

Hilton United Methodist Church
Last Sunday after Pentecost, November 22, 2015, 10:00 am

We Gather to Worship

Prelude

Call to Worship

Rev. Jennifer Green, Pastor

Choral Introit:

“All Hail King Jesus”

Dave Moody

* Opening Prayer

Ken Fuller, Lay Liturgist

L: O God, We gather together in Your presence with expectation,

P: **hungry for an encounter with You, eager to hear Your Word.**

L: Open our eyes and ears to the presence of Your Holy Spirit.
May the seeds of Your Word scattered among us this morning
fall on fertile soil.

P: **May they take root in our hearts and lives,
and produce an abundant harvest of good words and deeds.**

L: We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ, our teacher and our Lord.

All: Amen.

We Hear God's Word

* Hymn: “Lord, You Give the Great Commission” UMH # 584

* Gospel Lesson: Matthew 28: 19-20 p 706 lp 1550

The Word for Little Disciples

Children ages 6-12 may now be dismissed for Jr. Church

Choir Anthem: “Look at the World” John Rutter

* Gospel Lesson: Matthew 13:1-23 p 690 lp 1516

Message: “Where Are You on The Path?” Rev. Jennifer Green
Outreach

We Respond to God's Word

* Hymn: “You Are the Seed” UMH #583

Prayers of the People

Silent Prayer and Personal Confession

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name,
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we
forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil;
for Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

God, I thank you for
God, I need help with

Giving to God

Offering our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

* The Doxology #94

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

We Go Forth to Serve God

* Hymn: “Go Forth for God” UMH # 670

Ministry Opportunities

The Benediction

Benediction Response: “Sent Out in Jesus' Name” TFWS #2184
Congregation please join

Postlude

* Stand in body or spirit P = Bible page number, LP = Large Print Bible page
TFWS # = The Faith We Sing Hymnal; UMH # or # = The United Methodist Hymnal

Welcome to worship. We pray you feel God's presence in this place. Please sign the attendance pad so we may get to know you and pray for you and your family.

Please consider joining us for refreshments and fellowship immediately following worship in the Multi-Purpose Room, or the couch area, just off the sanctuary.

Talk-back time: Grab your coffee and snack and join us back in the sanctuary to have a discussion with Pastor Jennifer about today's message. We hope to answer any questions that you may have.

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Persecuted Christians around the world;

The Hand to Plow Process;

Our Mission Outreach Children: Marbelly and Ariel Velasquez Alvarado.

Residents of Care Facilities: John Bean; Bob Hall; Gloria Hamm; Eleanor Harrington; Marie Nundy, Betty Schultz.

Ongoing Health Concerns: Kay Britt, Bob Comstock; Ron Davies; Ed Earnhart; Betty Everts; Alea Floyd; Andrew Hardy; Margaret Hendershot; Bill Hess; Michele List; Anna Ponton; Mike Postilli; Meg Shubert; John Sweeney; Nicole & Nicholas Sypel; Natalie Turner; Chris Wanjon; Sgt. Cody Wise; Ethel Wyant.

Service people: Sgt. Michael T. Bigley; Gen. James Blackburn; St. Sgt. Jason Brackley; Sgt. Ryan P. Campbell; LCpl. Nathan Coffey; Sgt. FC David Colucci; Msgr. Matthew Emerson; Capt Scott Fuller; Pvt Annika Moody; Sgt. Nick Mucci; Maj. Jathan Payne; LCpl Scott Ponton; Maj Nathan Thompson; AIC Steven Trembley; Sgt. Cody Wise.

* If you know of anyone that should be added to this list please let us know.

The Grand Sweep - Our Grand Sweep adventure of reading through the Bible continues.

This Week's Reading (Week #32) : Jeremiah 37-Lamentations 5 and Psalm 114 & 115

Photo Directory

Last Call for having your photo taken for the new church directory is tomorrow, Monday, November 23rd. You may sign up: online through a link on our website www.humcny.org; or call the church office at 392-8761

Staff at HUMC

Pastor: Rev. Jennifer Green
Office Mngr: Patricia Van Vleck
Music Coord.: Karen Bernhardt Kuntz
Custodian: Bill Schubert
Organist: Hye-Bin Song
Youth Coord.: Angela Merrill
Nursery: Amy Quartieri

Disciples Active In Worship This Week

Head Usher: Pat Holenbeck
Greeter: Ken & Nancy Manning
Guide: Kathy Blackburn
Nursery Ass't: Madison Grover
Sound Booth: Pat Holenbeck
Coffeeshour: Alea Floyd & Beth Mucci
Worship Coord.: Scott Campbell
Financial Sec.: Sally Lee
Ministers: The Whole Congregation

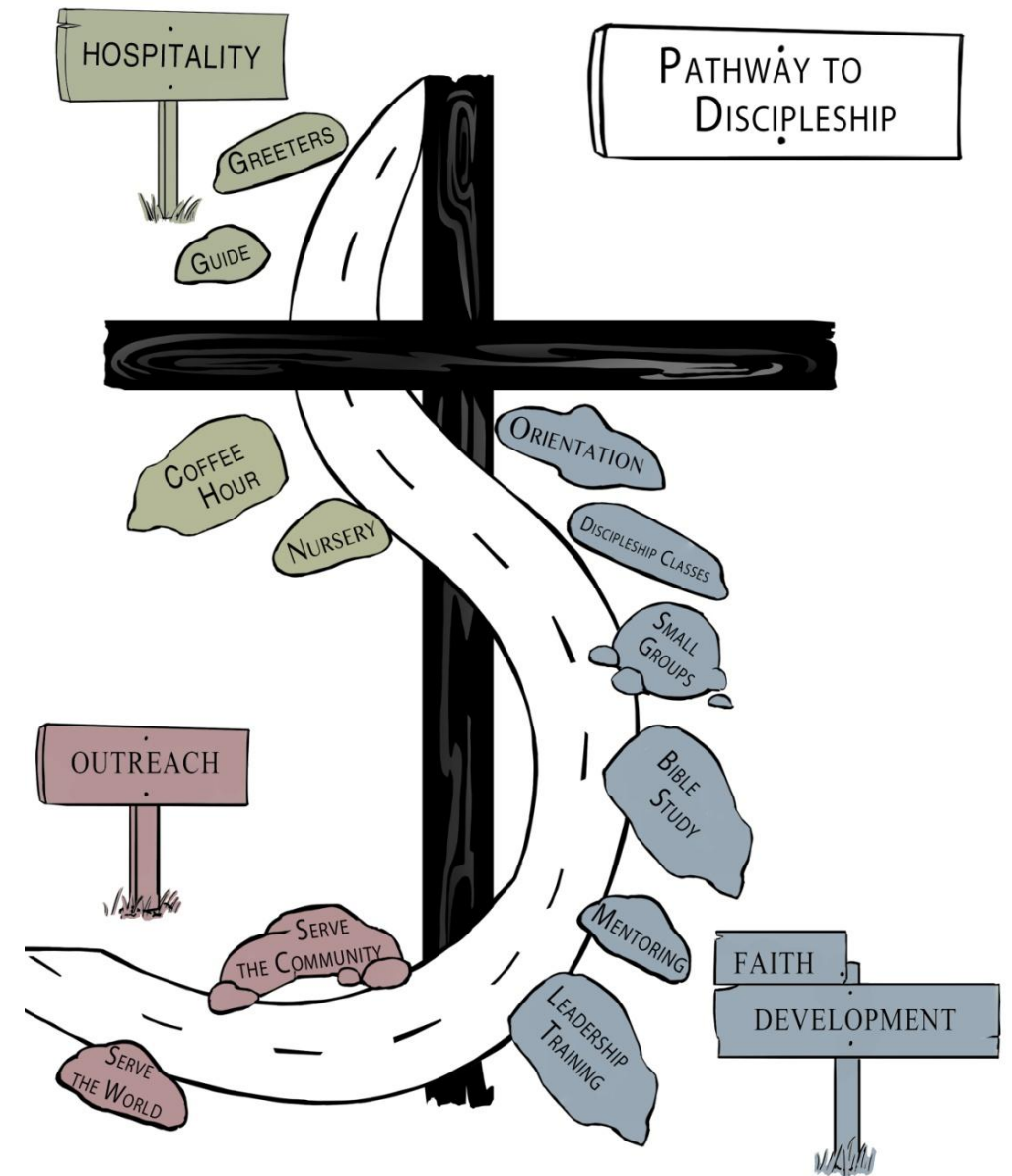
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Following Christ ☆ Connecting Generations ☆ Transforming Communities

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

This Week: Today: Worship at 10:00
Coffee & Fellowship in the Multipurpose Room
Talk back time – Sanctuary
Adult Sunday School following Talk back time

Monday: Prayer Group @ 9:15am
GS #889 – CR 6:30p
LifeTouch Photo Session – FH 2-9pm

Tuesday: GS #939 – FH 6p

Wednesday: GS #189 6:30 - CR
NO Choir Rehearsal This Week

Thursday: Happy Thanksgiving
Thurs/Fri Church Office Closed

Friday: AA – FH 7p

Saturday: PCF Worship – Sanctuary 5:00pm

Sunday: **First Sunday of Advent**
PCF Worship – Sanctuary 8:30am
Worship @ 10am
Fellowship & Coffeehour
Talk back time
Sunday School

Small groups

Leaders	Group Activity	Meeting Times
Jim Butts & Wayne Miller	“Who is this Man who says He’s God”	Every other Thursday, evening
Lois DeWitt	Prayer Shawl Ministry	1 st & 3 rd Tuesday, Noon
Carol DeNeve & Sue Emerson		
Ed Earnhart		
Marj Earnhart	Friendship Circle	2 nd Tuesday 7:30pm
Rev Jennifer Green	Bible Study	Thursdays at 1:00pm
Rev Jennifer Green	“Christ-Centered Woman”	1 st Thursday 7-8pm
Dan & Pat Van Vleck	Marriage	Friday evening TBD
Jim Lee	“Three Simple Rules”	1 st & 3 rd Sunday
Harriet Zunno		

***Service of the “Longest Night”
Sunday December 20, 2015
6:00 p.m.
Refreshments to follow***

Peggy’s recital

You are invited to **A Solo Vocal Recital** our very own Margaret (Peggy) Page Colucci Sunday, November 22, 2015 today at 4:00 at Elmgrove United Methodist Church (1500 Spencerport Rd. Rochester) Free. Reception to follow.

Mark you Calendars:

- * Decorating for Advent and Christmas – Saturday, December 5th 10:00am
- * Village Tree Lighting – December 5th 6:30pm Gazebo
- * Cookie Exchange – Tuesday, December 8th at 7:00pm
- * SLAM & Jr – Friday December 11th 5:30-7:30pm
- * Pancake Breakfast – Sunday, December 13th 8:30am
- * Christmas Caroling – Saturday, December 19th 3:00pm
- * Sharing Suppers – Saturday, December 19th 5:00-6:30pm
- * Service of the “Longest Night” Sunday, December 20th 6:00pm
- * Chums Christmas – Monday, December 21st 12:00pm
- * Christmas Eve Service – Thursday, December 24th 7:00pm

For many the seasons of Advent and Christmas are often filled with expressions of joy, excitement, and happiness. It’s a time for family to gather and for churches to worship pointing to the hope that is found in the coming of the Christ child. However, this time of joy and expectation can often overshadow the pain and hurt many experience during this season.

The Service of the Longest Night is scheduled around the winter solstice (the longest night of the calendar year). We will light candles and the Advent Wreath, sing Advent hymns, prayer together, and celebrate Holy Communion.

We will take time from the hustle and bustle of other Christmas rituals, parties, and obligations to offer a witness to those who are struggling in our community. It’s a witness to them that the Christ child comes as a sign of hope in the face of despair. And it’s a witness that this church is intentional about upholding members of the community in whatever season of life they may find themselves in.

Whether you have said goodbye to a loved one this year or ten years ago, experienced divorce, miscarriage, empty nest, this service is appropriate for you! Perhaps you are not currently grieving, but you are willing to worship and pray in solidarity for those who do. This service is for you!