



North Rose United Methodist Church

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We Gather for Worship

Sunday, May 7, 2017, 10:30 a.m.

Fourth Sunday of Easter

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

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.*

PRELUDE, "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" Hayes

CALL TO WORSHIP

John 10:10b

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

* PRAISING GOD WITH SONG

PRESENTATION OF PRAYER BOX BY THE CHILDREN

SILENT PRAYER; OPENING PRAYER; 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.)

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

We Hear God's Word

ANTHEM, "Jesus Is a Friend Who's Always There"

Chancel Choir

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Open our hearts, O God, by the grace of your Spirit.

Grant that in receiving your living Word

we may know life anew in the risen Christ. Amen.

SCRIPTURES

First Lesson, Acts 2:42-47

Pew Bible, p. 949

* The Gospel, John 10:1-10

Pew Bible, p. 933

* RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL

Hymnal 72

Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo!

Gloria, Gloria! Alleluia! Alleluia!

MESSAGE, "The Shepherd's Voice"

* HYMN 138, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

We Respond with Thanksgiving

INVITATION

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY, "Holy Manna"

Curtis

* SONG OF PRAISE (Doxology)

from Hymn 61

**To thee, great One in Three, eternal praises be,
hence, evermore.**

Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see,

and to eternity love and adore.

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.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Living God: We thank you that you have renewed us with the life-giving power of this holy mystery.

**In the sharing of his holy meal,
may the eyes of our faith be opened,
and may we live as a fountain of abundant life
for those around us. Amen.**

* HYMN 381, "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

* BLESSING

* POSTLUDE, "Guidance"

Smith

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A letter and certificate of congratulations and thanks to the congregation has been received from the Rev. Jeff McDowell, our district superintendent, for paying our shared ministries in full for 2016.

"Together we reach out through mission to people in need," McDowell wrote, "whether the need is acute such as clean drinking water, or chronic such as poverty and a need for education. Together we impact the world with love as sent from God, and together we manage the many resources in the education, care of, and sending of our clergy and laity in ministry. Thank you for doing your part in keeping our Christian connection strong, the love of God flowing out into our neighborhoods, and the church growing because people care. As always, you are in my thoughts and prayers, and I invite you to contact me for any support you may need in the ministry of your church."

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Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week: Ken & Kate Weiss; Pete & Judy Welkley; Rusty & Tammy Welkley, Sarah; Kristi Welkley.

Meeting notice: A special Church Conference meeting will be held Tomorrow, May 8, at 6:30 p.m., to elect a member to fill a vacancy on the Board of Trustees. Every member of the congregation is eligible to attend and participate.

Today, we will be receiving the **Golden Cross Offering**. This special offering will be shared equally to support the chaplaincy programs at the six church-related nursing homes in our Upper NY area. Offering envelopes can be found on the back table. They may be placed in the collection plate.

During the months of May & June, we will have Spring Sunday School available during worship (following “The Time for Young Christians”) on those Sundays when Jane Milem is able to be here. We will start on May 21. It’s a one-room schoolhouse approach, led by Jane Milem, for kids ages 3 through elementary school. It will take place downstairs in the east end of the Fellowship Hall (former choir room). There will also be nursery care during the entire worship service for pre-schoolers. Hope your kids & grandkids can come!

No Spring Rummage Sale- We will not be having a spring rummage sale. A Fall rummage sale is undetermined at this time.

Are You Thinking about Summer Camp at Casowasco? It is very helpful for our planning here at church to keep a list of all the campers who are possibly going to Casowasco this summer. That way, we can keep your family up to date with news about camp. Campership forms are located on the information tables. If you know of someone who thinks they might be going to camp (age 6 to high school), please contact the church office, 587-9544. Thanks you!

The New United Methodist Center is Open! On Wednesday May 31, the day before the 2017 Upper New York Annual Conference, the doors of the United Methodist Center will be open for all from 3:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. The Open House will showcase the Media Resource Center, Mission Central, all office areas, and all meeting rooms. A service and dedication will follow at 7:30 p.m. However, you don't have to wait until the Open House to visit. The new United Methodist Center is open now, serving the people of Upper New York, and ready for visitors! UNY Conference phone number is 315-898-2000. The toll-free number, 855-424-7878, has remained the same. The Episcopal office new phone number is 315-898-2020 and the Crossroads District office phone number is 315-898-2029.

Today – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

Monday - 6:30 p.m. Church Conference Meeting

Thursday – 6:00-7:00 p.m. 4H

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Sun. May 14 – Mother's Day, J4J Choir

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

10:30 a.m. Worship: "Like Living Stones"

Scripture: 1 Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14

J4J Sunday School

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

Tues. May 16 – 1:00-4:00 p.m. Cards & Games

Thurs. May 11 - 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

Spring/J4J Choir Director: Lucinda Collier

Organist Emerita: Lorraine Wilson

Praise Music: Ken & Kim Dobbin

Head Usher: Sharon Miner

Greeter: Donna Porter

Announcements: Mary Anjo

Lay Reader: Darcy Petrosino

Sound: *Position vacant*

Projection: *Position vacant*

Child/Youth Support: Roxie Walker

Custodian: Lois Loveless

Counters: Kathy Barnes, Marlene Francis

Visiting Ministry Coordinator: Ann Stevens

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The carillon will play on:

May 7 in memory of Harold Liebenow.

May 8 in honor of all Moms (past, present & future.)

May 11 in honor of the families of Todd & Jill Marshall.

The church calendar and newsletter for May-June can be found downstairs on the information table. Please take an extra to give to a friend or neighbor!

\$3,081.00 Last Sunday's receipts for our operating budget

\$3,611.21 Average weekly receipts needed

70 Last Sunday's attendance