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

July 9, 2017 5th Sunday after Pentecost



Designing Love

Focus: "...[s]he became his wife; and he loved her..." (Genesis 24:67)



8:30 – Praise & PowerPoint Worship (Gibbs Parlor) 10:00 – Worship (Sanctuary) Followed by – Coffee Fellowship (Fellowship Hall)

Quote: "Our God loves us enough to comfort us with relationships that are deep, profound, engaging, and intimate."

Jacqueline J. Lewis, The Power of Stories

Things to look forward to:

July 10 – Ad Board

August 6 – combined 10 am worship [with communion] (on the lawn – weather permitting) followed by church picnic & games.

August 21 - 24 - VBS!!!!!

September 10 - Fall Schedule resumes with Sunday School

July 9, 2017

The readings for this week:

Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67 Psalm 45:10-17 Romans 7:15-25a Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

VBS - Aug 21 - 24

The Sunshine list has been updated (now on blue paper) and is available at the **Welcome Center near Gibbs Parlor**

This Week: July 9 - 16(23), 2017

8:30 - Worship (G) **Sunday** (9):

10:00- Worship

Coffee Fellowship (FH)

11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH) **Monday** (10):

7pm – Ad Board

Tuesday (11): 1 – 2:30 – Food Pantry Wednesday (12): 4:30 - 6pm WCK (FH)

6pm - TOPS (Gibbs)

Thursday (13): Pounding Class (FH) [if bad weather]

Friday (14):

Saturday (15):

Sunday (16): 8:30 – Worship (G)

10:00- Worship

Coffee Fellowship (FH)

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Friday (21): Saturday (22):

Sunday (23): 8:30 – Worship (G)

10:00-Worship

Coffee Fellowship (FH)

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

The church directory is out! They are available at the Welcome centers. If there are corrections, please let the office know. In addition, if you would like to be included in our photo updates pages, contact the office and we can arrange to have your photo taken or you can submit a photo. We will continue to print out updated/additional information pages that can easily be added to your directory. Many thanks to Phyllis Gutz & Karin Cockram for taking many of our photos.

Corrections (apologies):

Ariana Albanesius (only 1 n in first name) Alaina Cockram (spelled wrong with photo)

Phone number:

Luci Petrella 581-0648

Big apology to Wayne & Karen Harrington – I accidentally omitted their photo from the directory. They will be on the supplemental page.

If you did not have your photo taken (or give us a photo for the directory), there will be a supplemental page going out this summer. Please contact the office to arrange for getting your photo take or how to submit a photo. Thanks



Westfield Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will again have a pie booth during the Arts and Craft Show (July 28th & 29th). This traditionally has been the Auxiliary's most profitable annual fundraiser. Its success depends upon community members contributions of homemade pies. (Pies must be types that do not require refrigeration) If you bake pies and would like to support WMH, please consider contributing your pies either day between 8:15 and 10:00 am. You may call Jean McCausland, 326-3527, with questions. Thank you.



August 6 – combined 10 am communion service with church picnic to follow