

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Sunday September 29	6:00 pm	SPRC meeting
Wednesday October 2	7:30 am/5:30 pm	Prayer meeting
	3:30 pm	Church School
	6:00 pm	Choir
Thursday October 3	1:30 pm	UMW meeting
Sunday October 6	10:30 am	Worship with communion
		<b>Latvian Bake Sale</b>
Monday October 7	10:30 am	Care & Nurture Committee
Tuesday October 8	6:00 pm	Trustees meeting
Saturday, October 12	9:00 am	Flood Gates Book Group

**Viroqua UMC offers 2 Adult Bible Study classes from 9:00-10:00 a.m. every Sunday**

**Lay Servant Classes** will be offered at New Hope Church on Oct. 26 & Nov. 2. See Bulletin Board for more information.

**Prayer List: Dylan, Arlen, Monica, Kathy, Annabel**

	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Week</u>
<b>USHERS</b>	Kyle/Kalia Schultz	Dale/Jolene Gudgeon
<b>GREETER</b>	Kyle/Kalia Schultz	Janet Welch
<b>LITURGIST</b>	Holly Fanta	Layne Hanson
<b>LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE</b>	68	
<b>LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING</b>	\$2,110.60	



**Viroqua United Methodist Church**



**Sixteenth Sunday  
after Pentecost  
September 29, 2019**

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## Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

*Viroqua UMC Worship Service—Sunday, 10:30 A.M.*

*Please turn off all cell phones and electronics*

*\*\*Please stand if you are able*

**PRELUDE** “DIVERTIMENTO” *by Heathcote Statham*  
*(A time to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation.)*

**WELCOMING WORDS, ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
*(Please sign the attendance sheets)*

**\*\*CALL TO WORSHIP:**

L. The Lord our God gives to each one of us a sense of blessing, security and confidence-

**P. For God alone is our refuge, our place of safety.**

L. Our life experiences reassure us that we can always trust in God’s goodness and compassion-

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L. God’s Presence is expressed to us in many ways which lead us into a closer relationship with God.

**P. For God alone is our refuge, our place of safety. Let us worship this holy and glorious God. Amen**

**\*\*HYMN OF PRAISE** “WE SING TO YOU, O GOD” **TFWS NO. 2001**

**\*\*OPENING PRAYER** (in unison) Lord our God, many of us never had it so good, and so we have become smug and self-satisfied, happy in our own little world. God, may our ears remain open to Your word and our hearts to You and to our brothers and sisters. Do not allow us to forget You, or to place our trust in ourselves. Make us restless for You through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**CHILDREN’S TIME**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** JEREMIAH 32: 1-3a, 6-15 **PEW BIBLE NO. 932**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING** I TIMOTHY 6: 6-19 **PEW BIBLE NO. 1451**

**SPECIAL MUSIC** “JUST A CLOSER WALK WITH THEE”  
*Piano/Violin duet by Reid Brown and Wynne Roberts*

**\*\*GOSPEL** LUKE 16.19-31 **PEW BIBLE NO. 1259**  
L: This is the word of God for the people of God.  
P: **Thanks Be to God.**

**HYMN** (remain seated) “TAKE MY LIVE, AND LET IT BE” **UMH NO. 399**

**SERMON** “HOPE” **BARB ROBSON**

**JOYS AND CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER, LORD’S PRAYER** **UMH NO. 895**

**OFFERING** “EIN FESTE BURG” *arr. by Paul Manz*

**\*\*DOXOLOGY:**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*\*OFFERTORY PRAYER:** (in unison)

**Generous GOD, Almighty God, who made us who we are, we offer all of ourselves to You. Take our talents, our regrets and our pain, and use us to bring Your healing. Magnify the gifts we offer before You today, to spread Your peace in the world. Amen**

**\*\*CLOSING HYMN** “MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS” **UMH NO. 368**

**\*\*SENDING FORTH** (in unison)

**You are the body of Christ. May you have the heart of Christ, tender for mercy. May you have the eyes of Christ to see a world in need. May you have the feet of Christ to bring good news. Go in peace! And God go with you. Amen.**

**\*\*APOSTOLIC BENEDICTION**

**\*\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE** “THE SPIRIT SENDS US FORTH TO SERVE” **TFWS NO. 2241**  
(verse 1)

**POSTLUDE** “TOCCATA IN E MINOR” *by Johann Pachebel*

The WVRQ radio broadcast is sponsored by Janet Welch in honor of her 91st birthday on October 1st.