

United Methodist Church (587-9544)  
North Rose, New York

September 25, 2011  
Camping Sunday/MS Youth Sunday

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PRELUDE "Praise God" Livingston

LIFE IN THE CHURCH

*(Please pass the Fellowship Folders to those seated next to you.)*

CALL TO WORSHIP Matthew 6: 33

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE "A-la-la-la-la"

\*HYMNS OF PRAISE "Days of Elijah" "Grace Like Rain"

*( \* invites all who are able to stand to praise God)*

OPENING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(unison)*

SONG "Seek Ye First" p. 405 *(verse 1)*

SCRIPTURE Daniel 1: 1-8 p. 761

"Seek Ye First" *(verse 1)*

SCRIPTURE Daniel 1: 9-14 p. 761

"Seek Ye First" *(verse 1)*

SCRIPTURE Daniel 1: 15-21 p. 761

"Seek Ye First" *(verse 1)*

FEATURED FRIENDS Steve, Kim, and Mia Sember

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS/CAMPERS

*(Afterwards, kids age 3 through Grade 5 are welcome to go to J4J.)*

SHARING OUR JOYS & PRAYER CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER/PRAYER BOX PLACED ON ALTAR

MORNING PRAYER

MISSION BANK OFFERING

*(Children will collect gifts to support our Missions in Syracuse & Nepal.)*

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

ANTHEM "Praise the Lord" Handel

OFFERTORY PRAYER

MESSAGE "Love"

\*SONG "Here I Am to Worship"

\*PRAYER OF BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE "My Jesus, I Love Thee" Hegarty

We heartily welcome all visitors here this morning and hope you will return to worship with us again! Please sign the guest book by the front door.

Friendly NURSERY CARE for pre-school children is available anytime from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. It is located downstairs at the east end of the building.

The rosebud on the altar is in honor of the birth of Alexa Whitehouse, born on Sept. 17. She is the daughter of Tom & Nicole Fox Whitehouse; granddaughter of Stacey & David Fox and Beth Whitehouse; and great-granddaughter of Dick & Diane Noyes.

Today, we are receiving our Mission Bank offering. This offering helps support the work of missionaries: The United Methodist Westside Urban Mission in Syracuse is responsible for outreach to the children & youth of this poverty-stricken neighborhood. Dr. Mark Zimmerman is the director of the Nick Simons Institute for Rural Health in Nepal.

You are invited to remain after the service for a Fellowship Time downstairs. This is a good opportunity to greet our “Featured Friends,” Steve, Kim, and Mia Sember.

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week: Jon & Morgan Bentley; Mandy Bentley; Den & Gale Blackmon; Eric & Kristine, Laura Bliss. Jacob Bliss.

**FAITH HOME:** Each week we list an activity that you can enjoy as a family to help us all grow in faith. This week: see how many languages you can use to say the word “love.” Find the countries represented on a globe or map. Talk about how God’s love is found in these countries. (Mention that on Oct. 2 we will celebrate World-wide Communion.)

The World Wide Communion Sunday offering will be received next Sunday, October 2. This offering provides college scholarships for racial-and ethnic-minority students in the United States and international students.

Invitation To Church Membership: The date for this Fall is Sunday, October 9, during our 10:30 a.m. worship service. If you are not already a church member, we invite you to consider officially joining our church fellowship. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Dan (587-9544) as soon as possible. He will arrange a time for you to meet with him for “New Member Orientation.”

The Route 414 roadside clean-up team (this includes MS Youth Group and HS Youth Group) will meet at the church at 8:00 am this Saturday, October 1. Team members will receive job training, orange safety vests and litter bags. Bring your own gloves. Clean-up should be complete by 10:00 am. Volunteers may call Mark Anthony (587-2633) with any questions.

Safe Sanctuary Training is part of our church's policy for all those who have supervisory responsibility in working with children/youth under age 18 and with vulnerable adults in our church's ministry. There are two possible training dates to choose from in October, if you have not previously attended a training. They are this Sunday, October 2, 4:30-5:30 p.m. Or, Saturday, October 15, 9:00-10:00 a.m. Please sign up on the informational table at the bottom of the stairs, so we have a rough estimate of how many people to expect. If you have questions, please contact Deb Bussard (buzz5023@aol.com, 594-2467) or Scotty Martin (587-4844) or Bertha Alderman or Dan Corretore at the church office(587-9544, NRUMC@rochester.rr.com).

All men in the church are invited to the monthly Men's Breakfast Bible Study. It will be held on Thursday, October 6, at 7:30 a.m. at Nick's Restaurant. Separate checks—everyone orders what they wish. We'll be discussing Luke 3-4.

Save the Date: There will be a benefit Spaghetti Dinner for James & Angela McIntyre on Sat. Oct. 8 in Wolcott.

The UMW will meet on Tuesday, October 11, at the home of Carol Agnew (34 Dickerson, Lyons), starting at 6:45 p.m.

Save the date: Our church's Annual Meeting/Church Conference will be held on Sat. Oct. 29, 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Our District Superintendent, Dick Barton, will be here to chair the meeting. We will elect church officers for 2012, vote on the pastor's compensation package for 2012, and receive reports.

Would you like to help those who are recovering from the damage caused by the recent flooding? The United Methodist Church is already on the scene in many communities throughout the Eastern seaboard. The biggest help is financial contributions. If you would like to provide aid in this way, please place your check, made out to NRUMC, in the offering plate, and we will pass it on to those in need.

*Bathrooms are located downstairs, across from the kitchen.*

**Today** – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time  
6:00-7:30 p.m. MS Youth: Campfire Night at Akins’  
4538 Galen Rd., North Rose (Rain location: Church)

**Monday** – 7:00 p.m. Adult Handbell Rehearsal

**Tuesday** – 3:20 p.m. Jr. Choir Rehearsal

**Wednesday** – 7:00 p.m. Staff Parish Relations Team meeting

**Thursday** – 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

7:00 p.m. Bible Study: Matthew 6: 1-18

**Saturday** – 8:00 a.m. Route 414 Clean up

**Sun. Oct. 2** – World Wide Communion Sunday, Jr. Choir

9:15 a.m. MS & HS Youth/Adult Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship: “Communion,” 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26

J4J – Joyful for Jesus (Children’s Sunday School)

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

4:30-5:30 p.m. Safe Sanctuary Training

6:00-7:30 p.m. MS Youth:

**Mon. Oct 3** – 9:30 a.m. Craft Group at Betty Whitmore’s

7:00 p.m. Adult Handbell Rehearsal

**Tues. Oct. 4** – 3:20 p.m. Jr. Choir rehearsal

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Our J4J (Joyful for Jesus Sunday School) theme for this month is “Dig Into the Bible.” Our red library cart (downstairs in the library corner of the Fellowship Hall) has children & adult books and videos to help us learn more about the Bible. There are many additional books & videos on the library shelves. Feel free to borrow one today! Just sign out the book on the clipboard and return it in a week or two.