United Methodist Church (587-9544) North Rose, New York

November 3, 2013 Stewardship Sunday

PRELUDE

"My Heart Is Filled with Jesus' Love"

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LIFE IN THE CHURCH

(Please pass the Fellowship Folders to those seated next to you.)

(If you have difficulty hearing, small earphones receptors from the sound system are available from the sound board operator.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Deuteronomy 8: 8

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

*HYMNS OF PRAISE

"Gentle Shepherd" "Freely, Freely"

(* invites all who are able to stand to praise God)

SILENT PRAYER/PRAYER BOX PLACED ON ALTAR

OPENING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (unison)

Isaiah 40: 1-11 **SCRIPTURE**

p. 619

HYMN SCRIPTURE "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" Luke 15: 1-7

p. 381 (vs. 1&2) p. 908

STEWARDSHIP PRESENTATION

TIME FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

*HYMN "We Are the Church"

p. 558 (verses 1, 2, 4)

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

SHARING OUR JOYS & PRAYER CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

RECEIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

ANTHEM "Joy In the Morning" Sleeth

OFFERTORY PRAYER

"Gentleness" **MESSAGE**

"Here I Am, Lord" *HYMN p. 593 (vs. 1 & 3)

*PRAYER OF BLESSING

"Precious Memories" *POSTLUDE

Bock

The carillon will play on November 7 in memory of William & Beulah Yates.

Please keep the following people in your prayers during the coming week: Rob Spade; Cindy, Trinity, Tiana Spencer; Don & Brenda Spencer; Eric Sprout.

The annual Election Night Dinner will be held this Tues, Nov. 5, with serving from 4:30-6:30 pm at NRUMC. It will feature turkey and biscuits with gravy, and all the fixings! <u>Delivery service will be available</u>. If you would like to have a dinner delivered to your home between 4:30 - 5:30 pm, call the church office, 587-9544 or Lucy Smith, 483-8297, and leave your name and phone number.

We will celebrate Veteran's Day Sunday next Sunday, November 10. The service will include a patriotic hymn sing, as well as a time for remembering our veterans and those who are currently serving in the armed forces. Pastor Dan's message will be "A New Birth of Freedom," based on the scripture text, Galatians 5: 1, 13-16. Following the service, there will be a reception in honor of our veterans. Please invite veterans among your family & friends to join us for this special day.

A pie sale will be held on Sat., November 16 to help support the youth. The choices of pies are: Apple (unbaked) or Cherry (unbaked). Pre-orders are due today, Nov. 3. Please see insert (order form) in today's bulletin. Thank you!

For this upcoming Advent Season, the MS Youth Group will be once again putting together bags for our shut-ins. Each bag will contain 25 small wrapped gifts, one for each day of Advent. We would like to give these bags as a gift to a person within our church to let them know that we are thinking of them during this Christmas Season. The gifts should be small articles that will fit into the bag easily, for example, small ornaments, trinkets, etc. This is where you can help us! We are looking for 25 individual/families, each being responsible to supply 25 small gifts. Or, if you would like to be involved, but don't want to buy gifts, Roxie Walker will take donations and will purchase the items. There will be a sign up board in the back of the sanctuary where anyone interested can sign up. We will need all items wrapped and brought in by Sun. Nov. 17. If you should have any questions, please contact Roxie Walker. Thank you for your help and participation in this ministry; it will be a great blessing for our Elderly, as well as for us!!

The Drama Ministry will present "Joy of The Season" on Fri, Dec. 6 at 7:30 p.m. and Sat, Dec. 7 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be available following each worship service, by contacting the church office or by contacting Danielle Teeple (daniteeple@gmail.com).

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Today – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time; Pie Sale Order Deadline
         6:00-7:30 p.m. MS Youth Group: "Honor & Duty"
Monday – No Adult Handbells Rehearsal
<u>Tuesday</u> – <u>3:20-4:30 p.m.</u> Jr. Choir
          4:30-6:30 p.m. UMW Election Dinner
          6:30 p.m. Trustees
Thursday – 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
<u>Saturday</u> – 9:00 a.m. UMW at Lois Loveless' home, 7334 Rose Ave.
           2:00-5:00 p.m. Drama Rehearsal
Sun. Nov. 10 – Veteran's Day Sunday; Jr. Choir
  9:15 a.m. Youth/Adult Sunday School
  10:30 a.m. Worship: "A New Birth of Freedom" Galatians 5: 1, 13-16
               J4J – Joyful for Jesus (Children's Sunday School)
      11:30 a.m. Fellowship Time: Donna Collins
      6:00-7:30 p.m. MS Youth Group
Mon. Nov. 11 - 7:00 p.m. Adult Handbells
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<u>Tues. Nov. 12 – 2:00-4:00 p.m.</u> Cards & Games (nursery) 3:20-4:30 p.m. Jr. Choir

Pastor: Rev. Dan Corretore Pastor's Office Assistant: Melissa Taber Praise Music: Ken & Kim Dobbin Accompanist: Kim Dobbin Organist Emerita: Lorraine Wilson Organist: Jan McDorman Chancel & Bell Choir Director: Lucy Smith Custodian: Brad Caves Hymn Handbells & Jr. Choir Director: Lucinda Collier Head Usher: Aaron Petrosino Church Secretary: Mary Anjo Projectionist: Gabby Bailey Counters: Audrey & Jill Walker Greeter: Shirley Barnes Nursery: Ember Hilkert Lay Readers: Colleen Anthony, Roxie Walker Sound: Kirk Bailey Child/Youth Support: Roxie Walker Announcements: Mary Anjo Visiting Ministry Coordinators: Carol Agnew & Gloria Petrosino

FAITH HOME: Each week we will be listing an activity that you can enjoy as a family to help us all grow in faith. On November 19, 1863 (150 years ago), President Lincoln delivered the "Gettysburg Address." Read his words out loud. What would each family member identify as "the great task remaining before us"? What would they commit to do to help with this task?

The church newsletter for Nov-Dec can be found on the back table in the sanctuary (and also downstairs on the information table).