

**First United Methodist Church
101 E. Main St. Westfield, NY
June 23, 2019
2nd Sunday after Pentecost**



“Why Are You Here?”

Focus: “So he got up and ate and drank. Strengthened by that food, he traveled forty days and forty nights until he reached Horeb, the mountain of God. There he went into a cave and spent the night. And the word of the Lord came to him: ‘What are you doing here, Elijah?’” 1 Kings 19:8-9

8:30 – Praise & PowerPoint Worship (Gibbs Parlor)
10:00 – Worship (Sanctuary)

Things to look forward to:

June 23, 2019 – Ad Board Meeting following 10am service
June 25 – Bike & Build
July 15 – Finance
August 4 – Church Picnic

Last Sunday's Attendance: [6/16/2019]	63
Last Sunday's Offering:	\$ 1,478
Total YTD Expenses (as of 6/11/19).....	\$70,431
Total YTD Offering (as of 6/16/19).....	\$43,568
Total YTD from investments to cover bills (as of 6/5/19).....	\$32,600
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: “Every relationship needs questions. In spite of the assumptions and presumptions therein, every relationship needs questions—questions to air it out, questions to refresh the stagnation of the assumptions.” –Claudette A. Copeland

RCL Readings – June 23, 2019

The readings for this week:

1 Kings 19:1-15a

Psalm 42

Galatians 3:23-29

Luke 8:26-39

Save the date: The church picnic will be August 4th. More information to come.



Please make plans to join your brothers & sisters in Christ throughout our district on **Thursday, June 27**, to celebrate the ministry of The Rev. Dr. Sherri Rood, our District Superintendent for the past eight years.

We will gather at **Christ First UMC**, 663 Lakeview Ave., in Jamestown for a time of worship at **7 p.m.** Fellowship & refreshments will follow.

There is a sign-up sheet outside the office door for Bike & Build (June 25). There will be 26 cyclist!

Did you know that we collect used printer ink cartridges & toner cartridges? We then recycle them and get money for them.

*So far this year, **we have received over \$125 from recycling the cartridges.***

There is a box in the outer office for you to put your used cartridges.

Did you ever meet in Gibbs Parlor during the hot summer months (whether for Worship, Sunday School or a meeting)? We all know how hot it can get. We have been able to purchase “next to new” floor air conditioners to help cool the room. If you would like to help us offset the price of the air conditioners, please use a yellow envelope (marked Air Conditioner – available at the Welcome Centers and near the doors) and drop it in the offering plate, or drop off at the church office.

Help wanted: We are looking for individuals that would be willing to be part of a Capital Campaign Fund Team. The purpose of this team is to assist the Finance Committee & Trustees in raising funds for various projects. If you are interested in serving – Please see Doug Richmond, Scott Robbins or let the office know.
Thanks.

The family of Leona Bowen invites you to join in celebrating her 90th birthday at an open house in her honor on Sunday, **July 21 from 2 – 5 pm** at the Westfield Fish and Game Club (Ogden Rd, Westfield).



This Week June 23 – 30 (July 7), 2019

- Sunday (23):** 8:30 Worship – (G)
10:00– Worship – (San)
- Monday (24):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Tuesday (25):** 1-2:30 -Food Pantry
3 - Support
Bike & Build
- Wednesday (26):** 4:30 – 5:30pm WCK (FH)
6 – TOPS
- Thursday (27):** Baccalaureate
- Friday (28):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Saturday (29):** Graduation
- Sunday (30):** 8:30 Worship – (G)
10:00– Worship – (San)
- Monday (1):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Tuesday (2):** 1-2:30 -Food Pantry
3 – 8 – Private Function (Gibbs)
- Wednesday (3):** 4:30 – 5:30pm WCK (FH)
6 – TOPS
- Thursday (4):** Office Closed – Happy 4th of July
- Friday (5):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
- Saturday (6):**
- Sunday (7):** 8:30 Worship – (G)
10:00– Worship – (San)

Girl Scouts M, T & Th evenings -

WCK = Westfield Community Kitchen; FH = Fellowship Hall; San = Sanctuary; G=Gibbs Parlor