



**Rutland United Methodist Church
Sunday, July 7, 2024 – Celebration of The Lord's Supper
Pastor Tom Atkins**

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ellen Wakker

PRELUDE *O Worship the King*

Sharon Teer & Ann Reed

OPENING MUSIC *How Majestic is Your Name*

TFWS 2023

CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Tom

Leader: We come together, putting our faith, not in ourselves, but in the Lord.

People: We ask him to renew our strength. We ask him to lift us.

Leader: We ask him to lift us, not just out of our darkness, but lift us to soar on wings like eagles. Let us run and not grow weary. Let us walk and not grow faint.

ALL: For you are with us. Amen and amen.

HYMN *This is a Day of New Beginnings*

UMH 383 (vs. 1, 3 and 5)

A READING FROM THE WORD

1 Corinthians 2:1-5

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Guide us, O God, by your Word, and Holy Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover peace; through Christ our Lord, Amen.

ANTHEM *We Are One Lord*

Joy Choir

SCRIPTURE

2 Corinthians 4:7

SERMON *Jars of Clay* Rev. Tom Atkins

HYMN *In His Time* TFWS 2023

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

COMMUNION MUSIC

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY *My Faith Looks Up to Thee* Ann Reed

DOXOLOGY

BLESSINGS and PRAYER REQUESTS

PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN *O God, Our Help in Ages Past* UMH 117

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION SONG *Blessed Assurance* UMH 369

"Mark Your Calendar"

Today, there will be a reception for Pastor Tom following worship.

Leadership Team Meeting: **Monday, July 8** at 6 pm via Zoom.

Saturday, July 20 at 1:30 pm: Ice Cream Social at The Maples. Stewart's Shops will provide all of the "fixings" for a delicious and fun time. Paul Whitney will provide entertainment.

Sunday, August 18: Worship will be held outdoors at Kristen Jarvi's home in West Rutland.

Companions in Wholeness will be hosting a Chocolate Fest and Silent Auction on **Saturday, October 12**. See Bobbie Fillioe or Ellie McGarry if you are willing to help with this fundraiser.

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