



Grace United Methodist Church  
320 Felgar Road  
Somerset, PA 15501  
(814) 443-2906  
July 5, 2026  
Pastor Justin Judy

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Special Guest: *Sara Buterbaugh*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

*Devlin Ankeny*

Leader: We gather to worship God with our full, imperfect selves.

**People: We come to delight in the law of God, who is Love.**

Leader: We gather as people who don't always know what to do in the face of difficult and complex circumstances.

**People: We come to delight in the law of God, who is Love.**

Leader: We gather as people who desire to follow God with our actions but struggle to connect what we want to do with what we actually do.

**People: We come to delight in the law of God, who is Love.**

Leader: Whether you come to worship today wondering if there is anything good left in the world or rejoicing in the small moments of goodness that remind you grace is still at work among us, you are welcome here.

**People: We come to delight in the law of God, whose grace shows us how to live, work, play, and rest as a community of faith woven together by Love. Amen.**

\*OPENING HYMN

"America the Beautiful"

#696

\*INVOCATION

**God of heaven and earth, we gather in Your presence with thanksgiving and praise for the way in which You have revealed Yourself to us. Through Jesus Christ, your Son, we have come to know and love You; we have witnessed Your love and mercy in action; we have caught a glimpse of Your heart, and we have received the call to follow. Continue to reveal Yourself to us as we worship. May Your Holy Spirit open our minds and hearts to Your presence here, and to the word that You have for us this morning. We long to meet You here, and to know You better. In the name of Jesus Christ, Your Son and our Savior. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

"This is My Song"

*Amy Maimone*

CHILDREN'S TIME

EXPRESSION OF NEED AND PRAISE

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

\* DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*HYMN

"Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior"

#361

SCRIPTURES

Romans 7:15-25a

*Tony Maimone*

MESSAGE

"Thanks Be to God"

\*CLOSING HYMN

"Be Thou My Vision"

#451

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

***\*Those who are able, please stand***

**GRACE UMC PRAYER CONCERNS:**  
Chuck Salay, Bill Stephens, Ray Tomsik, Joy Gresiek, Judith Henderson, Bruce and Jaye Holsopple, Pat Wickham, Dorothy Kolinsky, Richard Mostoller, Kristy Burkett, Darlene Roberts, Shirley Schlosser, The Family of Delores Resh, Kendra Nist.



*The altar flower vases have been given to the Glory of God by the Holsopple Family.*



Today's "Thinking of You" card will be sent to Brandy Alvarez. The card is located in the narthex.

# MISSION of the Month



**Vision:** To protect, advocate for, and support healing of abused children and their families in Somerset County.

**Mission:** To lessen trauma by providing safety, education, and treatment in a child-friendly environment.

## July

Breakfast Bars/Poptarts

Cereal

Liquid Cleaner

Canned Fruit

Hamburger Helper

Mac N Cheese

Meal Kits/Pizza Kits

Pasta Salad Mix

Soup

Body Wash

Toilet Paper

Veggies

**Delivery Date : July 17**

July's

Challenge

Time for School Supplies!!!



Groceries from  
**GRACE**



## The Somerset Historical Center



There will be a meeting for all interested in helping with Mountain Craft Days in the parlor on **Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am.**

### Mountain Craft Days



July 26th - 30th 2026  
**Something for Everyone 1 to 101!!!**

Exploring 5 foundational truths about the nature of God. Embark on a wild, creature-filled Amazon adventure where kids learn that Jesus is Creator, All-knowing, our Refuge, Love, and Forever.



Our Prayer Chain is officially up and running. To request the chain to pray, please call Amy during office hours (M-F 9am to 1pm) at the church office 814-443-2906 or send her a text at 814-233-5977 at any time.



On July 6, 2026, Jay and Peggy Ankeny will celebrate their **75<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary!!!**

To help mark this incredible milestone, their daughters; Randee Ankeny, Becky Werner, and their families; are asking for a card shower. If you are able, please send a card or note to:

Jay and Peggy Ankeny  
1465 Jonathan Drive  
Somerset, PA 15501

***Thank you to all who have already sent a card.***



The Friends and Fellowship Group is scheduled to meet:

July 9th @1:00pm: Yomato Steak House of Japan, 1606 N Ctr Ave, Somerset  
RSVP to Pastor Justin or Christi



Monday, July 13, 2026  
6:00PM  
In the Grace Pavilion  
(weather permitting)

The Women of Grace will provide meat and drinks. Please sign up in the narthex to come and share your favorite side or dessert. All women are welcome.



**The Men of Grace will meet for Breakfast on August 1 at 8:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. All men are welcome. Please sign up in the Narthex so enough food will be prepared.**