### September 17, 2023 Bulletin Announcements

### Administrative Board Meeting, Sunday, September 17 following 10 am worship service

There is a sign-up sheet outside the office for those willing to help with the pancake breakfast on Saturday, October 7.

### \*\*\* Please return your membership audit papers. If you did not receive them, please contact the office.

Your offerings can be:

- Dropped off at the church When the office is open, during worship, or After hours use the mail slot by the side glass door
- mailed to the church
- sent to the church through your bank sent to the church using PayPal or Tithely (see the church website for links). <a href="https://www.westfieldnyumc.org/donate/">https://www.westfieldnyumc.org/donate/</a>

#### We appreciate your faithful giving

August income	\$11,640.00	(includes 3500 from investments)
Expenses	\$12098.95	(Payroll \$7,254.92)
Difference	\$ (458.95)	
Shared Ministries (\$1,411 per month) – amount due thru 8/31: \$11,288 Amount paid (7/31): \$345.00 (from donations)		
If you have any questions, please contact Pauline Emilson - Treasurer		

Did you know? You can drop off your used postage stamps to the church office or to Betty Syper? There is a box in the outer office for them. Please leave a sizable border around the stamp. Betty would like to thank everyone that has been bringing in stamp. They would love stamps from other countries and if you are looking to get rid of stamp collections – please contact her for more information.

### Looking for individuals to help sand and spray paint our metal railings. Contact the office for more information.

#### Revised Common Lectionary (RCL) for September 17, 2023

Exodus 12:1-14 Psalm 149
Romans 13:8-14 Matthew 18:15-20

#### Reader's Schedule (Contact Gail for more information)

September 17 – Doug; September 24 – Andi; Oct 1 – Gail; Oct 8 - Pauline; Oct 15 – Carmen; Oct 22 – Jessica, Oct 29 – Kathy A

#### **Coffee Hours Schedule (Contact Gail for more information)**

October 1 – Rita, Sue & Laurie; Nov 5 – Larry & Sandy; Dec 3 – open.

Looking for individuals that would like to serve as **Communion Stewards**. Please see Gail for more information October 1 – Dave & Betty Syper; November 5 – Open; December 3 - Open

Did you know? We made almost \$50 on our ink recycling program!

The September/October *Upper Room* and the September/October/November *The Word For You Today* are now available.

## Pancake Breakfast 7:30-10:30 am

Fellowship Hall—First United Methodist Church of Westfield 101 E Main St.

Pancakes, Sausage, Sausage gravy & Biscuits, Coffee, Juice

# Saturday October 7

(Stacy Holland Family—Silent Auction)

**November 5** (Blue Bag Fund to provide personal hygiene items to Food Pantry clients)

#### **December 2**

(Apple Seed)

\*Program benefitting from your donations
Questions? See Larry Porter