

Matawan United Methodist Church

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Liturgist: Carie Thoroughman

October 5, 2025

World Communion Sunday

Songs of Praise:

“10,000 Reasons “ - “In the Arms of My Father”

“God Is on the Move”

10:00 Welcome

***Call to Worship** (Projected)

***Opening Hymn:** “We Gather Together” #131

***Opening Prayer** - (Also Projected)

God of all the ages,
you have revealed your grace
in our Savior, Jesus Christ.

As we wait patiently on your mercies,
strengthen us to live in your justice,
that with open hearts we may hear
and accomplish your will,
through Christ, who lights the way to life everlasting.
Amen..

Prayers from the Lectionary

Prayer of Confession

Sharing the Peace - “The Family of God”

Proclamation and Response

The Hebrew Scriptures: Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

Praise Team: “Seek Ye First” #405

Children’s Message: “A Mustard Seed Faith”

Glory Be to the Father

Gospel: Luke 17:5-10

Sermon: “Waiting for More Faith?”

Meditative Interlude

Pastoral Prayer - The Offering

Praise Team: “He Knows My Name”

Offertory Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving and Holy Communion

Sending Forth:

Closing Hymn: “Sent Forth by God's blessing” #664

The Blessing - Response:

“Shalom toYou” #666

Thrift Store: Tues. 6 pm-8 pm; Thur. 10 am-2 pm; Sat. 10 am-2pm

Food Pantry: 2nd and 4th Tues. 6:30 pm-7:30 pm; Thur. 10 am-11:30