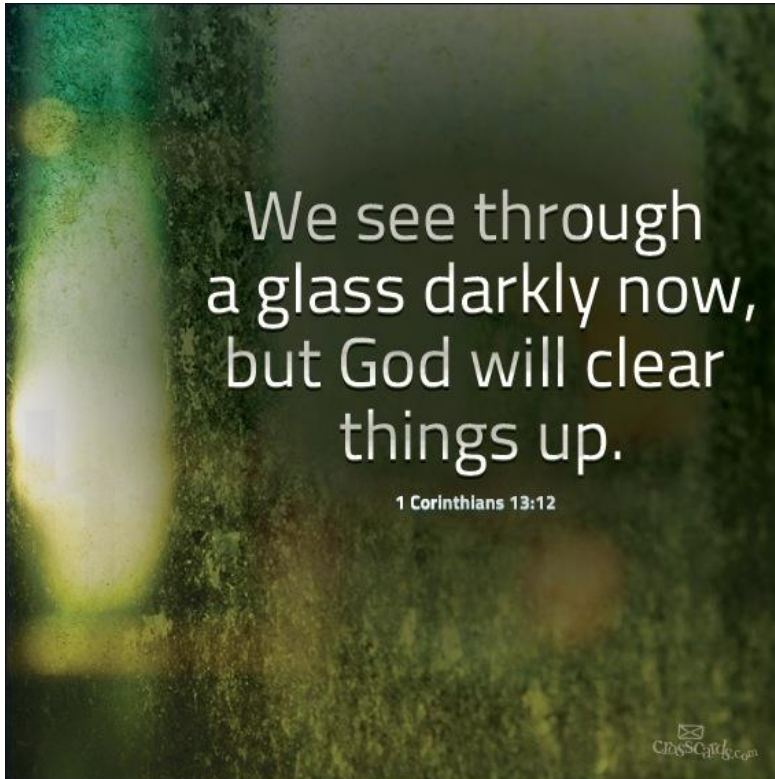


First United Methodist Church
101 E. Main St. Westfield, NY
February 3, 2019
Fourth Sunday After Epiphany



Mirror, Mirror, on the Wall

Focus: “For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face.”
1 Corinthians 13:12a

8:30 – Praise & PowerPoint Worship (Gibbs Parlor)
9:30 Sunday School for ages 3 and up
10:45 – Worship (Sanctuary)
Followed by – Coffee Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)

Things to look forward to:

February 6 – UMW
February 9 – Safe Sanctuary Training
February 11 – Ad Board
February 25 - Finance
March 6 – Ash Wednesday
March 16 – District Learning Day @ BPUMC
March 31 – UMCOR Sunday
May 4 – Women’s Tea

Confirmation classes will begin in March. If you have someone in 7th grade and up that is interested, please contact the church office

Last Sunday’s Attendance: [1/27/2019]	108
Last Sunday’s Offering:	\$ 2,027
Needed weekly to make budget.....	\$ 3,246

Mission Statement: *To know Christ and to make Christ known*

Vision Statement: *We are the voice and the hand that encourages people to change their lives with hope, comfort and peace*

Quote: Paul’ recitation of the acts of love in verses 4-7 shows how truly remarkable love is, but as he praises love, he blames the Corinthians—two sides of the same rhetorical coin. The positive acts of love are the opposite of the Corinthians’ behavior.” –Richard A. Horsley, *1 Corinthians*

Many thanks to the entire congregation for all the cards and well wishes as we celebrated Mary Syper's 95th Birthday. She was really surprised and is very blessed to be a part of such a caring congregation.

RCL Readings – February 3, 2019

The readings for this week:

Jeremiah 1:4-10	Psalm 71:1-6
1 Corinthians 13:1-13	Luke 4:21-30

District Learning Day

Saturday, March 16

**Bemus Point UMC – brochures are outside the church office
There is anonymous scholarship money available. Please see LeAnn.**

For the entire month of February, The Mission and Outreach board will be holding a **“Love The Baby”** drive [baby diapers, pull ups and wipes] as a mission project. We would love to have the entire front of the sanctuary FILLED with diapers and wipes. These items will then be donated to the food pantry. There are white envelopes with labels on them if you wish to donate money instead of going out and purchasing diapers and wipes. We will also have an area for people to drop off coupons to use to purchase items. We are looking for newborn to size 5. Thanks!

[We will be having a “noisy” offering on February 24 – bring all your change and let us see how much noise we can make!]

We will be working on a membership audit this year. This is required by the conference and DOES NOT affect our apportionments.

If you are not currently a member here in Westfield and would like to either transfer your membership here or join by profession of faith, please let the office know.

If you have a child (or are an adult) that has not been baptized yet and would like to be baptized, please contact the office so that we can.

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Making Sense of the Bible: Rediscovering the Power of Scripture Today, the next Adam Hamilton book, is available for check out. There are six copies available in the outer office – Sign out a copy and return it when you are finished so that others can read it.

Safe Sanctuary Training

When: Saturday, February 9 8:30 – Noon

Where: Fellowship Hall

Who: Anyone not yet trained that would like to work with children and vulnerable adults

Cost: FREE!!

Please sign up outside the church office

UMW will meet on Wednesday, February 6 in Fellowship Hall. Please bring your own lunch and your memories

***Church Closing – See Channel 2 WGRZ (Buffalo),
email or facebook***

This Week February 3 – 10 (17), 2019

- Sunday (3):** Communion
8:30 – Worship (G)
9:45 – Sunday School
10:45– Worship – (San)
Coffee Fellowship (Gibbs)
- Monday (4):** Apple Seed
11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Tuesday (5):** Apple Seed
Food Pantry
6 – 7 – Exercise (Kelly Bates) (FH)
- Wednesday (6):** Apple Seed
Noon - UMW
4:30 – 5:30pm WCK (FH)
6 – TOPS
- Thursday (7):** Apple Seed
6 – 7 – Exercise (Kelly Bates) (FH)
- Friday (8):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Saturday (9):** Safe Sanctuary Training – Fellowship Hall
- Sunday (10):** 8:30 – Worship (G)
9:45 – Sunday School
10:45– Worship – (San)
Coffee Fellowship (Gibbs)
- Monday (11):** Apple Seed
11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
7 – Ad Board
- Tuesday (12):** Apple Seed
Food Pantry
6 – 7 – Exercise (Kelly Bates) (FH)
- Wednesday (13):** Apple Seed
Respite
4:30 – 5:30pm WCK (FH)
6 – TOPS
- Thursday (14):** Apple Seed
6 – 7 – Exercise (Kelly Bates) (FH)
- Friday (15):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Saturday (16):**
- Sunday (17):** 8:30 – Worship (G)
9:45 – Sunday School
10:45– Worship – (San)
Coffee Fellowship (Gibbs)
GS Sleep Over – (FH)

Girl Scouts M, T & Th evenings -
WCK = Westfield Community Kitchen; FH = Fellowship Hall; San = Sanctuary; G=Gibbs Parlor