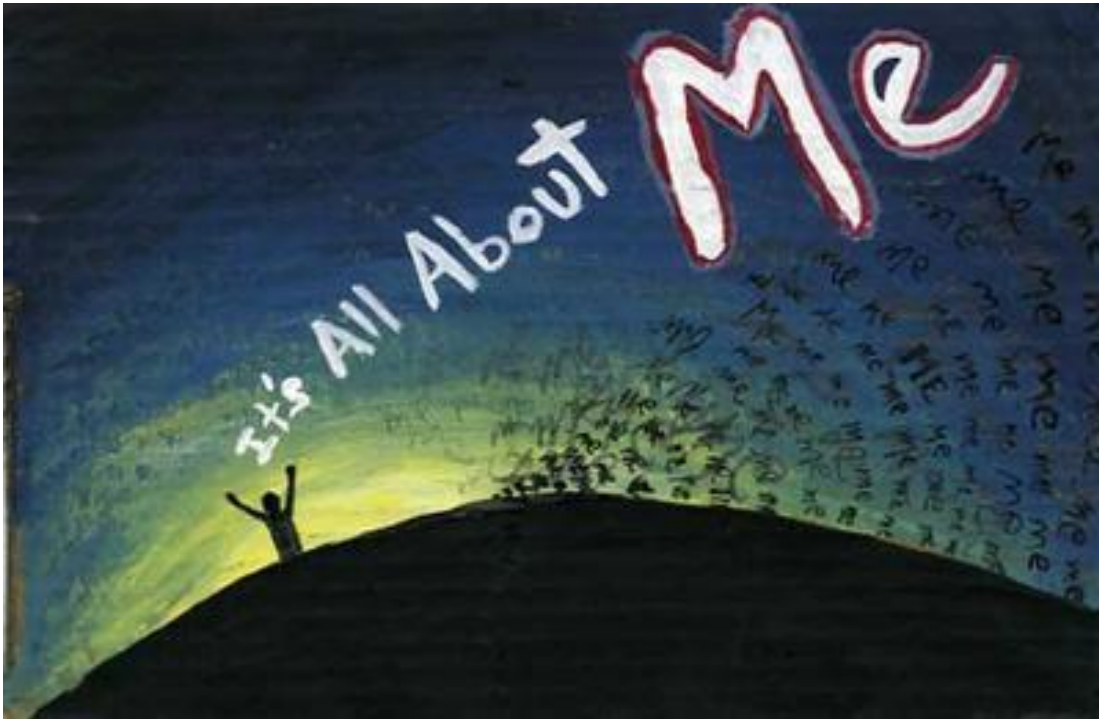


*First United Methodist Church
101 E. Main St.
Westfield, NY*

*October 15, 2017
19th Sunday after Pentecost*



Entitlement

Focus: "But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business." Matthew 22:5

Quote: "This story holds the prospect of fierce and final judgment *for all* in tension with the possibility of an outlandishly inclusive grace *for all*." –David Lewicki



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)

October 15, 2017

The readings for this week:

Exodus 32, 1-14

Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23

Philippians 4:1-9

Matthew 22:1-14

Things to look forward to:

Bible Study – Sundays – Sept 17 – Oct 22 7pm (Adam Hamilton's – The Call)

October 15 – Ad Board/Finance meeting following 10:45 Service

Oct 20 & 21 – Annual UMW Indoor Yard Sale

October 22 – Start of Sunday Evening Family service

Nov 5 – combined 10 am Service – Heritage Sunday – dish to pass meal to follow

Nov 5 – **Charge Conference** – Worship 3 – 4, Meeting – 4:15 -5 @ Fredonia 1st

Advent Bible Study – Tuesdays 7pm (November 28 – Dec 19)

Dec 24 – Combined 10 am service (Cantata)

Dec 31 – Combined 10 am fireside service

Family VBS Like Worship Every Week!

All ages welcomed!

Beginning Sunday October 22, 5:30 - 6:45 pm

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We are beginning a new worship service based on a VBS style. A kid friendly dinner at 5:30 with food like pizza, mac & cheese or chicken fingers will be served followed by active songs, Bible

Story and activity. Activities will vary and include things like, crafts, pumpkin carving, games, etc. This will be a family worship service, where children are free to be themselves!

Registration is not required, but helpful for food and activity materials. Call 326-3243, email

westmeth@fairpoint.net or register at westfieldumc.org



Would you like to help out those impacted by Hurricanes Harvey, Irma & Maria? **You can:**

● PRAY

● Donate to UMCOR - Advance #901670

or NY Conference fund: Hurricane Harvey – 481; Hurricane Irma – 482; Hurricane Maria- 483; Mexico City Earthquakes – 611; 2017 Storms – 474;

UMCOR U.S. Disaster Response - 692– they all go to UMCOR for distribution (use marked pew envelope – make checks out to the church)

● Help us send Flood Buckets (Filled with \$65 worth of items)[see Ann Gollnitz]

● Volunteer for a future Mission trip

For More information on Flood Buckets – see list at the Welcome Center

For more information on a Mission trip – See Pastor Molly.



Did you know? We have sent over \$1800 to UMCOR to help with the Hurricane relief and \$50 for Mexico!!!!

This Week: October 15 -22 (29), 2017

- Sunday (15):** 8:30 – Worship (G)
 9:30 – Sunday School for ages 3+
 10:45– Worship –
 Ad Board/Finance meeting following service
 Coffee Fellowship (FH)
 7pm – Bible Study
- Monday (16):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
 Brownies
- Tuesday (17):** Apple Seed
 1 – 2:30 – Food Pantry
 Daisy’s & Brownies
 Set up starts for Indoor Yard Sale
- Wednesday (18):** Apple Seed
 4:30 – 5:30pm WCK (Gibbs)
 6pm – TOPS (Gibbs)
- Thursday (19):** Apple Seed
- Friday (20):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (Gibbs)
 1 – 4 – Indoor Yard Sale (FH)
- Saturday (21):** 9-1 – Indoor Yard Sale (FH)
- Sunday (22):** 8:30 – Worship (G)
 9:30 – Sunday School for ages 3+
 10:45– Worship
 Coffee Fellowship (FH)
 5:45 Family Worship Service
 7pm – Bible Study
- Monday (23):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (FH)
 Brownies
- Tuesday (24):** Apple Seed
 1 – 2:30 – Food Pantry
 3-4 – Support
 Trike-a-thon (AppleSeed)
 Daisy’s & Brownies
- Wednesday (25):** Apple Seed
 4:30 – 5:30pm WCK (Gibbs)
 6pm – TOPS (Gibbs)
- Thursday (26):** Apple Seed
 7pm – Pounding class (FH)
- Friday (27):** 11:30- 12:30 WCK (Gibbs)
- Saturday (28):**
- Sunday (29):** 8:30 – Worship (G)
 9:30 – Sunday School for ages 3+
 10:45– Worship -
 Coffee Fellowship (FH)

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

There are a number of items that will be sold in the church yard sale (wooden youth chairs, file cabinet and much more). There is a list outside the office door. If you are interested in any, they must be paid for and picked up by Wed, Oct 18 or will go in the yard sale.

In order to "spruce things up a bit", we are on the lookout for a replacement sofa for Gibbs Parlor (or Fellowship Hall and moving the matching couch & love seat to Gibbs). If you have a couch in good condition (and is smoke free & pet free) please contact the office. [We are also looking at replacing some of the furniture in the youth room]

3rd quarter giving statements are ready and at the Welcome Center outside Gibbs Parlor. Any not picked up by October 16 will be mailed

Trunk or Treat

Tuesday, October 31

6 - 8 pm



We need volunteers to make cocoa and serve drinks, and work a couple of simple games.

For more information, please contact Kim Raynor

Also, we need people to come to the church parking lot in their decorated cars!

Annual UMW Indoor Yard sale

Friday Oct 20 & Sat Oct 21

You can start bringing items to church **Sunday, October 15th through Thursday, October 19th** and placed in the designated area in Fellowship Hall.

Please no clothing items - **NO ELECTRONICS**

[ie TV, Computers, cd players, VCRs, etc...]

If you would like to help, or would like more information, please contact Andi Mansfield or Ann Gollnitz

The children will be collecting change to help out with Hurricane Harvey & Hurricane Irma recovery. Feel free to help them out (look for the yellow change containers).

They have already collected over \$71!!