

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF ROCHESTER  
ROCHESTER, WISCONSIN  
**June 21, 2026 10am**  
4th Sunday after Pentecost Communion  
Father's Day

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PRELUDE	MEDITATION*	CHURCH BELL
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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS: Ruth Frost, Moderator

INTROIT: Vicki Will

\* OPENING HYMN: #259 For the Beauty of the Earth

\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP: (responsive)

One: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;

**All: His mercies never come to an end.**

One: They are new every morning;

**All: Great is Your faithfulness!**

One: The Lord is good to those who wait for Him,

**All: To the soul who seeks Him. Let us worship in hope and trust!**

\* GLORIA PATRI #558

\*THE PRAYER OF INVOCATION: (unison)

**Holy God who created all that exists, we praise you. We open our hearts and our spirits this day to your eternal love and forgiving mercy. Be with us as we participate in this worship service. Remind us again that Jesus Christ gave his life that we might fully understand the depth and breadth of your love. In all things and at all times we praise you. AMEN**

The Lord's Prayer ( debts/debtors)

HYMN OF PREPARATION: #386 His Eye Is On the Sparrow

SCRIPTURE: Old Testament: Psalm 69:7-18 Read Responsively  
Gospel: Matthew 10:24-39

MESSAGE: Rev. Joe Hackett

SPECIAL MUSIC: Vicki Will

Father's Day Prayer/Blessing

SHARING OUR LIVES TOGETHER:

Thanksgivings

Concerns of the Community

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

Silent Reflection and Prayers

Pastoral Prayer

Community Prayer by and for the People

**Loving Creator, we thank You for the gift of our community. Bless every person here with peace, health, and hope. Help us to care for one another, lift each other up in times of need, and work together in kindness and unity. May love guide our words and actions today and always. Amen**

SHARING OUR GIFTS:

Call to Giving

Doxology

Offering Prayer

**O Lord. We bring before you our gifts, our lives, our talents. Take all these gifts and use them for work in your kingdom. Bless the gifts and the givers of all gifts. AMEN.**

HOLY COMMUNION

Confession ( see insert)

Invitation

Words of Institution

Sharing the Elements

\*CLOSING HYMN: #367 O Jesus, I Have Promised

\*BENEDICTION:

God has given you all that you will need as you reach out in love and caring to others. Go into God's world bringing the good news of redemption and hope. In Jesus' Name, go in peace and may the God of Peace go with you always. AMEN.

POSTLUDE:

\*Denotes that all who are able, please stand

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## Looking ahead June 2026 calendar

Sunday June 21 Father's Day  
10am Worship and Communion  
Fellowship after service  
No Council Meeting

Monday June 22  
6:30pm Book Club

Tuesday June 23  
9am Tai Chi

Friday June 26  
10am-2pm OCC Crafting

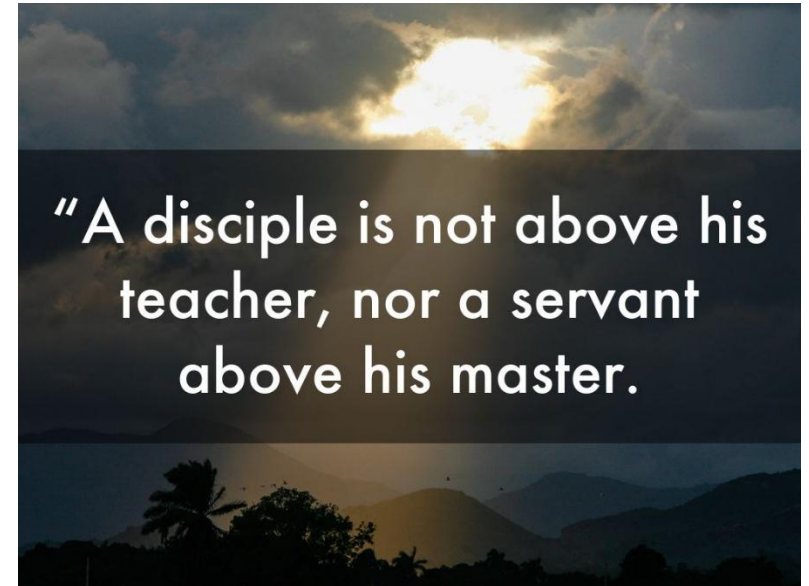
Sunday June 28  
10am Worship

### Prayer Concerns

Agneta Ray and Family  
Cindy Ovokaitys  
World Peace

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## *Welcome to the FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF ROCHESTER, WISCONSIN*



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