

# Hilton United Methodist Church

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent - February 18, 2018 at 10:00 am

## We Gather to Worship

Prelude *Mrs. Christy Sadecki*

Call to Worship *Rev. Jennifer Green*

\* Hymn: "Holy Ground" TFWS # 2272

\* Unison Prayer *Sam Emerson, Lay Liturgist*  
As we begin the season of Lent, O God, we seek to more faithfully follow the Jesus revealed in the Scriptures and to truly know him. Strip away our conceptions of a benign Savior. Make us aware in new ways that the journey with Jesus leads to a cross. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

## Experiencing God Through God's Word

\* Gospel Lesson: John 14:1-7 p 763 lp 1675  
L: This is the Word of God for the people of God  
P: Thanks be to God.

The Word for Children  
*Children ages 6-12 may now be dismissed for Youth Worship in the Youth Room*

Choral Anthem: "Seek Ye the Lord"

Message: "Renegade Gospel: Discovering the Rebel Jesus" Rev. Jennifer Green  
Based on the book *Renegade Gospel* by Mike Slaughter

## We Respond to God's Word

\* Hymn: "To God be the Glory" UMH # 98

Receive into Membership The Striemer Family

Prayers of the People  
Silent Prayer and Personal Confession  
Pastoral Prayer

Giving to God  
Offering our Tithes and Gifts  
Offertory

\* The Doxology *Praise God throughout these forty days  
Praise Christ, our Lord, whom God did raise.  
And praise the Spirit who imparts  
God's love in Christ into our hearts. Amen*

\* Prayer of Thanksgiving

## We Go Forth to Serve God

\* Hymn: "Open the Eyes of My Heart" W&S # 3008

Ministry Opportunities

The Benediction

Postlude

\* Stand in body or spirit; P = Bible page number, LP = Large Print Bible page;  
TFWS # = The Faith We Sing Hymnal (black); W&S # = Worship & Song Hymnal (green);  
UMH # = The United Methodist Hymnal (purple). **Bold** type = everyone responds

## PRAYER CONCERNS:

**Our Mission Outreach Children:** Marbelly and Ariel Velasquez Alvarado (Chacocente Christian School in Managua, Nicaragua)

**Residents of Care Facilities:** Ron Davies (Beikirch); Gloria Hamm (Hilton East); Eleanor Harrington (Unity Cottages); Betty Schultz (Unity Cottages).

**Ongoing Health Concerns:** Allan Blossom; Betty Bridenbaugh; Alea Floyd; Pat Green; Andrew Hardy & Family; Nancy Murphy; Michele List; Wayne Miller; Anna Ponton & Family; Dan Rickman; Lauren Slagle; Linda Smith; Dave Walton; Chris Wanjon; Roxanne Zambito.

**Service people:** Sgt. Michael T. Bigley; GYSgt. Jason Brackley; Sgt. FC David Colucci; Airman Scott Eveleigh; Spc Alex Joss-Forbes; Capt Scott Fuller; Cpl. Adam Gaines; Sgt. Matthew Gaines; Sgt. Annika Moody; LtC. Jathan Payne; Spc Ron Rafferty; Maj Nathan Thompson; Sr Airman Steven Trembley; Sgt. Cody Wise.

\* People are added and removed from our ongoing prayer list upon request. Please contact the church office to Add, Reinstate or Remove names.

**Welcome to worship.** We pray you feel God's presence in this place.

- If you need hearing assistance, please see an usher for a hearing device.
- Please sign the attendance pad so we may get to know you and pray for you and your family.
- Following worship, please consider joining us for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall, which is located down the stairs near the entrances

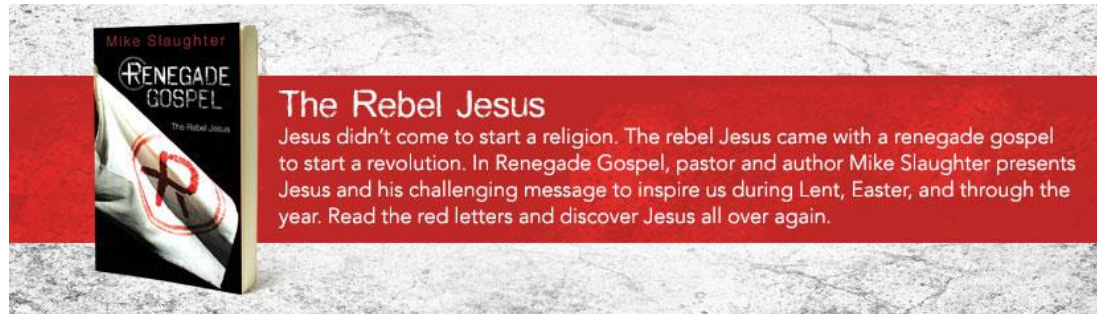
#### Staff at HUMC

Pastor: Rev. Jennifer Green  
Office Mngr: Patricia Van Vleck  
Music Director: Christy Sadecki  
Youth Coord.: Joe Neri  
Nursery: Amy Quartieri  
Custodian: Bill Schubert

#### Disciples Active in Worship This Week

Head Usher: Jim Lee  
Greeters: Sue Sutherland  
Guides: Sharon Kron & Sparky Hess  
Nursery Ass't: Chiara Neri  
Coffeeshour: Chris & Lisa Striemer  
Soundbooth:  
Worship Coord.: Scott Campbell  
Financial Sec.: Sally Lee

### Lenten Study



Pastor Jennifer will be focusing on this concept of The Renegade Gospel in worship during Lent. The book will also be studied in Adult Sunday School at 11:30am in the Multi-Purpose Room, Thursday Bible Study at 1:00pm in the 2 South Conference Room and in some of our Small Groups. Please ask Pastor if you have questions. Books available in the Narthex/Lobby.

# RENEGADE

### **Definition of RENEGADE**

- 1: a deserter from one faith, cause, or allegiance to another
- 2: an individual who rejects lawful or conventional behavior

**February 18, 2018**

**Hilton United Methodist Church**

***Our Mission: "Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world"***

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## This Week:

Today: **Worship @ 10am**  
Coffee hour and fellowship time in the Fellowship Hall downstairs  
Disciple Bible Study - 11:30 am 2 South  
Adult Sunday School – 11:30am Multipurpose Room  
**Griefshare 6pm – 2 South**

Monday: Office Closed in Observation of Presidents Day  
Prayer Group at 9:15am - 2 South  
**Chums Luncheon** gather 11:30am Lunch 12:00pm  
**Men's Group** – 7:00pm Multipurpose Room

Tuesday: **Finance 7:00pm Library**

Wednesday: Friendly Quilters - 9am Fellowship Hall  
**Lenten Lunch 12:00pm St George's Episcopal Church**  
Choir Rehearsal – 7:00pm

Thursday: Bible Study 1pm – 2 South – “Renegade Gospel” Chapter Two  
**NO** Lighthouse Youth Group this Week

Friday: AA – FH 7pm

Saturday: Pilates & Yoga 8:30am 2 South

Sunday: **Worship @ 10am** “Renegade Gospel” Chapter Two  
Coffee hour and fellowship time  
Disciple Bible Study – 11:30 am 2 South  
Adult Sunday School – 11:30 am MPR “Renegade Gospel” Chapter Two  
Grief Share 6:00pm – 2 South

**CHUMS is Monday.** All are welcome, callers have been reaching out to those on our list. Soup and sandwich is on the menu, please remember to bring the appropriate table service.

## **MEN'S WORSHIP AND WORK MORNING**

**MARCH 24, 2018: 8 am to 12**

**Camp Asbury United Methodist Retreat Center, Silver Lake, Perry NY**

**Bring your sons, grandsons and friends for a great service time**

**Lunch Provided by Camp for a suggested Donation of \$10**

**Young Men Under 18 free.**

**Worship by Pastor Steve McKnight**

**Hosted By GV District United Methodist Men Contact George Sanford:**

**[GeneseeDistrict@unyumm.org](mailto:GeneseeDistrict@unyumm.org) to register by March 15 2018**

## **Lenten Luncheons 2018**

Each Wednesday in Lent: February 21<sup>st</sup> to March 21<sup>st</sup>

12:00 pm – Noon

At St. George's Episcopal Church

635 Wilder Road Hilton



Following lunch, area pastors will be taking turns weekly to talk about their denomination's theological beliefs.

## **GriefShare Group is Starting!**

**Sundays starting TODAY February 18<sup>th</sup> - 6:00 p.m.**

Church 2<sup>nd</sup> floor conference room – 2 South

**Open to ALL (The community is invited!!)**

Liz Gliszczynski and Larry Britt will be facilitating a new GriefShare group on Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m. starting February 18<sup>th</sup>. This group will meet weekly for 13 weeks. Please call or email the church office with your intention to attend. Also, you may join the group at any time throughout the session. Please feel free to join us and bring a friend.



It's the time of year again for **LENTEN BASKETS!** Please consider donating a themed basket to be silently auctioned off throughout the Lenten season as a fundraiser for Project Chacocente. Currently we sponsor the education of a brother and sister in Nicaragua at a cost of \$720/ yr. If you don't chose to donate a basket, consider writing a check with “Project Chacocente” in the memo line. More information can be found at [www.outofthedump.org](http://www.outofthedump.org)  
**ALL BASKET DONATIONS DUE BY FEB 15<sup>TH</sup> AND CAN BE DROPPED OFF IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.**

## Upcoming Opportunity

The Lycoming College Tour Choir is coming to Hilton UMC for a concert and to share their talent in worship on **Saturday March 10<sup>th</sup> and Sunday March 11<sup>th</sup>**.

Lycoming College is located in Williamsport, PA and is a small private liberal arts school of about 1,400 students. The Tour Choir has perviously performed around the world in the UK, Germany, China, and at the White House. Pastor Jennifer is an alumni of Lycoming College and the Tour Choir. The choir has 10 male and 15 female students.

They will be arriving Saturday afternoon to rehearse in our sanctuary and we will be responsible for feeding them dinner. They will give a concert at 7pm and then go to host homes for the night. They will return on Sunday to share with us in worship.

We are looking for congregation members who are willing to take at least 2 students (we will not place just one student in a home) for the evening of the 10<sup>th</sup>. Please take note it is Daylight Savings Time that night. You will be responsible for transporting and entertaining students for the evening after the concert, providing them with a snack and feeding them breakfast the next morning. If you are willing to take at least 2 students please respond to [pastor@humcny.org](mailto:pastor@humcny.org) with the following:

- Name(s) (If you are a couple, but only one of you are home that weekend, please indicate this)
- Address
- Phone Number(s)
- The number of students you are willing to take
- The number of beds/sizes of beds
- If you have animals and how many (for allergy concerns)

We look forward to an amazing weekend of hosting the Lycoming College Tour Choir.

Blessings,  
Pastor Jennifer

## Safe Sanctuary Compliance needed for Junior Church and Lighthouse Youth Group

The Staff Pastoral-Parish Relations Committee (SPPRC) is requesting volunteers from the women of our church to chaperone Junior Church on Sundays 10:00am – 11:00am and the Lighthouse group on Thursday evenings 6:30pm - 8:00pm. Safe Sanctuary Policy requires two adults over the age of 18 and at least 5 years older than the oldest youth in the group. Our Youth Director, Joe Neri is leading these groups of both male and female youth and we judge a women is needed as the second adult. We currently have temporary solutions for this policy requirement but need to put in place a permanent solution.

The requirement would be eight adult women per month. All volunteers would need a background check. This check requires filling out 2 forms you can get from the wall file outside the office on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, or from our Office Manager Pat Van Vleck. You must also familiarize yourself with the Safe Sanctuary Policy. This policy if also available in the hall file or you can request the policy from Pat.

If we all pull together the impact on each of us is very small. If we can't comply with Safe Sanctuary the impact is huge as we will have to shut down our Junior Church and the Lighthouse group.

To get started we will be sending out two separate Sign-Up Genius requests for March. One for Junior Church and One for Lighthouse.

We pray the Holy Spirit finds you generous, so we can continue the spiritual nurturing of our youth.

If you have any questions please see Carol DeNeve or email to [cdeneve1@rochester.rr.com](mailto:cdeneve1@rochester.rr.com).

Blessings to All,  
SPPRC

Hilton United Methodist Church  
Nurture Activities 2018

March 3	4-7 pm	Beach Party & Ice Cream Social Come in beach clothes and bring picnic food for sharing Need sandbox & badminton net & some help setting up
April 14	6:30pm	Game Night following Sharing Supper Bring your favorite game
April 29	8:30 am	Sharing Breakfast Sign up for a balanced meal
May		
June		
July 21		Playground Patrol
August TBA		Annual Church Picnic & rock painting Need volunteers to plan
Sept 23	2 PM	Hayride at Zarpentine's Cider & Donuts
Oct 28	2 PM	Halloween Party Come in costume
Nov 18	8:30 AM	Thanksgiving Breakfast Sign up for a balanced meal
Dec 15	3 to 5 PM	Christmas Caroling
Jan 5		New Year's Party