



North Rose United Methodist Church

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We Gather for Worship

Sunday, January 28, 2018, 10:30 a.m.

Mission Bank Sunday

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

PRELUDE “God Is Our Refuge and Strength”

Powell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord is able to take a little boy's lunch of a few fishes and loaves...

People: And feed the multitudes by his power of love for all who hunger for food and justice.

ALL: Thanks be to God for his goodness and grace. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

* GREETING/PASSING OF THE PEACE

“Let us extend warm hospitality to one another in Christian love.”

*Large-print bulletins and hymnals are available from the greeters.
Please pass the Fellowship Folders to those seated next to you.*

* PRAISING GOD WITH SONG

PRESENTATION OF PRAYER BOX BY THE CHILDREN

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.**

We Hear God's Word

SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 6: 1-15

p. 927

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

p. 887

ANTHEM, "Feed Us Now, O Son of God"

Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME

MISSION BANK

*HYMN, 170 "O How I Love Jesus"

(children grades pre-k through fifth grade are invited to attend J4J at this time.)

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYERS OF PETITION AND CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE/PASTORAL PRAYER

Response To God's Word

INVITATION

OFFERING OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY "I Am Thine, O Lord" Whitworth

* SONG OF PRAISE (Doxology)

from Hymn 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

MESSAGE, "Lunch on The Lawn"

*HYMN, 380 "There's Within My Heart a Melody"

*SENDING FORTH

* POSTLUDE "Fairest Lord Jesus" Tornquist

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Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week: Ashley & Jessica Caves, Preston; Olivia Caves; Robin & Brenda Caves; Dawn Caves.

"The Epiphany Angel Tree Project". Epiphany is a liturgical season in The Church to reach out to those outside The Christian Faith or estranged from the Christian Faith. This Epiphany Season, January 7, 2018 - February 11, 2018, our church will be doing "An Epiphany Angel Tree Project." I am asking each member of our church to do three intentional acts of kindness. How will our "Epiphany Angel Tree Project," work? There's a Christmas Tree in the back of the church with small paper angels on them. Please take one for yourself. I am asking that you return the angel with the date(s) you performed three kind gestures to others on the angels, by Feb. 11. Some suggested deeds of kindness: Pray this Epiphany Season for three people, who do not have The Peace of Christ in their hearts; help someone with a house chore, shovel their sidewalk; make a donation to a refugee program or storm victim program; call, write or e-mail someone who is alone or grieving, questioning God's love for them. Then on **Feb. 11, "Transfiguration Sunday"**, we will celebrate how Jesus closest Disciples saw Jesus true Glory as The Son of God. Jesus countenance became radiant white that day on the mountain. On this Epiphany Transfiguration Sunday, at our church, we will come forward and hang our Epiphany Angels with the dates we performed our three good deeds. The Epiphany Angel Tree will now be in the front of the church decorated with radiant white lights. As we come forward to hang our Epiphany Angel, our prayer as Christians is

that we have touched the lives of others outside our Faith, because we have shined the Light of Jesus into their Lives. May The Light and Love of Jesus shine through each of us, who have acted as a messengers of God's grace.

Friday, Feb. 2 "Progressive Dinner at Church Celebrating Groundhog Day". Sign-up for appetizers, salads, side dishes, desserts, by emailing Anne at annebcanfield@gmail.com. Pastor Anne will make Yankee Pot Roast. Dinner from 5-6:30 pm, followed by showing of the movie "Groundhog Day".

Family/Youth Snow Fort Building. (Does anyone have a homemade ice cream maker?) Sign up by e-mailing the church office, nrumc@rochester.rr.com or Pastor Anne, annebcanfield@gmail.com.

Rehearsals for this annual community choir are held Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. in our sanctuary. Everyone is welcome and perfect attendance is never mandatory. This is a wonderful opportunity to sing the story of Holy Week. This year's cantata will be presented on Palm Sunday, March 25. For more information contact Cinda Collier at (315) 587-2224 or cinda624@gmail.com.

Sunday, February 4 is Souper Bowl Sunday, we are inviting you to join forces & battle hunger for those in our community by bringing a can of soup or another non-perishable item to donate to our food pantry or give a cash donation (we are in need of soup, pasta, soap and shampoo). **The collection box is located in the back of the sanctuary on the name tag tables.** All of your donations will help people in need feel the power of God's Love. "Lord even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us to be mindful of those who don't even have a bowl of soup to eat."

SYRACUSE ORANGE BASKETBALL LOVERS! Please contact Pastor Anne ASAP, if you would like to go as a group on Sat, Feb. 3, 4 pm Game at The Dome, Syracuse Orange vs. Virginia Cavaliers. Money is available for active youth group members who cannot afford admission cost.

Lent is a time to grow spiritually. One important aspect of our spiritual life is prayer. This year for Lent, our church is planning to have “**Lenten Prayer Partners.**” This is how it will work: everyone who is interested in taking part will sign up by Sun. February 11. You may add your name to the list at the back of the church, or contact the church office (587-9544, NrumcOfficeAsst@rochester.rr.com). We will draw names and notify you as to who your prayer partner will be. Then, during the 40 days of Lent (Ash Wed. Feb. 14 through Easter Sunday, April 1), you will hold each other in prayer. You may want to phone each other, e-mail, or meet to talk about prayer needs which you would like your partner to include in their prayers. This spiritual experience is open to children, youth, and adults—both those in the North Rose-Wolcott area and those out of the community (for instance, in college or in Florida). Hope you will take part!

There will be a **Bake Sale** on Sunday, Feb. 11, following the worship service, in the Fellowship Hall. This is an excellent opportunity to purchase some special Valentine’s treats and other goodies! We’re looking for lots of people to donate items for the Bake Sale and lots of shoppers, too! Proceeds from the Bake Sale will help with VBS. If you have questions or need more information, please contact Cindy Conboy. Thanks for your support!

Sunday, Feb. 11 at 4 pm, we will have "**Teddy Bear Sweetheart Tea**". Bring your honey, or stuffed animal friend, for tea, cookies and warm fellowship. Those that have a real teapot to brew tea in, please do so. We will have Valentine Day Crafts for our Pastors/Lay Visitation

Team to bring to the home bound and nursing homes. We hope you can join us!

Save the date: We will celebrate **Scouting Sunday** on **February 11** at the 10:30 a.m. worship service!

A Lenten Book Study will be held in The Chapel, Wednesdays starting Feb. 14 through March 14, from 12:30-1:30 pm. Please join Pastor Anne, for a Study on Christian author Philip Yancey book on "Prayer". We will prayerfully reflect on such questions as: "Is God listening to me?" "Why do so many prayers seemed unanswered?" "What good is prayer, does it make any difference?" Though participants are responsible for purchasing their own book, it is not necessary for you to have to purchase a book. Pastor Anne will raise for discussion, faith life applications from the book. Pastor Anne will provide homemade soup, crackers and coffee/beverage will be available during the book study.

February 14 is Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of Lent. Holy Communion/Imposition of Ashes/Time for Silent Meditation will be offered in the church chapel, at 12:15 and 5:15 pm each Wednesday (Feb. 14-Mar. 28, except for Wed. March 21 at 5:15, due to the Worship Enhancement Meeting.) If at all possible, please let Pastor Anne know of your interest in attending Holy Communion/Book Study.

The carillon will play on: January 31, in memory of Peter Denham.

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

Thursday – **7:30 a.m.** Men's Breakfast Bible Study at Nick's

6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal at Church

7:30 p.m. Cantata Choir Rehearsal at Church

Friday - 5:00 p.m. Progressive Dinner & movie at church

Sun. Feb. 4 – Holy Communion, Souper Bowl Sunday

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

10:30 a.m. Worship

J4J Sunday School

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

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Pastor: Rev. Anne Canfield

Secretary: Mary Anjo

Accompanist: Kim Dobbin

Organist Emerita: Lorraine Wilson

Head Usher: Greg Peck

Announcements: Mary Anjo

Sound: TBD

Child/Youth Support: Roxie Walker

Visiting Ministry Coordinator: Ann Stevens

Counters: Bev Finch, Becky Mitchell

Praise Music: Ken & Kim Dobbin

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Assistant Pastor: Rev. Diane Walker

Office Assistant: Melissa Taber

Organist: Jan McDorman

Choir Director: Lucinda Collier

Greeter: Shirley Barnes

Lay Reader: Larry Canfield

Projection: TBD

Custodian: Lois Loveless

Financial Update-Basic Operations:

November: Intake \$11,826.94 Average Budget Need \$15,868.17

Year-to-Date: Average Budget Need \$63,472.67

73 Last Sunday's attendance

The Middle School Youth Group, will be taking some field trips during the winter months, with our Sunday School families. Please review the bulletin and website for our latest adventures. All middle school students grade 5-8th are most welcome to attend.