

Opportunities for Fellowship and Service  
Sunday, April 7 - Sunday, April 14

Nursery (Preschoolers)  
Jr. Church

Lori Little  
Maghen Beck

11:00 Coffee & Fellowship - Fellowship Hall

11:15 Small Groups for everyone

**2 & 3 Elder Service at Underwood and Cuba SNF**

- Monday** 9 - 12 Pastor in the Office  
7 - 12 Secretary in Office  
8:00 Exercise Group - F.H.  
**6:00 Trustee Meeting - Lounge**
- Tuesday** 7 - 12 Secretary in Office  
**9:00 May 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 Meeting - Lounge**
- Thursday** 9 - 12 Pastor in the Office  
7 - 12 Secretary in Office  
**7:00 Choir Rehearsal - Lounge**
- Friday** Rummage Rooms 9 - 12
- Saturday** Rummage Rooms 9 - 12  
**10:00 4H - F.H.**  
**3:00 "Bunk with Beasts" Overnight @ Seneca  
Park Zoo in Rochester**
- Sunday** **8:30 Palm Sunday Men & Boys Breakfast**  
10:00 Worship  
11:00 Coffee and Fellowship - F.H.  
11:15 Small Groups for Everyone  
**12:15 Advisory Council - F.H.**

# 5th Sunday in Lent



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Attendance Last Sunday - 92

CCLI # 1751709

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

April 7, 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 - <sup>5</sup>“Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup>who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, <sup>7</sup>but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.”  
Philippians 2:5-7

Welcome

Life of the Church

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 “Breathe on Me, Breath of God” No. 139 v. 1

Children’s Story Claudia Little

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

\* Hymn “Where You There?” No. 266

Worship Through Giving

The Offertory

\* Doxology No. 623

\* Prayer of Dedication

\* Hymn of Commitment “The Old Rugged Cross” No. 247 v. 1, 2, 3

Scripture John 12:1-8

Homily “God Move Us ... To Empty Ourselves” Pastor Lynn

Anthem

The Ministry of the Lord’s Table

(All who seek to follow Christ are welcome at His table.)

The Preparation/Invitation

The Bread and the Cup (*Gluten-free bread in center of tray*)

\* Benediction

\* Choral Response “The Bond of Love” No.123 v. 1

\* Postlude

\* 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.*

\* Those who are able are invited to stand.

Organist, Nettie White and Pianist, Alice Resch

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.

### In Christ Alone

#### **Verse 1:**

In Christ alone my hope is found. He is my Light, my strength, my song  
this Cornerstone, this solid ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love! What depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease.  
My Comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

#### **Verse 2**

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe.  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones He came to save  
'til on that cross as Jesus died the wrath of God was satisfied,  
for ev'ry sin on Him was laid. Here in the death of Christ I live.

#### **Verse 3**

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain.  
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again.  
And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me.  
For I am His, and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

#### **Verse 4**

No guilt in life, no fear in death: this is the pow'r of Christ in me.  
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.  
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man can ever pluck me from His hand  
'til He returns, or calls me home; here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.  
CCLI Song # 3350395

### Above All

Above all powers, Above all Kings  
Above all nature, and all created things  
Above all wisdom, and all the ways of man  
You were here before the world began

Above all kingdoms, Above all thrones  
Above all wonders this world has ever known  
Above all wealth and treasures of the earth  
There's no way to measure what you're worth

**Crucified, laid behind a stone**

**You lived to die, rejected and alone**

**Like a rose, trampled on the ground**

**You took the fall, and thought of me**

**Above all** V1, V2, C, V1, V2, C, C

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**Prayer Requests** **Bob Mann** ( brother to Guy/ brother in law to Lori Mann), **the family and extended family** of Sallie Wild **Continuing Prayers** Esther Knapp, LaVerne White, Eric Goldthwait, Marge Strahan, Minnie Case Char (Joan Hayes's mother), Betty Parker (Luanne Perry's mother), Mike Edwards (Marie Lewandowski's nephew), Bruce Sheldon, Baby Amelia, Sheila & Duke Burnett, Rod Cady, Rick Kelly, 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)

### **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:**

Bert & Mickie Tidlund

21 Maple Avenue, Friendship, NY 14739

Bert & Mickie aren't able to come out as much as they'd like but we can send cards letting them know they are missed and thought of. Help brighten their day and send one today!

## Announcements

- **Easter Offering** - The Diaconate asks that you prayerfully consider donating to the Easter Offering Fund. All the donations are used by the Diaconate to fund church activities. Some of these include: The Secret Place, the Lenten Devotional, Maundy Thursday, Be the Church, Caremark Booklets, and Baptism Brunch. Thank you for supporting these activities that enhance the lives of our congregation.
- The deadline to submit your articles, notices, and events for the **May Newsletter** is Tuesday, April 9. Please submit in writing or via email to sec@wny.twcbc.com. Thank you.
- If you would like a new one or need to replace your old one - **Holy Week Crosses** are available in the Court. A \$5 donation is requested to help offset costs. If you already have one, please see insert of important dates.
- The **April Newsletter** is available in the Fellowship Hall Foyer and the Tech Center.
- **The American Red Cross blood drive is in GREAT need of volunteer hosts/hostesses at the Cuba First Baptist church donation site.** Volunteers work in teams of two for 2 hour shifts (12:30 - 2:30, 2:30 - 4:30, and 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.) once every eight weeks. Training is provided. It's an easy way to help with an important cause. Next blood drive will be Thursday, May 9. Please call Ann Gross (585-968-2773 or 585-610-7464) to volunteer. Thank you.

## Upcoming Events

- **Palm Sunday Men & Boys Breakfast** will be on Sunday, April 14 at 8:30 a.m. Please RSVP in the Court.
- **Maundy Thursday** - Program and meal begin at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP in the Court.
- **Good Friday Prayer Vigil** from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Lounge. Sign-up for half hour (or more). You may pray alone or bring a friend; in the Lounge or at home. Sign-up in the Court.
- **Celebrate our Risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on Easter Sunday, April 21 at 10:00 a.m.**

## Meetings

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

- Trustees - 4/8 at 6:00 p.m. - Lounge
- Diaconate - 4/10 at 6:00 p.m. - Lounge
- Advisory Council - 4/14 at 12:15 p.m. - F.H.
- Board of Christian Ed. - 4/28 at 12:15 p.m. - F.H.

## Thank you

Thank you to EVERYONE who helped, cooked, cleaned and supported the Market! Without the support of this church, the ABWM would not be able to make this event happen. Without this event, the ABWM would not be able to support the church and community, and continue to be "The Hands and Feet of Jesus". Thanks again, ABWM of CFB=