



North Rose United Methodist Church

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We Gather for Worship

Sunday, April 8, 2018, 10:30 a.m.

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

PRELUDE “A Day for Rejoicing”

Smith

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Soar we now where Christ has led, following our exalted Head;

People: made like him, like him we rise; ours the cross, the grave, the skies!

* 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, Acts 9:1-19

p. 955

ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME

*HYMN, 355 "Depth of Mercy"

(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 "Lord of All Life"

Broughton

* 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, "The Me, I Used to Be"

*HYMN, 378 "Amazing Grace"

*SENDING FORTH

* POSTLUDE "Share His Love With All the World!"

Watkins

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There will be a Bake Sale next Sunday, April 15, following the worship service, in the Fellowship Hall. This is an excellent opportunity to purchase some special 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 Vacation Bible School. If you have questions or need more information, please contact Cindy Conboy. Thanks for your support!

Today following our worship service there will be a confirmation interest meeting, for youth (who will be age 12 by June 10, 2018), in the church chapel. This 8-week session will also serve to prepare youth to be baptized if they were not baptized previously. This information meeting will be an opportunity to ask questions about what Confirmation and The Sacrament of Baptism means within the United Methodist Church. Please call or e-mail me if you have any questions/concerns/have interest but cannot attend the April 8 meeting after church. Warm blessings, Pastor Anne (607-765-6731, cell or 315-587-1113, parsonage.

Next Sunday, April 15, we will be taking an offering for Native American Sunday. Half of this offering is used in our area through the Onondaga Nation UMC (Onondaga peoples), Hogansburg UMC (Mohawk), Four Corners UMC (Seneca peoples). The remainder is used to strengthen urban ministry with Native Americans and provide scholarships for Native American seminary students. Offering envelopes will be provided.

Sunday, April 22, is the date for our next Chicken Barbecue, 11:30 a.m. until sold out! This will benefit the Henderson Mission Trip to Kentucky,

so don't miss it! We will have dinners available, as well as chicken halves. The chicken will be ready as soon as Pastor Anne pronounces the Benediction. If you can help, please contact Steve Guthrie (587-4339).

Volunteers are needed for our Spring Route 414 Clean-Up! The tentative date is Saturday, April 28. We will meet at the church at 8:00 am. Team members will receive job training, orange safety vests & litter bags. Bring your own gloves. Clean-up is usually complete by 10:00 am. Volunteers may call Mark Anthony (587-2633) with any questions.

SAVE THE DATE! Our next Red Cross Blood Drive will take place on Mon., April 30 from 2-7 pm here at church.

SAVE THE DATE! Chris Wilson Concert, Friday, May 11 at 7 pm, here at church. Proceeds to benefit our Food Pantry. For tickets, please contact Lois Loveless, 315-871-9202 or church office, 587-9544.

“NRUMC 5 Year Goal Setting Team”- Our first meeting will be Tuesday, April 24, at 6:30 pm in the chapel. Pastor Anne is looking for 1-2 members of each of our church's 5 major standing committees: S/PPRC, Trustees, Finance, Nominations/Lay Personnel, Church Council, plus a representative from the Worship Committee, Sunday School/Christian Education/Faith Formation Committees, we are looking also for two members/attenders of the congregation, a youth and young adult representative. Please let Pastor Anne know as soon as possible if you are interested. The regular meeting time of the group will be decided by the participants.

Pastor Anne's husband, Larry has retired from being a college instructor and would like to volunteer his gifts and graces with our congregation. If

there are men in our congregation that would like to start a men's bible study, individuals or couples in need of budget coaching, or children/youth/adults in need of tutoring for mathematics/English grammar, he would be happy to try to assist you with those needs. Please leave a message at the parsonage, 315-587-1113 to contact him.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! The Wayne Public Health Department will be participating in a Statewide drill to practice our capabilities to plan and conduct a Medical Counter Measure Point of Dispensing Clinic. It will be held at PH, [1519 Nye Road, Suite 200, Lyons](#) on Tues. April 10th. We are looking for people to participate as being people who require a shot (shots will be simulated) between the times of 9am – 11am. I was hoping you would share with your staff/congregation and ask them to participate at their convenience during the established time frame. Pre-registration will also be available, but not until 3 days prior to the event by going to this link <https://apps.health.ny.gov/doh2/applinks/cdmspr/> It should only take a participant approximately 15-20 minutes to going through the exercise.

You are invited! United Methodist Bishop Scott J. Jones, invites us to journey with him on “The Wesleyan Way: A Faith That Matters.” This video/bible based, book discussion, will help all United Methodists better understand how, “to walk in the way of salvation, to live a life that matters, to connect with God's purposes for the world.” (page 9, The Wesleyan Way). Please join Pastor Diane on Monday nights beginning on April 9 at 7 pm, or Pastor Anne, Wednesday evenings, beginning April 11 at 6:30 pm for the same session study. (Pastor Anne will offer in addition, weekly Holy Communion at 6 pm for those interested.)

The last week of the eight-week study will conclude with a combined session celebration dish to pass dinner. The night of the combined closing session will be decided by the participants.

The following topics will be discussed in this video based series:

Session One: Following Christ Is a Way of Life

Session Two: Love Ultimately Wins

Session Three: It's a Good World with Issues

Session Four: Turn Your Life Around with Grace

Session Five: You Are Not Alone

Session Six: Transform Yourself and The World

Session Seven: Invite Others on The Journey

Session Eight: Christ No Matter What

Pastor Anne strongly suggests those interested in participating in our church's 5-year goal setting team to attend this study. All committee members and chairs are encouraged to participate as well. Please do not hesitate to contact either Pastor Anne or Diane if you have questions.

We pray you will be intentional in journeying with us and Bishop Jones on "The Wesleyan Way," of our Christian faith tradition.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of joining us!!

Pastor Anne

Today – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

11:30 a.m. Confirmation Informational Meeting

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

Monday – 7:00 p.m. Wesleyan Way Study with Pastor Diane

Wednesday – 6:00 p.m. Communion

6:30 p.m. Wesleyan Way Study with Pastor Anne

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

Sun. April 15 – Native American Ministries Sunday Offering

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

10:30 a.m. Worship

J4J Sunday School

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time: Theresa Wilcox

11:30 a.m. Bake Sale (VBS)

Mon. April 16 – May/June Newsletter Deadline

7:00 p.m. Wesleyan Way Study with Pastor Diane

Tues. April 17 – 1:00-4:00 p.m. Cards & Games

Wed. April 18 – 6:00 p.m. Communion

6:30 p.m. Wesleyan Way Study with Pastor Anne

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Pastor: Rev. Anne Canfield

Secretary: Mary Anjo

Accompanist: Kim Dobbin

Organist Emerita: Lorraine Wilson

Head Usher: Steve Guthrie

Announcements: Chris Galek

Sound: Deb Phillips

Child/Youth Support: Roxie Walker

Visiting Ministry Coordinator: Ann Stevens

Counters: Chris Galek, Dolly Salerno

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: Darcy Petrosino

Lay Reader: Lois Loveless

Projection: TBD

Custodian: Lois Loveless

153 Last Sunday's attendance

Information about church camp at Casowasco is now available on-line, and registration is open (<http://campsandretreats.org/summer-camp-2018>). There are a wide range of exciting camp opportunities for children age 6 and up. Note that popular camps fill up quickly, so plan to get your reservation in early. Printed brochures are available and can be found on the back table in the sanctuary.