

BE THE CHURCH

Protect the environment.

Care for the poor.

Forgive often.

Reject racism.

Fight for the powerless.

Share earthly and spiritual resources.

Embrace diversity.

Love God.

Enjoy this life.

Sunday June 21, 2026 10:00 AM

Reverend Michelle Sumption Stone

WEBSTER UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

June 21, 2026

10:00 A.M.

Prelude

Oleksandra Yurchenko

Words of Welcome

Gathering Song “Great Is Your Faithfulness”

NCH #423

Great is your faithfulness, O God, Creator, with you no shadow of turning we see. You do not change, your compassions they fail not; all of your goodness forever will be.

Refrain: Great is your faithfulness! Great is your faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed your hand has provided. Great is your faithfulness, God, unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest; sun, moon, and stars in their courses above, join with all nature in manifold witness to your great faithfulness, mercy and love. [Refrain]

Pardon for sin and a peace so enduring, your own dear presence to cheer and to guide. Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine with ten thousand beside. [Refrain]

An Offering of Prayer- Joys and Concerns

PLEASE LIFT YOUR HAND TO SHARE REQUEST

In response to each request, the minister will say “Loving God”

The congregation will respond, “**Hear our Prayer.**”

Pastoral Prayer, followed by The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

Sung Prayer Response “Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

NCH #282

Every time I feel the Spirit moving in my heart I will pray. Yes, every time I feel the Spirit moving in my heart I will pray.

Greeting One Another with God’s Peace (*a wave, a nod, a sign of peace...*)

“May the Peace of Christ be with you.”

“And also with you.”

Choral Anthem “You are The Salt Of The Earth”- Avery & Marsh/Wilson

Ron Milliman, Director

Offering

Invitation

Offertory

Prayer of Gratitude and Dedication

Oleksandra Yurchenko

Scripture Reading (The Inclusive Bible version)

Psalm 146:5-10

Happy are those whose help is the God of Israel, whose hope is in YHWH, their God, who made heaven and earth, the sea and all that is in it! YHWH, you keep faith forever: you secure justice for the oppressed; you give food to the hungry; you set captives free; you give sight to the blind; you raise up those who were bowed down; you love those who do justice; you protect strangers; you sustain orphans and the bereaved— but you thwart the way of the corrupt. YHWH will reign forever—your God, Zion!—through all generations. alleluia!

Message

“Go Tell It On The Mountain”

Pastor Michelle

Song of Response “Guide My Feet”

NCH #497

Guide my feet while I run this race, guide my feet while I run this race, guide my feet while I run this race, for I don’t want to run this race in vain!

Hold my hand while I run this race, hold my hand while I run this race, hold my hand while I run this race, for I don’t want to run this race in vain!

I’m your child while I run this race, I’m your child while I run this race, I’m your child while I run this race, for I don’t want to run this race in vain!

Stand by me while I run this race, stand by me while I run this race, stand by me while I run this race, for I don’t want to run this race in vain!

Announcements
Benediction

Sung Congregational Benediction “This Little Light of Mine” NCH #525

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Postlude

Oleksandra Yurchenko

Serving you this morning:

Reader – Heather Himes

Greeters— Norm and Judy Short

Livestream – Ken Mihalyov

ANNOUNCEMENTS 6/21/26

STRENGTHEN THE CHURCH the 2nd of 4 special UCC offerings will be received during June. As God calls our congregation to be the church in new ways, your donations will plant new churches, awaken new ideas in existing churches, and develop the spiritual life in our youth and young adults. Please note STC on check.

WINE & CHEESE Monday June 22 6:30. Everyone welcome. It's optional to bring a snack and/or drink to share. On the deck weather permitting otherwise in fellowship center.

FLOWERS We invite anyone who would like to contribute to the beauty of our worship service to bring flowers on Sunday for the communion table. Whether from your garden, a roadside bouquet, or a florist, your gift will create a beautiful expression of gratitude and praise.

RAINFOREST FALLS VBS June 29-July 3 9:00-12:00

PROJECT IMPACT- Youth Mission June 29-July 2 12:30-2:30

FREE COMMUNITY SUNDAY SUPPER- July 12, 4:30-5:30. Everyone is welcome. The menu is ... Barbecue Chicken Drumsticks, Mike's Famous Mac & Cheese, Tossed Salad & Cookies. Contact Wendy wlesko88@gmail.com if you'd like to volunteer

CARING COMMUNITY CONCERTS: July 8, July 15, July 22, July 29, August 5

PRIDE PARADE Saturday July 18

SHINE minicamp: August 3- August 5

ONGOING

VOLUNTEER SIGN UP- Please use the following link to sign up to volunteer during our Sunday services:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1WOuyTcNEEEsn85ejfqr0eoZrqaqNgNLa9TxELbduamM/edit?usp=sharing>

HOT TOPICS: The Hot Topics discussion group is on break for July and August. We will resume our conversations on Tuesday, September 1, at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. In the meantime, if you'd like more information or to be added to the Hot Topics e-mail list, contact Richard_Kendrick@verizon.net.

MEDITATION GROUP- Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. in the back of the Sanctuary. All are welcome! Note...will not meet in July and August

The Nurture Team: is a group of caring individuals who express the love of God through their Ministry of Care. They hope to walk with those in need of company or pray. They

liaison with the pastor if a pastoral visit is desired. If you have a concern or need of prayer or if you know someone who does, please put a note in the offering plate.

PRAYER SHAWL: This group does not formally meet. It's for anyone who wants to knit or crochet prayer shawls to be given to people in need of comfort and/or dish cloths for outreach grocery bags given to people in need. contact Wendy wlesko88@gmail.com

INFORMATION FOR THE NEWSLETTER should be directed to Wendy Lesko wlesko88@gmail.com by the 25th of the month

ANNOUNCEMENTS EMAIL LIST If you'd like to receive email notifications from church, you can join our email list. There's a link on the church website under "Connect with Us". <https://uccwebster.org/connect-with-us/> Enter your email address and hit "subscribe."

NAME TAGS – If you need a nametag, please email Carole Kohler at carolekohler1192@gmail.com with the first and last names of your family members or sign up in the narthex.

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CLOTHING & SMALL HOUSEHOLD ITEMS Please place the items in the 2 bins located in the hall near the West Entrance. Items are distributed to Cameron Community, Matthew's Closet, or Saints Place. Thank You!

THE ROCKERS This is a group of the mature men from our congregation that meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday each month at 8:30am at The Nutcracker Restaurant

COFFEE HOUR Volunteers are needed to sign up to coordinate a week (make the coffee, provide a treat). If you are interested, please contact Heidi

Zastowny (heidizastowny@gmail.com; (585) 314-0678) or Diane Cannarozzo (dcannaro@gmail.com).

IN THE COMMUNITY

25 YEARS OF MARCHING TO EQUALITY: Presentation by Pat Nugent Monday June 29th 2:00-3:30 Penfield Library

COMMUNITY SERVICE CAMP: July 13-July 15 9:00-12:00

PET FOOD NEEDED: The pet food pantry needs donations of dry and canned cat food and dog food. A collection basket is in the narthex. Thank you



2026 Caring Community Concerts

A Summer Concert Series to Benefit Our Community.

July 8: Allegro

Benefit for Webster Comfort Care...Free will offering

Allegro is Western New York's premier party band! Allegro's members are experienced, very versatile and have performed for thousands of satisfied customers over the past 20 years. They are known for playing many different styles of music, from straight ahead jazz to today's current hits. Allegro will surely energize and entertain you.

July 15: Acme R & B

Benefit for Webster Public Library BookBox for Kids and Teens...Free will offering

ACME R&B are a Rochester, NY based quintet of professional and accomplished musicians. They craft unique versions of classic R&B, Funk, Rock covers and select original tunes. They perform music that's audience focused, dynamic, interesting, entertaining and danceable. Expect deep funky grooves, mash-ups and a fun stage presence.

July 22: Uptown Groove

Benefit for Webster Association of Senior Program Supporters...Free will offering

The Uptown Groove is a high-energy, elite party band from Western and Central, NY. The band performs a variety of Motown, R&B Funk/Soul, Disco, Rock and Current Top 40 Pop/Rock. The Uptown Groove brings world-class musicianship, superior professionalism and an exemplary experience for every audience. GROOVE on!

July 29: Red, Hot & Blue

Benefit for Webster Health and Education Network...Free will offering

Red, Hot and Blue is one of Upstate NY's top Americana bands! RHB was "born" in Memphis and raised in Western New York, playing the music of Paul Thorn, JJ Cale and many more great songwriters. You'll be toe tapping along and having a good ole' time!

August 5: Mitty and the Followers

Benefit for Webster Community Chest ...Free will offering

Mitty & The Followers, is one of the hottest Motown, R & B and variety acts around. Known for their high stepping energize performance, this band is perfect for any occasion with it's incredible ability to cover decades of music.

When you feel the groove and hear the soulful and dynamic vocals, you'll know right away – It's a show and a party you won't want to miss!



Concerts to be held on front lawn of Webster United Church of Christ
570 Klem Road - Webster, New York 14580

Bring a blanket, Bring a friend...Bring a picnic, or Choose from our picnic menu.

Concessions open at 6:00 pm * Music plays 6:30- 8:00 pm

For additional information contact the church office at (585) 671-3757