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Pastor Sue's Office Hours

Tuesday & Thursdays
 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
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Director of Music &
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Barbara Meyer
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Lisa Gunn

Lay Leader:

Lynn McNamara

Altar Flowers

Brenda Whitmore

Attendance for 8/23/2026

40 in person 215 FB

Deposits for 8/23/26

Operational: \$1,028.65

Loose offering: \$65.00

Total Deposit: \$1,093.65

Missions: \$3.00

Scrap Metal: \$25.00

Announcements August 30, 2026



Today:

Sunday, August 30

10:00 AM- Worship

11:00 AM- "Coffee & Conversation"

7:30 PM- A.A. Meeting



September

Wed. 2 4:00 – 6:00 PM Pastor Sue in
Church Office

Thur. 3 6:00 PM- Castile Historical
Society



Sun. September 6 – 10:00 AM Worship w/
Holy Communion

10:00 AM- Worship

11:00 AM- "Coffee & Conversation"

7:30 PM- A.A. Meeting

Tues. 8 10:30 AM- Women's Fellowship
meeting

Wed. 9 4:00-6:00 PM- Pastor Sue in office
6:00 PM- Bd. of Trustees meeting

Thur. 10 M. Loomis Vacation Day

Fri. 11 Patriots Day

COMING on Sunday, September 13

'Worship in Castile Village Park'

Followed by a brunch provided by the
Bd. of Trustees

Castile United Church of Christ
4 Washington Street Castile, NY 14427



Sunday, August 30, 2026

CASTILE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, August 30, 2026

10:00 AM

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Prelude

Ringling of Tower Bell - 10:00 AM

Greeting and Announcements

Call to Worship: (You may be seated)

Pastor: Like a whisper that brings us to safety,

People: Strong as a shout that bids us to come,

Pastor: Gentle as a prayer that eases our worry,

People: Like a clear bell that rings out our name,

Pastor Your Word comes to us, Loving God.

People: It calls us, comforts us and urges us to depart from evil and do good, to seek peace and pursue it.

Pastor: God who speaks, open our hearts to hear you

People: And free our voices to praise you.

◆ Hymn No. 455 “Come Christians Join to Sing” 1, 3 & 4

◆Prayer of Invocation:

Awesome and gracious God, mold us into a more holy shape; build us into a house of faith and freedom. Let our floor be the memories of your love woven through history - how you freed the oppressed, healed our wounds, set our feet on the narrow path, and planted the stories of faith in our bones. Let our walls be the call to integrity and justice - to stand tall and firm for truth and freedom. Let the roof be our assurance that you hover over us to bring blessing and that you long to shelter all your creation from the stormy blast and the terrors of night. Let the windows and doors be avenues to the Spirit, who brings light and truth, friends and strangers. Awesome and gracious God, build us into a more holy community, a household of hospitality and mission. Amen.

◆ Gloria Patri

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 16: 21-28

Children's Message: "Following the Rules"

◆ Hymn No. 369 “O Jesus, I Have Promised” 1 & 3

New Testament Lesson: Romans 12:9-21

Sermon: "How to Overcome Evil"

You Tube: "God is Still Writing My Story" – R & B Gospel Music

◆Doxology No. 625

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Offertory Prayer

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (sins)

◆Closing Praise Hymn No. 3 “Cry of My Heart”

Benediction

Postlude

Our offering plates are located in the Church narthex.

If you are a guest here today, we welcome and invite you to Sign our Guest Book located in the Narthex and introduce yourself to our Pastor, Susan Walters. Please, visit us again whenever possible.