



**Opportunities for
Fellowship and Service
Sunday, April 15 - Sunday, April 22**

9 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship Hour

Nursery (Preschoolers)
Jr. Church (K-3)

Club 320 (4-7) (Preteen)

11 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship Hour

11:15 Small Groups for everyone

Fellowship Hall

Maghen Beck
Melissa Grover
Bill Beck

Fellowship Hall

11:15 Board of Christian Ed. Meeting Upstairs Mtg. Room

12:15 Pastoral Relations Committee Fellowship Hall

12:30 - 2:30 "Clean up the Community Day" Carrie Frederick

Monday

Pastor in Office 9 - 12
Secretary in Office 7 - 12
8:00 Exercise Group - F.H.

Tuesday

Pastor in Office 9 - 12
Secretary in Office 7 - 12
9:00 Bulletin info due in office
11:00 Newsletter Assembly - Kitchen

Wednesday

7:45 Prayer Time - Pastor's Study
8:00 Exercise Group - F.H.
10:30 Bible Study Group - Lounge

Thursday

Pastor in Office 9 - 12 and 6 - 8
Secretary in Office 7 - 12

Friday

Rummage Rooms 9 - 12

Saturday

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Sunday

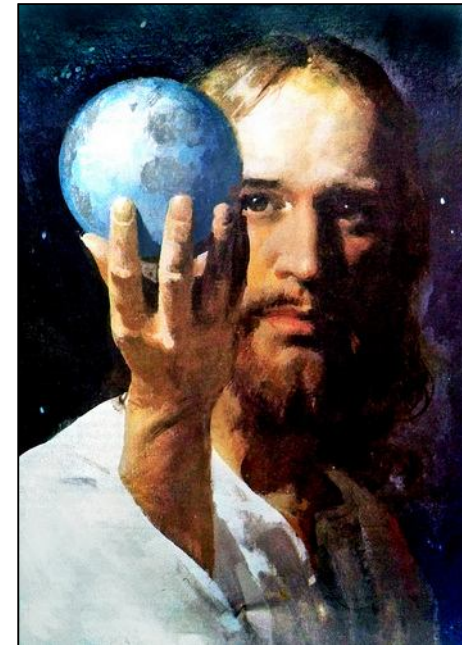
9:00 Coffee & Fellowship Hour

10:00 Worship

11 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship Hour

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Earth Day



"A Living Icon of the Face of God"

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“STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS”

April 22, 2018

10:00 a.m.

Celebrations and Concerns slips are in the pew pockets for your convenience. Please write clearly and an usher will collect it during the Prelude. Thank you.

(Supervised care by an adult for infants and young preschoolers is available upstairs in the Church Nursery.)

Thank You for setting your cell phone off or to silent.

Preparation for Worship “*The whole earth is a living icon of the face of God.*” - St. John Damascene (675-749)

Welcome

Life of the Church

* Greet Your Neighbors

Invite someone new to you or that you haven't spoken with recently to join you for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall after service.

Prelude

Songs of Praise

See Overhead Screen

Sharing of Celebrations and Concerns

The Congregational Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (Unison) (Debts)

Prayer Chorus “Fairest Lord Jesus” v.1 No. 104

The Children's Story Pastor Lynn

(Preschoolers may go to Nursery, Grades K-3 may go to Jr. Church, and Grades 4-7 may sit with their family)

Anthem

Scripture: Psalm 8

* Hymn “This Is My Father's World” No. 40

Sermon “A Living Icon of the Face of God” Pastor Lynn

* Hymn of Commitment “All Things Bright and Beautiful” No. 65

Worship Through Giving

The Offertory

* The Doxology “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” No. 623

* Prayer of Dedication

* Benediction

* Choral Response “For the Beauty of the Earth” v.1 No. 64

* Postlude

* Those who are able are invited to stand.

Organist, Nettie White

During the announcements those sitting beside or near the center aisle are asked to sign and pass along the red “**Ministry of Friendship**” pads. When the pad reaches the end of your row, please pass it back to the center and learn the names of those sitting with you.

Our Church is equipped with -

- **Hearing assistance.** Please ask an usher for a portable receiver or pick one up at the Technology Center.
- **Back support cushions.** Please ask an usher for assistance.
- **A family restroom.** Located by the elevator. It features a baby changing station stocked with diapers of all sizes, pull-ups, and wipes for your child.

Thank you to our greeters and our ushers for assisting in today's worship service.

Friend of God

Who am I that you are mindful of me
That you hear me, when I call
Is it true that you are thinking of me
That you love me It's amazing

**I am a friend of God, I am a friend of God
I am a friend of God He calls me friend**

God almighty, Lord of glory, You have called me friend
V, V, C, V, C, B, B, C, C

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Amazing Love

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken.
I'm accepted. You were condemned.
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me
Because You died and rose again

**Amazing love! How can it be
That You, my King, would die for me?
Amazing love! I know it's true.
It's my joy to honor You.
In all I do, I honor You
V1, C, V1, C2X**

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Prayer Requests - Health Concerns: **Duke** (Sheila Burnett's husband), Lindsay Scott, Peyton (Kathy Glover's granddaughter)
Continuing Prayers: Bert Tidlund, Harold Bowker, Fred and Linda Goldthwait, Ruth Davis Jeff Mann (Guy & Lori Mann's brother/brother-in-law), Sandy Beard, Michael Hayes (nephew of Alice Resch and Katy Harbeck), Susan Stoddard (Sallie Miller's sister), Carol Halstead, Sandy Lathrop, Bert & Mickie Tidlund, Skip Wilday's college friend's son, Stephen Berichon, is still missing abroad.

Remember in Care Facilities

Cuba Memorial Hospital - Gene Case, Doc Gilroy
Batavia VA - Dennis Chamberlain
Eden Heights - Helen Swift, Betty Parker
Highland Healthcare (Wellsville) - John Hoagland
Livingston Cty. Center for Nursing & Rehab. - Katie Hamilton
Manor Hills (Wellsville) - Elva Gross
Pines (Olean) - Connie Battistoni
Wellsville Manor - Flora Prentice

Special Interest Missionaries

David and Joyce Reed, IberoAmerica and Caribbean
Dan and Sarah Chetti, Lebanon

All those serving in the military, police, and firemen.

All those in and outside of our congregation who may not be listed but need the healing power of the Spirit.

Friend of the Week:

Gene Case
Cuba Memorial Hospital, 140 W. Main Street, Cuba, NY 14727

Gene isn't able to worship with us very often but she loves to hear from her church family and friends. Please send her a cheerful note to brighten her day!

Announcements

Coffee and treats will be available both **BEFORE and AFTER** the service. Why not have that second cup of coffee at church, while enjoying some fellowship with others? Arriving to church for pre worship duties, singing in the choir, or just an early bird? Please enjoy a cup of coffee or tea beginning at 9 a.m. Coffee time at the conclusion of the service (11:00 a.m.) will continue as normal.

- **The Kids in the Kitchen** was a great success and more events are being planned. In order to be a little more efficient, the kitchen is in need of the following new or used items:
 - Measuring spoons
 - Measuring cups
 - Rubber spatulas (not huge ones)
 - Mixing spoons (wooden, sturdy plastic or metal)
 - Mixing bowls (stainless steel or heavy plastic)
 - Whisks

Items can be left in the kitchen. Thanks in advance!

- Diaconate Minutes (draft) from April's meeting and Trustee Minutes from March's meeting are available in the Court.

- **Graduating seniors, your scholarship applications are due in the Church Office by May 1st.**

- We have recently learned of a \$1200 award from the Dr. Lyle F. Renodin Foundation courtesy of the Franciscan Sisters of Allegany, NY. These funds will allow us to more richly bless others with two of our missional projects and contribute to the Camp Vick scholarships. Money for Love the Little Children will allow us to give WIC clients an additional package of diapers. 36 backpacks can be purchased for our Summer 2018 Pencils and Crayons missional project. Giving non-congregational children an opportunity to attend Camp Vick, funding is also available for Camp Vick scholarships. We are so thankful for this funding and thank the Renodin Foundation for their generosity!

Upcoming Events

TODAY:

11:15 Board of Christian Ed. Meeting **Upstairs Mtg. Room**
12:15 Pastoral Relations Committee **Fellowship Hall**
12:30 - 2:30 "Clean up the Community Day" with Carrie
Frederick

- **Baptism Sunday** will be on May 6. As always, we will celebrate the newly baptized with a brunch immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall. Please let us know if you will be attending the brunch so we have enough food prepared. Sign up in the Court, call the Church Office, (585) 968-1531, or email the church secretary, sec@wny.twcbc.com, to RSVP. Thank you.
- This spring our youth are invited to attend "**Bunk with Beasts,**" an overnight lock-in at Seneca Park Zoo of Rochester. This program offers a unique experience including a private tour of the zoo, meeting the animals, and a sleepover in the zoo itself! Youth in grades 3 (not requiring a booster seat) and up are welcome to attend and invite their friends. We leave from Cuba First Baptist at 3 p.m. on Saturday, May 19, and return between noon and 1 p.m. on Sunday. Please find the full registration packets for cost and details on the table in the court or print one off today from our website. Space will be limited to the number of chaperones and transportation available. Interested chaperones should contact Bill Beck at (585) 307-4792 or Melissa Grover at (585) 610-7082 as soon as possible. **Registration deadline is Sunday, April 29.**
- The First Baptist Men will be hosting a **Ladies Breakfast** (of all ages) on Mother's Day Sunday, May 13 from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Ladies, please RSVP by May 6. Gentlemen, if you are interested in helping, please see Bill Beck. Thank you!