

Opportunities for Fellowship and Service
Sunday, March 10 - Sunday, March 17

Nursery (Preschoolers)
Jr. Church

Laurel Comstock
Maghen Beck

11:00 Coffee & Fellowship - Fellowship Hall

11:15 a.m. Small Groups for everyone

5:00 Cuba Council of Churches Meeting - Lounge

Monday 9 - 12 Pastor in the Office
7 - 12 Secretary in Office
8:00 Exercise Group - F.H.
6:00 Trustees Meeting - Lounge

Tuesday 9 - 10:30 Pastor in the Office
7 - 12 Secretary in Office
Newsletter Deadline

Wednesday 7:45 Prayer Group - Pastor's Study
8:00 Exercise Group - F.H.
10:30 Bible Study Group - Lounge
6:00 Diaconate - Lounge

Thursday 9 - 12 Pastor in the Office
7 - 12 Secretary in Office
1 - 6 Red Cross - F.H.

Friday Rummage Rooms 9 - 12

Saturday Rummage Rooms 9 - 12
2 - 7 Boy Scouts - F.H.

Sunday **St. Patrick's Day**
10:00 Worship
11:15 Small Groups for Everyone
12:15 Board of Christian Ed. - F.H.

Attendance Last Sunday - **74**

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1st Sunday in Lent



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“STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS”

March 10, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Prayer slips are in the pew pockets for your convenience. Please write and mark clearly and an usher will collect it during the Prelude.

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

Preparation for Worship - ¹³No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it. 1 Cor. 10:13 ESV

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

“El Shaddai”

No. 18

Children's Story

Claudia Little

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

Anthem

Scripture

Luke 4:1-13

* Hymn

“No One Understands Like Jesus”

No. 365

Sermon

“God Moves... Into the Desert”

Pastor Lynn

* Hymn of Commitment

“Sweet Hour of Prayer”

No. 166 v.1

Worship Through Giving

The Offertory

* The Doxology

No. 623

* Prayer of Dedication

* Benediction

* Choral Response

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”

No. 262 v. 1

* 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 Claudia Little, our greeters, our tech team, and ushers for assisting in today's worship service.

Mighty to Save

Everyone needs compassion, Love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me
Everyone needs forgiveness, The kindness of a savior
The hope of nations

**Savior, He can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save
Forever, Author of Salvation
He rose and conquered the grave
Jesus Conquered the grave**

So take me as you find me, All my fears and failures
Fill my life again I give my life to follow, Everything I believe in
Now I Surrender
Shine your light and Let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory Of the risen King...Jesus

V1, C, V2, C, Bridge 2X, C

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Your Love Oh Lord (Psalm 36)

Your love oh Lord reaches to the heavens
Your faithfulness stretches to the sky
Your righteousness is like the mighty mountain
And Your justice flows like the oceans tides

**And I will lift my voice to worship You my King
And I will find my strength
in the shadow of Your wings**

V C V C C V

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Prayer Requests **LaVerne White, Eric Goldthwait**, Marge Strahan, Minnie Case, Esther Knapp, John Pockey (Kim Gleason's co-workers husband), Char (Joan Hayes's mother), Betty Parker (Luanne Perry's mother), Mike Edwards (Marie Lewandowski's nephew), Colin Robinson (Nancy Robinson's Grandson) **Continuing Prayers** Bruce Sheldon, Colston & Hannah Hillman's baby, Amelia (Sue & Kim Hillman's son, daughter-in-law and new granddaughter) Sheila & Duke Burnett, Rod Cady, Rick Kelly, Luke Fries, Bert & Mickie Tidlund, Betsy Hubbard, Linda Goldthwait, Martha Miller, Candy Parish (Nettie's sister-in-law), Sandy Lathrop, Bob & Sandy Beard, Keith and Vyrna Brown (Kim Gleason's parents), Susan Stoddard (Sallie Miller's sister) **Sympathy** **Our Christian sympathy is with Joyce Barber and family on the passing of her mother, Flora Prentice. And also with Larry Lathrop and family on the passing of his sister, Alberta (Bertie) Seaver.**

Remember in Care Facilities

Cuba Memorial Hospital - Gene Case
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
Brompton Heights (Williamsville) - 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:

Helen Swift
c/o Eden Heights 161 South 25th St., Olean, NY 14760

Helen Swift (our oldest living member of CFB) is having some health issues. Her daughter, Mary, is on her way from Florida to be with her. Please send Helen a note filled with get well wishes and love to help add a little brightness to her day.

Announcements

- **The New York State ABWM Convention** will be held in Syracuse April 26-28 at the Syracuse Doubletree Inn. Any women are welcome to attend. Registration blanks and more information are available in the court. For more information about the convention, please reach out to Marian Clark, Penny Greene, Lori Little or Claudia Little. Financial help is available through the ABWM. **Registrations and money need to be into Claudia by March 20th.**
- **Easter Flower** orders are now being taken. We have new offerings for less! Please see your insert for cost and other important information. Please give your orders to Ann Gross or Janet Hadden.
- **White Cross Mission Project** - We will be wrapping up this project soon. If you have taken a heart from the tree, please bring in the items you have agreed to purchase. If you prefer to make a cash donation, money or check should be given to Ann Gross or to Maghen Beck by **March 10th**. All items will be packed and sent to Lakeside Baptist Church in Rochester. Thank you to all who have supported this effort.

Upcoming Events

- **The Bible Study Group** will resume on Wednesday, March 13 at 10:30 a.m. in the Lounge (weather permitting).
- **The American Red Cross** will set up in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, March 14 from 1 - 6 p.m. See your insert for important information.
- Beginning next Sunday, March 17, Melissa Grover will lead a **Bible Study** titled, **“What Matters Most - A Study in Philippians”** by **Karen Ehman**. It’s not too late to sign up (in the Court).

- On Sunday, March 24 from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Bill Beck will host a **Men’s Prayer Breakfast** (for men of all ages) in the Fellowship Hall. This is not in lieu of the Men & Boy’s Palm Sunday Breakfast - which is on Sunday, April 14 - but is an American Baptist Men Meeting.
- **The Kids in the Kitchen are having “Dinner and a Movie”!** Starting at 3:15 p.m.; Kids will be making dinner for themselves, setting tables and enjoying a full meal followed by a movie (Title to be announced) on Friday, March 29. Mark your calendars now! All youth in grades 3 - 12 are invited to attend the event, younger kids are welcome with an adult. Everyone is welcome and registration is requested. Even if kids can’t stay for the movie, they are welcome to come, cook and have dinner at 5:00 p.m. Please sign up in the court or leave a message at the church office at 585-968-1531.

Meetings

If you are on a board or committee, please take note of the time, room, and date of your next meeting. Thank you for all you do!

- 3/10 - Cuba Council of Churches @ 5:00 p.m. - Lounge
- 3/11 - Trustees @ 6:00 p.m. - Lounge
- 3/13 - Diaconate @ 6:00 p.m. - Lounge
- 3/17 - Board of Christian Ed. @ 12:15 p.m. - FH.
- 3/24 - ABMen (prayer breakfast) @ 8:30 a.m. - F.H.

Thank you

Minnie Case thanks everyone who sent cards and notes to her. She hopes to return home on April 1 if all goes well. Please keep Minnie in your prayers as she continues to recuperate.