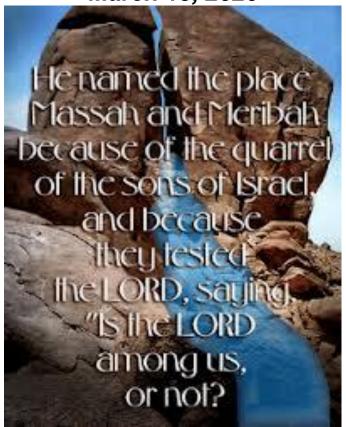
First United Methodist Church 101 E. Main St. Westfield, NY March 15, 2020



Massah & Meribah

Focus: "He [Moses] called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites quarreled and tested the LORD, saying, 'Is the LORD among us or not?'"

Exodus 17:7



8:30 – Praise & PowerPoint Worship (Gibbs Parlor) 9:45 – Sunday School 10:45 – Worship (Sanctuary)

Looking ahead:

March 15, 22, 29, April 5 7pm - Lenten Book Study

March 18 – UMW – Noon – Bring a bag lunch

March 22 – UMCOR Offering

March 23 – SPRC @7

April 4 – Sunday School Activity (FH)

April 5 - Palm Sunday - Communion

April 9 – Holy Thursday Service @ Westfield @7pm

April 10 – Cross Walk – Noon – Moore Park

April 12 – Easter Sunday

Last Sunday's Attendance: [3/8/2020]	85	
Last Sunday's Offering:	\$ 1,962	
Total YTD Offering (as of 3/8/2020)	\$18,045	
Total YTD Expenses (as of 3/9/2020)	\$ 27,757	
Total YTD from investments to cover bills (3/5/2020)	\$ 4,400	
Monthly Apportionments due	\$ 4,122	
Total Apportionments paid (3/1/2020)		
Needed weekly to make budget (2020)	\$ 3,337	

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

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8:30 – Worship in Gibbs Parlor 9:45 Sunday School 10:45 – Worship in Sanctuary

Holy Thursday, April 9 – 7:00 PM

Combined service with Hurlbut Church at Westfield

Good Friday—April 10—Way of the Cross Noon— Moore Park

Easter Sunday, April 12

8:30 Service 10:45 Worship

Quote: "As often as the dry patches in our wilderness journey tempt us to put God to the test, the Lord's Supper offers us refreshment and renewal; for the barrenness of the crucifixion issues in resurrection and enteral life, a life of which we are already given a foretaste in the way it renew us for the journey toward the final feast."

J. Gerald Janzen, *Exodus*.

If you are interested in coordinating OR helping out with VBS for this Summer (you get to decide dates, times & frequency as well as curriculum) please see Pastor Nick or contact the church office.

Many thanks to everyone that helped out with the Pancake Breakfast!

UMCOR #901670 - US Disaster Relief

(Envelopes are available at the Welcome Center near Gibbs Parlor)

UMCOR Sunday – March 22, 2020

Please note – if you miss church on any given Sunday, you can still catch the message on our Facebook page or our website. Don't have access to a computer or the internet? Come to the church office and we can set it up so you can watch in Gibbs Parlor.

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Sunday (15): 8:30 Worship – (G)

9:45 Sunday School 10:45– Worship – (San) 7pm – Lenten Study

Monday (16): Apple Seed

11:30- 12:30 Westfield Community Kitchen (FH)

Tuesday (17): Apple Seed

1 – 2:30 pm Food Pantry 6 – Kelly Bates (FH)

Wednesday (18): Apple Seed

Noon - UMW

4:30-5:30 Westfield Community Kitchen

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Thursday (19): Apple Seed

6 - Kelly Bates (FH)

Friday (20): 11:30- 12:30 Westfield Community Kitchen (FH)

Saturday (21): Private Function - FH
Sunday (22): UMCOR Sunday
8:30 Worship – (G)

9:45 Sunday School 10:45 – Worship – (San) 2-7 Private Function (FH) 7pm – Lenten Study

Monday (23): Apple Seed

11:30- 12:30 Westfield Community Kitchen (FH)

7pm - SPRC

Tuesday (24): Apple Seed

1 – 2:30 pm Food Pantry 6 – Kelly Bates (FH)

3 – Caregiver Support Group (Gibbs)

Wednesday (25): Apple Seed

4:30-5:30 Westfield Community Kitchen

Thursday (26): Apple Seed

6 – Kelly Bates (FH)

Friday (27): 11:30- 12:30 Westfield Community Kitchen (FH)

Saturday (28): Private Function - FH Sunday (29): 8:30 Worship – (G) 9:45 Sunday School

10:45– Worship – (San) 7pm – Lenten Study