

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

October 2, 2011
World-wide Communion Sunday

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PRELUDE "Holy, Holy, Holy" Hughes

LIFE IN THE CHURCH

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

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 104: 33-34

*PASSING OF THE PEACE "Peace be with you." "And also with you."

*HYMNS OF PRAISE "Open the Eyes of My Heart" "Sanctus"
*(* invites all who are able to stand to praise God)*

OPENING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(unison)*

SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26 p. 998

ANTHEM "Jesus Medley" Jr. Choir

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

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

*HYMN "Let Us Break Bread Together" p. 618
(verses 1-3)

SHARING OUR JOYS & PRAYER CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER/PRAYER BOX PLACED ON ALTAR

MORNING PRAYER

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

ANTHEM "This Cup of Grace" Patterson

OFFERTORY PRAYER

MESSAGE "Communion"

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Consecration

Giving of the Bread and Cup

(We invite you to use this time for quiet meditation, so that all have time to draw closer to God and to enjoy the music by Brad Caves.)

*Prayer after Receiving *(in unison)*:

You have given yourself to us, Lord,

Now we give ourselves for others.
Your love has made us a new people.
As a people of love we will serve you with joy.
Your glory has filled our hearts;
Help us to glorify you in all things. Amen.

*PRAYER OF BLESSING

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE *(sung by all)*

God be with you till we meet again;
By his counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you;
God be with you till we meet again.

*POSTLUDE “*Make the Sounds of Praise*” Hughes

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We welcome those who love God and believe in Jesus Christ to join with us in receiving Holy Communion. We welcome people of all ages and religious denominations, since we believe that Christ lived and died for us all. We will receive Communion at the altar rail—feel free to kneel or stand. Please note that there is gluten-free bread available in the small white paper cups. We invite you to eat the bread and drink the grape juice as they are handed to you. You are welcome to remain at the altar rail to pray as long as you wish. Please come to the front following the direction of the ushers and return by the side aisles. If you would prefer to be served in the pew, let one of the ushers know.

Altar flowers are given in loving memory of David Whitmore.

We heartily welcome all visitors here this morning and hope you will return to worship with us again.

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.

You are invited to remain after the service and enjoy conversation with one another. Coffee is available downstairs in the fellowship hall.

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week:
Harriet Blow; Charles & Sara, Avery, Greyson Boogaard; Vicki Bousquin; Justin Bousquin; Phyllis Bouton.

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.

FAITH HOME: Each week we list an activity that you can enjoy as a family to help us all grow in faith. Make a leaf bouquet of a variety of colored leaves and place it on your kitchen table. Talk about the beauty and wonder of God's creation.

The World Wide Communion Sunday offering will be received today. This offering provides college scholarships for racial-and ethnic-minority students in the United States & international students. Offering envelopes are available on the Upper Room table, the bulletin rack in the entryway, and on the table at the foot of the stairs.

Invitation To Church Membership: The date for this Fall is next 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."

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. (*This is for those who have not previously attended a training session here.*) 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 this 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.

Today – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

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

6:00-7:30 p.m. MS Youth: “Anger”

Monday – 9:30 a.m. Craft Group at Betty Whitmore’s

7:00 p.m. Adult Handbell Rehearsal

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

6:30 p.m. Trustees Team meeting

Wednesday – 7:00 p.m. Nominations Team meeting

Thursday – 7:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study @ Nick’s Restaurant

Luke 3-4

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

7:00 p.m. Bible Study: Matthew 6: 19-34

Saturday – 9:00 a.m. HS Youth & Alumni Bike-a-thon

4:00-8:00 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner at Wolcott Am. Legion

Sun. Oct. 9 – Laity Sunday, Reception of New Members,

Featured Friends: Ron Eisenmenger & Theresa Wilcox

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

10:30 a.m. Worship: Message by Roxie Walker

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

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

6:00-7:30 p.m. MS Youth: “Fall of Freddie the Leaf”

Mon. Oct 10 – 7:00 p.m. Adult Handbell Rehearsal

Tues. Oct. 11 – 3:20 p.m. Jr. Choir rehearsal

6:45 p.m. UMWomen meet @ Carol Agnew’s (34 Dickerson, Lyons)

Wed. Oct 12 – 7:00 p.m. Church Council Budget Meeting

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There will be a benefit Spaghetti Dinner this Sat. Oct. 8 for James & Angela McIntyre at the American Legion in Wolcott. Pre-sale \$5.00 and \$6.00 at the door. We will be serving from 4:00-8:00 p.m.

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