

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

PRELUDE "Near to the Heart of God" Elise Sweger

LIGHTING THE CANDLES / RINGING THE CHURCH BELL

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We gather, like Jacob, who wrestled with the Divine through the night.

P: In the midst of struggle, we seek God's blessing and strength.

L: Jacob's perseverance brought him a new name and a new identity.

P: May our encounters with God transform us and renew our spirits.

L: Though Jacob limped away, he knew he had seen God face to face.

P: In our worship, may we find God's presence and leave changed forever.

HYMN "Trust and Obey" UMH 467

CHILDRENS MOMENT

PASTORAL PRAYER / LORDS PRAYER (DEBTORS)

HYMN "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" UMH 420

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory "Morning Has Broken"

Doxology "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

SPECIAL MUSIC "Jesus is All the World to Me" Adult Choir

SCRIPTURE Page 25 Genesis 32:22-32

MESSAGE "Wrestling With God" **Rev. Kathy Kind**

CLOSING HYMN "Standing on the Promises" UMH 374

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION "God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES / CHIMES

POSTLUDE "I Am Thine, O Lord" Elise Sweger
(Please stand, if able)

WORSHIP NOTES

Hearing assist devices are available at the rear of the sanctuary in tech room.

Large Print Bulletins are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please ask an Usher.

Children's Worship - Children are invited to the front of the sanctuary for the children's moment followed by Otter Kids in Room 5.

Altar flowers are given in memory of our parents and Bob's sister, Linda by Robert and Barbara Loy.

Usher Captain – Slim Connors

Organist: Elise Sweger

Worship Schedule

8:45 AM Traditional

9:30 AM Contemporary "Gathering"

11:00 AM Traditional Light

Adult Sunday School:

9:45 - Loyal Class (Library)

10:00 - BASIC Class (Room 8)

Attendance - October 6

8:45 Traditional 174 Online: 107

9:30 Contemporary 33

11:00 Traditional Light 27

Total All: 234 Online: 107

Note: The Church Conference will be held on October 24, 2024, starting at 6:00 PM in the Sanctuary. Please mark your calendar to attend.



Otterbein United Methodist Church

October 13, 2024
Traditional Service

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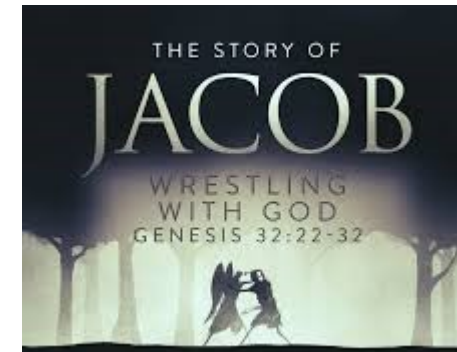
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“Wrestling With God”

Genesis 32:22-32



Welcome to Otterbein Church

Whether you are a first time guest, a new resident seeking a church home or just visiting the area, we're glad you took the time to join us for worship. We are a United Methodist congregation seeking to serve our Lord Jesus Christ by proclaiming the Good News and serving our neighbors. We'd love to have you join us on our journey of faith.