January 5, 2025 Bulletin Announcements Worship begins at 9 am

To faithfully participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. – Baptismal Vows

We wish to welcome Rachel Quinn Nelson as our new Administrative Assistant. LeAnn will be training her the week of January 7 On January 19, we will be having an appreciation brunch following the worship service. LeAnn & Mike (weather permitting) will be attending the service that day. There will be sign-up sheet outside the church office for what you would like to bring.

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

Weekly Bible Readings

Isaiah 60:1-6 Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14 Ephesians 3:1-12 Matthew 2:1-12 Daily Devotions: January/February - *The Upper Room*

Sunday Reader's Schedule

Jan 5 – Steve C Jan 12 – Jessica Jan 19 – Pauline Jan 20 - Andi

Holy Communion Stewards

Jan – Lisa & Gail

Coffee Hour Schedule

Jan 5–Karin Cockram

To volunteer contact Gail or the Church office.

Ways to Give

We appreciate your faithful giving. Offerings can be: •dropped off mailed to the church; sent to the church through your bank • using PayPal or Tithely <u>https://www.westfieldnyumc.org/donate/</u>

Weekly

Food Pantry – Tuesday 1 – 2:30 Worship - Sunday 9 am Adult Sunday School – 10:15 Apple Seed - 9-11:30 (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday)

Looking Ahead

January 5, 2025 – Karin Cockram Kenya Trip during Coffee Hour January 19 – Brunch

Jan/Feb *The Upper Room* is now available

Karin's Kenya Mission Trip Information has been moved to Jan 5. There are items in Fellowship hall available for purchase. All funds will be donated to Karin's trip.

Prayers, Praises and Thanks

Let us pray for:

The people of this congregation... Those who suffer and those in trouble... The concerns of this local community... The world, its peoples, and its leaders... The church universal – its leaders, its members, and the communion of saints...

Looking ahead – we will be offering First Aid & CPR training for the congregation. If you are interested (\$5 for each class and each class is 3 hours), please sign up on the sheet outside the office door.