

# NEWS FOR UU!

## Share your Water Stories!

In years past for the Ingathering "Water Communion," we brought a little water and spoke about where the water came from. Perhaps it was from a special vacation or a favorite river for paddling. What special place would your water signify? Share your pictures and stories on the church [Facebook](#) page or send them to the church office and we can post for you!



## This Sunday, September 19, 2021

10:30 a.m., [John Brown and Divine Violence](#)  
*The Rev. James Galasinski*

**No Registration Necessary**

Church Council adopted a **Covid Safety Plan**, effective immediately. Read it [here](#).

Past sermons are posted on our website [here](#).  
Visit our [YouTube Channel](#) for more fun videos and past Family Chapel services.

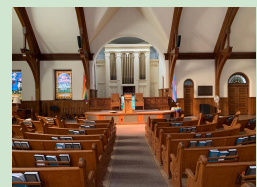


## Family Chapel and Religious Education

Join us this Sunday, September 19 at 10:30am for Family Chapel and Religious Education. We will have an in person outdoor water communion ceremony and then breakout into age appropriate activities. All ages are invited to participate. Mask will be required.

## Help Us *USHER* In the New Church Year

If you are fully vaccinated and comfortable attending worship in person, consider serving as an usher. We ask our ushers to arrive 15 minutes early, verify vaccination status, collect the cards for Joys and Sorrows, and collect the cash offering. You can sign up online [here](#).



## UUGeos in Edwards

**Saturday, September 18, at 1:00 p.m.** - Discover the historic closed Reynolds Talc Mine and explore the Edwards Nature Trail to find three geocaches. This nature trail is an easy walk near the Oswegatchie River along a flat rails-to-trails path. [Click here](#) for full details.

**The Health Initiative** is accepting nominations for its inaugural

**Kelly Johnson-Eilola Award**, given to a resident of St. Lawrence, Lewis, or Jefferson County who stands out as a champion of and advocate for North Country youth/teens. Kelly was a beloved friend of our congregation, facilitating our Our Whole Lives program for many years.

Learn more and submit a nomination [here](#).



## A New Church Year Begins!

September marks the start of our church year. Click on the button below to read our latest newsletter, which is filled with messages, activities, and news from our church leadership.

[September 2021 Newsletter](#)

## The Week Ahead:

**Thursday, September 16:**

Noon, Mindfulness Meditation

**Saturday, September 18:**

1:00 p.m., **UU Geos Meet in Edwards**

**Sunday, September 19:**

10:30 a.m., Worship

**Tuesday, September 21:**

6:30 p.m., Religious Education Committee Meeting

**SAVE THE DATE:** The Annual Meeting is scheduled for **Sunday, October 31** after Worship.