



Opportunities for  
Fellowship and Service  
Sunday, July 8 - Sunday, July 15

Nursery (Preschoolers)  
Jr. Church (K - 3)  
**11:00 Coffee and Fellowship Hour**  
**11:15 PRC Meeting - F.H.**

Laurel Comstock  
Maghen Beck  
**Fellowship Hall**

**Monday** Pastor in Office 9 - 12  
Secretary in Office 7 - 12

**Tuesday** Pastor in Office 9 - 12  
Secretary in Office 7 - 12  
**Newsletter Deadline**

**Wednesday** 7:45 Prayer Group - Pastor's Study  
10:30 Bible Study Group - Lounge  
**1:00 Grief Support Group - Lounge**

**Thursday** Pastor in Office 9 - 12  
Secretary in Office 7 - 12  
**12 - 6 p.m. Bloodmobile - F.H.**

**Friday** Rummage Rooms 9 - 12

**Saturday** Rummage Rooms 9 - 12  
**10:00 4H - F.H.**

**Sunday** 10:00 Worship  
11:00 Coffee and Fellowship Hour  
**11:15 Advisory Council Meeting - F.H.**



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## “STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS”

July 8, 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 a qualified 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 miracle of unity is being granted to us as we pray and work for it in the Lord's way. Our hearts will be knit together in unity. God has promised that blessing to His faithful Saints whatever their differences in background and whatever conflict rages around them.”* Henry B. Eyring

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 insert or Overhead Screen

Sharing of Celebrations and Concerns

The Congregational Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (Unison) (Debts)

Prayer Chorus “Rejoice in the Lord Always” No. 113

Children's Story Claudia Little

(Preschoolers may go to Nursery and Grades K-3 may go to Jr. Church.)

Scripture 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

\* Hymn “The Family of God” No. 128

Sermon “God Unites” Pastor Lynn

\* Hymn of Commitment “We Are God's People” No. 117

Worship Through Giving

The Offertory

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

\* Prayer of Dedication

\* Benediction

\* Choral Response “Bind Us Together” No.130

\* Postlude

\* Those who are able are invited to stand.

Organist, Nettie White

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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, ushers, and Claudia Little for assisting in today's worship service.

## In Moments Like These

In moments like these, I sing out a song  
I sing out a love song to Jesus  
In moments like these  
I lift up my hands  
I lift up my hands to the Lord

**Singing I love You, Lord**  
**Singing I love You, Lord**  
**Singing I love You, Lord**  
**I love You**  
2X Thru

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## Lord, You Are

Lord, you are  
more precious than silver,  
Lord, you are  
more costly than gold.  
Lord, you are  
more beautiful than diamonds,  
and nothing I desire compares with you.  
2X thru, 1<sup>st</sup> soft, 2<sup>nd</sup> loud

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**Prayer Requests** - **Health Concerns:** John Marcoux' s sister, Betsy Hubbard, Dave (friend of Donalyn Swier) **Continuing Prayers:** Fred and Linda Goldthwait, Esther Knapp, Harry Hardman, Martha Miller, Bob Foster (Mary Burrow's Dad), David Halstead, Don White, Duke and Sheila Burnett, Candy Parish (Nettie's sister-in-law), Keith and Vyrna Brown (Kim Gleason's parents), Gene Case, Michael Hayes (nephew of Alice Resch and Katy Harbeck), Susan Stoddard (Sallie Miller's sister)

## 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, David Halstead

## 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:

Bruce & Diane Sheldon  
6949 Rawson Road, Cuba, NY 14727

Bruce and Diane were able to join us last week and it was SO good to see them. They are not able to come every week so being with us was very special. The Sheldon's love to hear from their church family even though they aren't able to come very often so please send them a card to let them we are thinking of them.

## Announcements

- Church Softball will be Sundays, July 8, 15, and 22 at 6 p.m. at Chamberlain Park. You must be 16 or older to participate. See Gary Shaffer or Kirby Pierce for more information.
- August Newsletter submissions are due by Tuesday, July 10 and can be sent via email to sec@wny.twcbc.com.
- **Alumni weekend is next Sunday, July 15. Wear your school colors!**
- **CAMP JYC REGISTRATIONS ARE DUE IN TWO WEEKS!** Camperships provided by the Witter Fund will be provided in the amount of \$150 per child for camps Vick, Pathfinder, and Bliss Summit. Please note the following dates to get your registrations filed in a timely manner and camperships processed: **July 22.** Please turn in completed registration forms and payment to Bill Beck or church office. If additional assistance is needed please contact Pastor Lynn or Bill Beck for eligibility information.
- Now that summer is here, **we need people (you, your friends, family, or neighbor) to sign up for special music.** You may sing or play an instrument or both! Please sign up today (sheet on the table in the Court or call the Church Office 585-968-1531)!
- As you have probably noticed, the flower beds around the church are in dire need of weeding. Anyone who would like to share a little time with the church, please feel free do so at your convenience and weed-away! “Many hands make light work”. Thank you in advance.

• **We need volunteers for VBS (Aug 13 - 17). Our theme this year is “SHIPWRECKED.” Please contact Melissa Grover, 585.610.7082, if you are able to help.**

- Anyone who is willing to provide flowers or decor for the sanctuary, please sign up in the court. Flowers do not have to be purchased.

## Upcoming Events

- **TODAY: (PRC) Sunday, July 8 at 11:15 a.m.**  
Advisory Council Meeting Sunday, July 15 at 11:15 a.m.
- **The Grief Support Group meets on Wednesday, July 11 at 1 p.m. in the Lounge.** As many of you know, grief does not take summers off. The pain and sadness continues every day, along with so many other factors that can drain a person mentally, physically, emotionally and spiritually. Our support group will be meeting all summer. The next meeting is July 11th at 1pm in the lounge. All are welcome, and this group is open to any adults in the community. If you are struggling, or know someone who is, please consider attending a gathering. Everything is confidential, participation is optional, and there is no commitment to attend every meeting.
- The **Red Cross Bloodmobile** will be on Thursday, July 12 from 12 - 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

• There will be a **Child Safety Policy Review/ Training on Sunday, July 22** in the Fellowship Hall, following service. If you work with children in any capacity (in-house events, vbs, junior church, nursery, kids in the kitchen, camps, trips, mission work, etc.) or you think you might be interested in doing so in the next year, ***you need to attend.*** If you are unable to attend, please contact Pastor Lynn, Faith Stewart, Melissa Grover, or Bill Beck, Thank you for all you do with our children!

- Please pick up a school supply list on the collection tub in the Fellowship Hall. We are collecting June thru August 8. **Pencils and Crayons School Supply Distribution** will be held on Saturday, August 11. Thank you!

• Pastor Lynn will be on vacation from July 16 - 28. Next, she will attend Camp VICK from July 29 - August 3. Then she will be at Camp JYC from August 3 - 5. While serving as Pastor at Camp, she will be available in the case of emergencies or contact the Church Office during secretary's office hours to leave messages.