



# North Rose United Methodist Church

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We Gather for Worship

Sunday, September 23, 2018, 10:30 a.m.

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

PRELUDE, “Beach Spring”

Ritter

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Isaiah 40:3-6

Leader: A voice of one calling in the desert,

**People:** Prepare the way of the Lord, make straight paths for him.

Leader: Every Valley shall be filled in; every mountain shall be made low.

**People:** The Crooked roads shall be made straight, the rough ways smooth.

**ALL:** And all of humankind shall see God's salvation.

\* GREETING/PASSING OF THE PEACE

*“Peace be with you.” “And also with you.”*

*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

Matthew 3:13-17

Pew Bible, p. 837

ANTHEM, "Love Comes From God"

Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME

\*HYMN, 557 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

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, "Land of Rest"

Smith

\* 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, "God's Family"  
SENDING FORTH

\* HYMN "The Family of God"

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\* BLESSING

\* POSTLUDE, "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

Smith

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*Thanks to Janet Clingerman for sharing her message of faith with us today.*

Each week, children (ages 3 through grade 5) are invited to attend J4J (Joyful for Jesus Sunday school). Kids leave with the teachers after the Children's Sermon. Parents can pick them up in their classrooms at the end of the worship service (11:30 a.m.).

Sunday school for middle schoolers, high schoolers, and adults is held each Sunday from 9:15-10:15 a.m. Please invite a friend!

College students are back to school. We need "**Guardian Angels**" from our congregation who would be willing to pray for a college student and send an occasional card or small gift. If you could help out, please sign the list located in the back of the sanctuary or contact Deb Phillips (coordinator) [dphillips8623@yahoo.com](mailto:dphillips8623@yahoo.com). Thanks!

Our Fall Route 414 roadside clean-up team (this includes MS & HS Youth Groups) will meet at the church at 8:00 am this Saturday, Sept. 29. Team members will receive job training, orange safety vests and litter bags. Bring your own gloves. Clean-up should be complete by 10:00 am.

**MS Youth Group** (grades 5- 8), will meet the following dates this Autumn at church: Sunday Nights from 6:30-7:30 pm: September: 30,

and every Sunday Night in October at the same time. All youngsters are most welcome to attend and bring friends. Snacks will be provided. In addition to Sunday nights, we will be planning some fun field trips as well.

**Bible Study-** Pastor Anne and Larry will be offering The Covenant Bible Study. During this study you will be introduced to some of the greatest current UMC pastors and theologians along with professors of biblical studies. The Study will be divided into three eight week sessions being offered in the Fall, Winter, and Spring. In between those eight week sessions will be an Advent Study and Lenten Study. All small group Bible studies will be offered on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm and repeated Thursday mornings at 10:00 a.m.

The carillon played on Sept. 17 in memory of Robert S. & Nina Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Harry E. Sidler, Howard & Mildred Sidler. And will play on Sept. 24 in memory of Grace Pitcher.

**Save the date!** The craft group will meet to do simple hand crafted items for our Christmas Shoppe. We will meet the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 1 to 3 pm in the fellowship hall. Please mark your calendars for **Oct. 10 and Nov. 14**. If you have questions, please call Maggi at 585-500-1575. Thank you!

**Chancel Choir** welcomes anyone who likes to sing and can practice on Thursday evenings & sing as part of Sunday morning worship (adults & high school). We practice Thursday evenings at 7 pm in the sanctuary. Questions? Please contact Cinda Collier, 587-2224.

Six-week Spiritual Support Group for parenting in Non-Traditional Nuclear Families. Tuesdays 6:30-7:30 pm at The NRUMC October 23-November 20, 2018. Child Care and light refreshments provided. Today

more and more grandparents, extended family members, family friends, or those acting as Foster Parents, find themselves raising children who are not their biological children. This six-week support group will connect you with other adults who share similar joys and challenges in raising children in non-traditional homes. The Support Group will be hosted at The North Rose United Methodist Church with Jill Virts and Anne Canfield as the primary facilitators. Other Area Clergy will be invited to participate in ongoing support through our Rose Council of Churches. Everyone is most welcome to attend this support group. For more information, please call Pastor Anne Canfield at the NRUMC Parsonage, 315-587-1113.

**SAVE THE DATE! MISSION OPPORTUNITY NEXT WINTER:** You are invited to join the Finger Lakes District Mission Team on a Mission Trip to Puerto Rico, this January 19-26, 2019. Help Hurricane Survivors from Hurricane Maria recover from that devastating storm. Cost \$1200 which includes airfare. You will be hosted by The United Methodist Church in Puerto Rico, living in dormitory style accommodations. If interested, please contact Pastor Beth Bouwens at [Pastorbeth@outlook.com](mailto:Pastorbeth@outlook.com) or call her at 607-346-6634.

No Child Eats Dinner Alone Pilot Program, Sundays, October 14 - November 18, 2018 and Tuesday Evenings October 16, 2018- November 20, 2018. Meals served from 5 pm - 6 pm. This six-week pilot program being offered on Sunday and Tuesday Evenings at The North Rose United Methodist Church is a Christian hospitality program, with the goal to feed hungry and/or lonely school aged children. Our desire is to provide children with a warm nutritious meal, and give children some extra TLC when their parents/guardians are not home to eat dinner with them. Children must have their parent's/guardians permission to attend.

Transportation to and from church will only occur with the parent's/guardian's signed permission in advance of the dinners. No child is allowed to walk home alone. For more information, please call Pastor Anne Canfield at The North Rose Church Parsonage at 315-587-1113.

You are invited to remain after the service and enjoy conversation with one another. Coffee & snacks are available downstairs in the fellowship hall; we hope you will join us!

Altar Flowers add beauty to our worship services. If you would like to donate flowers in memory or in honor of someone, please add your name to the **sign-up list located in the church hallway**, please do not write it on the calendar, thank you. We can order flowers for the altar vases from The Flower Mill for a donation of \$25, or you can arrange on your own for flowers to be delivered.

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

**REMINDER:** The church still collects used stamps, medicine bottles (please remove labels) and ink cartridges. The collection boxes are located in the fellowship hall. Thank you!

**Today** – *Pastor Anne away through Tues. Sept. 25*

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

No MS Youth Group

**Wednesday** – 6:30 p.m. Bible Study

**Thursday** – 10:00 a.m. Bible Study

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Saturday – 8:00 a.m. Rte. 414 Roadside Cleanup

Sun. Sept. 30 – Mission Bank Sunday

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

10:30 a.m. Worship, J4J Sunday School

11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time

6:30 p.m. MS Youth Group

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Pastor: Rev. Anne Canfield

Secretary: Mary Anjo

Office Assistant: Melissa Taber

Accompanist: Kim Dobbin

Organist: Jan McDorman

Organist Emerita: Lorraine Wilson

Choir Director: Lucinda Collier

Head Usher: Ron Eisenmenger

Greeter: Audrey Walker

Announcements: Mary Anjo

Lay Reader: TBD

Sound: *Position vacant*

Projection: *Position vacant*

Child/Youth Support: Roxie Walker

Custodian: Lois Loveless

Visiting Ministry Coordinator: Ann Stevens

Counters: Kathy Barnes, Bev Finch

Praise Music: Ken & Kim Dobbin

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62 Last Sunday's attendance

A Pastor Anne will no longer be using her former office in The Wesley Building due to her mold allergies. If you need to meet with Pastor Anne, please contact her at the parsonage 315-587-1113, to arrange a time for her to meet you in the Church Chapel. This change has been approved by our District Superintendent.

**Prayer Chain Requests:** If you have a request, call or email the church office at 587-9544 or [nrumcofficeasst@rochester.rr.com](mailto:nrumcofficeasst@rochester.rr.com) and we will activate the prayer chain for that request. When the office is closed, contact Linda Tompkins at 587-9061. Thank you!