focus

Breathe in and consider what God has done throughout the generations. Breathe out and know that God abides with us in our sufferings and frustrations. Breathe in and dream of what God can do. Breathe out in hope and gratitude for what God will do in worship today.

The Abingdon Worship Annual - 2026

Lighting the Christ Candle

Call to Worship (Responsive)

One: Time calls us to this place

**Tall: to find comfort, to find caring,
to love one another.**

One: Time is a gift we are given each morning we rise.

All: It is our responsibility to use it wisely.

One: It is also our responsibility to use it gently.

All: To be, rather than always "to do"

One We are human creatures

**All: and we come to this place to honour our
Creator.**

One: Come, sit, listen, and most importantly,
BE in this place

One: We have come, answering God's call.

Gathering Magazine – Pentecost 1

Opening Song of Praise: Voices United # 395
Come In, Come In and Sit Down

Prayer of the Day (All)

**Source of dreams,
we seek to find deep renewal in our faithful
worship and reflection.
Too often we sleepwalk through the day,
looking for ways to stay isolated,
rather than connected,
actively working to avoid conflict
and relationship building.
We seek to remember our connection with you
as generations before us have
and generations to come will.
Come into this space and enliven our hearts
that we may feel your creative spirit
guiding us into the next steps
where we should go to bring people
into a genuine and loving community.
Amen**

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A TIME FOR YOUTH and YOUNG AT HEART:
Dreaming

We Reflect on the Sacred Stories

Scripture Reader: Gary Seidl

Reader: Listen for the Sacred Story,
All: our ears and hearts are open.

First Reading: Genesis 28: 10-19a (NIV)

Jacob's Dream at Bethel

¹⁰ Jacob left Beersheba and set out for Harran. ¹¹ When he reached a certain place, he stopped for the night because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones there, he put it under his head and lay down to sleep. ¹² He had a dream in which he saw a stairway resting on the earth, with its top reaching to heaven, and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. ¹³ There above it^[a] stood the Lord, and he said: "I am the Lord, the God of your father Abraham and the God of Isaac. I will give you and your descendants the land on which you are lying. ¹⁴ Your descendants will be like the dust of the earth, and you will spread out to the west and to the east, to the north and to the south. All peoples on earth will be blessed through you and your offspring.^[b] ¹⁵ I am with you and will watch over you wherever you go, and I will bring you back to this land. I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you."

¹⁶ When Jacob awoke from his sleep, he thought, "Surely the Lord is in this place, and I was not aware of

it.” ¹⁷ He was afraid and said, “How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God; this is the gate of heaven.”

¹⁸ Early the next morning Jacob took the stone he had placed under his head and set it up as a pillar and poured oil on top of it. ¹⁹ He called that place Bethel,^[c] though the city used to be called Luz.

Reader: Here ends today’s reading

For the Sacred Story is God’s story,

All: for the Sacred Story is our story,

Reader: for the Sacred Story is our source and inspiration.

All: Thanks be to God.

A Musical Gift

Morning Message: Connecting with God

We Respond to God’s Grace

Hymn of Assurance: Voices United # 635

All the Way My Saviour Leads Me

Prayers of Hope and Healing

Lord’s Prayer (All)

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,

on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who
trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory
forever and ever. **Amen.**

Your Generosity Matters: Shared Wonder

Invitation to Offering

We give as able to spread God’s Love with JOY!

The Offering is Received

Offertory Hymn: Voices United #541

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures high and low;
give thanks to God in love made known:
Creator, Word and Spirit , One.

Words: Thomas Ken ca. 1674

Music: Genevan Psalter 1551

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Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication: (All)

In response to your call to give of ourselves, we bring these offerings to you. Where it truly represents us and our gifts, accept and multiply them in your love and grace. Amen

God Sends Us into the World To Be The Church

Closing Hymn: Voices United # 424

May the God of Hope Go With Us

Commissioning

Benediction

Choral Amen

Organ Postlude:

Welcome

as we gather for worship this Sunday morning. If you are a visitor or a newcomer to this Community of Faith, either in person or virtually, we extend a warm welcome. May you come in as a stranger but depart, knowing you are part of the family. Thank you for joining us.

Thank you to our worship leader this morning, Lillian McNamee. Next Sunday, July 26th Elaine Farley will lead our service.

Celebration Candle



Today we send Blessings of Joy to all who are celebrating Birthdays, Anniversaries and Special Events in the coming week.

Happy Birthday to Bruce & Shannon

Happy Anniversary to Tom & Carol

Would you like your Birthday or Anniversary added to our announcements contact Laurie at the church Office and give her the details.

Offerings –July 2026

Date	Attend	General	M&S	Benev. (SGM)
July 5	24	\$ 555.00	\$ 400.00	
July 12		\$ 690.00	\$ 145.00	\$ 25.00
July 19				
July 26				
BMO				
PAR				

Thank you for your generosity.

FROZEN PIES

Did you know that our pies are available all year long. Currently, there is a good supply in our freezers. If you would like a pie, contact Elaine Davidson, Carol or Tom Currie, or give Laurie a call at the Church Office

There is nothing better than a freshly baked pie with ice cream on a summer day.

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