



# North Rose United Methodist Church

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We Gather for Worship

Sunday, November 6, 2016, 10:30 a.m.  
Thirty-second Sunday of Ordinary Time

All Saints Sunday

*At the asterisk (\*), all who are able are invited to stand.*

PRELUDE, "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah"

Paxton

LIFE IN THE CHURCH

*Large-print bulletins and hymnals are available from the greeters.*

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

CALL TO WORSHIP

Ephesians 1:17-18

\* PASSING OF THE PEACE

*"Peace be with you." "And also with you."*

SILENT PRAYER AND PRESENTATION OF PRAYER BOX

OPENING PRAYER AND 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 trespasses,**

**as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation,**

**but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

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

\* PRAISING GOD WITH SONG

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

We Hear God's Word

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Prepare our hearts, O God, to accept your word.

**Silence in us any voice but your own,  
that hearing, we may also obey your will. Amen.**

SCRIPTURES

First Lesson, Ephesians 1:15-19

Pew Bible, p. 1017

The Gospel, Luke 6:20-31

Pew Bible, p. 895

MESSAGE, "The Hope of Our Calling"

READING OF THE MEMORIAL ROLL

*Members of the congregation who since last All Saints Sunday  
have entered the Church Triumphant*

\* HYMN 711, "For All the Saints"

We Respond with Thanksgiving

INVITATION

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY, "He"

Richards

\* SONG OF PRAISE (Doxology)

from Hymn 64

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**

**All thy works shall praise thy name**

**in earth and sky and sea.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING, Musical Setting A

Hymnal, p. 17

SHARING THE LORD'S SUPPER

*All Christians and their children are welcome at the Lord's Table. We do not refuse any who desire to be served. Gluten-free elements are available to those who ask.*

*Please come via one of the center aisles and return to your seat via the side aisle. You may light one of the votive candles on the chancel rail in celebration of a saint or saints you are remembering.*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

You have given yourself to us, Lord.

**Now we give ourselves to 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.**

\* HYMN 712, "I Sing a Song of the Saints of God"

\* BLESSING

\* POSTLUDE, "Church in the Wildwood"

Pitts

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**Invitation to the second Pastor's Roundtable.** Do you have a question begging to be asked or an issue of faith you want to discuss? Maybe you want to know more about the interim process through which Pastor Rich is guiding the congregation – how it's going and what it's meant to achieve. Join Pastor Rich in Fellowship Hall following worship **next Sunday, Nov. 13**, for the second Pastor's Roundtable, an open, informal discussion of whatever is on your heart or mind.

**Next in the Interim Process: Affirming our identity.** Two weeks from today, on **Sunday, Nov. 20**, we will gather for our third Interim Process Event. We will review, discuss, and consider important changes to our church profile, the document that will be used by the bishop and district superintendents in selecting the next longer-term pastor for the congregation. The parts of the Church Profile that we'll focus on are the descriptions of our community, our congregation, our spiritual focus, and our sense of mission and ministry. (Our work will prepare us for identifying new directions in ministry during our Dec. 11 Interim Process Event and eventually describing the kind of pastoral leadership best suited to the congregation and our ministries.) Join us following worship, from **12:15 to 2:00 p.m.**, for a light lunch and some roll-up-your-sleeves work as we prepare for the new thing God is doing among us at North Rose UMC.

Carol Agnew committed to teaching the Adult Education (Sunday School) class from September 1-October 31, 2016. Please pray for someone to teach this class each Sunday at 9:15 am. Please find it in your hearts to commit yourself to this ministry. Thank you.

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week: Paul & Amy Shaffer, Michaela, Caitlin; Richie & Gail Sherman; Jared Sherwin; Jill Sherwin.

The carillon will play on

November 7 in memory of William & Beulah Yates.

November 13 in memory of Harold H. Sr. & Jennie K. Smith.

The annual Election Night Dinner will be held this **Tues., Nov. 8**, serving from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Featuring turkey and biscuits with gravy,

vegetables, cabbage salad, applesauce, corn bread, fruit breads, relishes, beverage, and homemade pie or cake. Take-outs available. Tickets: Adults, \$8.50; children (age 6-12), \$5.00; under 6, free; family (2 adults & 2 children), \$25.00. Delivery service will be available. If you would like dinner delivered to your home between 4:30 – 5:30 pm on Nov. 8, please call the church office – 587-9544, and leave your name and phone number.

“If the only prayer you ever said was ‘Thanks,’” Meister Eckhart remarked, “it would be enough.” We will offer thanks in a big way during our 10:30 a.m. worship celebration on **Thanksgiving Sunday, Nov. 20.** Recalling God’s instructions to Israel for the time when they entered the Promised Land, Pastor Rich will speak about how we are to “celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house” (Deut. 26:11). The service will also include anthems by our J4J, Chancel, and Handbell Choirs. Please invite your friends and neighbors to join us in celebrating this special day!

There are extra copies of the November-December *Wesley Dispatch* (church newsletter) and the November calendar located on the information tables. Please take one to share with a friend.

**Today** – **11:30 a.m.** Fellowship Time

**Monday** – **7:00 p.m.** Adult Handbells

**Tuesday** – **4:30-6:30 p.m.** Election Night Dinner

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

**Sun. Nov. 13** – Advent Bag Deadline

**9:15 a.m.** Adult/Youth Sunday School

**10:30 a.m.** Worship

Scripture- Isaiah 65: 17-25; Luke 21: 5-19

J4J Sunday School

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time: Nancy Ballagh, Patti Bowen

Mon. Nov. 14 – 7:00 p.m. Adult Handbells

7:00 p.m. SPRT

Tues. Nov. 15 – 1:00-4:00 p.m. Cards & Games

Wed. Nov. 16 – 3:30 p.m. UMW at Maggi Lawrence's

Thurs. Nov. 17 – 6:00-7:00 p.m. 4H

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

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Pastor: The Rev. Rich Neal Assistant Pastor: The Rev. Diane Walker

Secretary: Mary Anjo

Office Assistant: Melissa Taber

Accompanist: Kim Dobbin

Organist: Jan McDorman

Chancel & Bell Choir Director: Lucy Smith

J4J Choir Director: Lucinda Collier

Organist Emerita: Lorraine Wilson

Praise Music: Ken & Kim Dobbin

Head Usher: Allan Mitchell

Greeter: Linda Tompkins

Announcements: Mary Anjo

Lay Reader: Ann Stevens

Sound: *Position vacant*

Projection: *Position vacant*

Child/Youth Support: Roxie Walker

Custodian: Lois Loveless

Visiting Ministry Coordinator: Ann Stevens

Counters: Penny Hayes, Dolly Salerno

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For pastoral emergencies, contact Interim Pastor Rich Neal by cell phone, 716-984-3541, or by email at [richneal@together.net](mailto:richneal@together.net).

Not available Last Sunday's receipts for our operating budget

\$3,574.94 Average weekly receipts needed

111 Last Sunday's attendance