

Hilton United Methodist Church
18th Sunday after Pentecost, September 27, 2015, 10:00 am

We Gather to Worship

Prelude

Call to Worship Rev. Jennifer Green

Choral Introit: "You Are My Hiding Place" Michael Ledner

Opening Prayer Nancy Young, Lay Liturgist
O God, our guide and help in alien and contentious places: as Esther prayed faithfully and worked courageously for the deliverance of your people, strengthen us to confront the oppressor and free the oppressed, so that all people may know the justice and unity of your realm. Amen.

We Hear God's Word

* Hymn: "O God Our Help in Ages Past" UMH #117

* The Gospel Lesson: Mark 9:38-50 p 715 lp 1569

The Word for Little Disciples
Children ages 6-12 may now be dismissed for Jr. Church

Choir Anthem: "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" Lani Smith

The Old Testament Lesson: Esther 4:1-14 p 356 lp 780

Message: Rev. Jennifer Green

We Respond to God's Word

* Hymn: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" UMH #140

Prayers of the People
Silent Prayer and Personal Confession

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

Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Your name,
Your Kingdom come, Your 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

Reception of New Members UMH pg 33

Giving to God
Offering our Tithes and Gifts
Offertory

* The Doxology #94 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
* Prayer of Thanksgiving

We Go Forth to Serve God

* Hymn: "God of Grace and God of Glory" TFWS #577

Ministry Opportunities

The Benediction

Benediction Response: "Make Me a Servant" TFWS# 2176
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

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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 Fellowship Hall, which is located down the stairs near the entrances.

**The Grand Sweep** - Our Grand Sweep adventure of reading through the Bible continues. Sunday School will be meeting at 11:30am in the Multipurpose Room today to discuss this past week's readings. There is also a group that meets at 1:00pm on Thursdays in the church library that you are welcome to join.

**This Week's Reading (Week #24) : Esther 7 – Job 18 and Psalm 98**

**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; Gloria Hamm; Eleanor Harrington; Marie Nundy, Betty Schultz; Ethel Wyant.

**Ongoing Health Concerns:** Kay Britt, Bob Comstock; Ron Davies; Ed Earnhart; Betty Everts; Alea Floyd; Margaret Hendershot; Bill Hess; Michele List; Anna Ponton; Mike Postilli; Meg Shubert; John Sweeney; Chris Wanjon.

**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; Cpl 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.

**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: Will Rickman  
 Greeter: Deb Ortiz-Pardi & Sue Sutherland  
 Coffee Hour: Scott Campbell & Nancy Young  
 Sound Booth: Bob Comstock  
 Worship Coord.: Scott Campbell  
 Nursery Ass't: Alex Pardi  
 Financial Sec.: Sally Lee  
 Ministers: The Whole Congregation

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| <b>This Week:</b> |                                                                                                 |
| Monday:           | Prayer Group @ 9:15am                                                                           |
| Wednesday:        | PCF Family Night – FH 6pm<br>GS #189 – Craft Room 6:30-8pm                                      |
| Thursday:         | Choir Rehearsal at 7pm<br>Christ Centered Woman<br>Small Group at Pastor<br>Jennifer's 7-8:30pm |
| Friday:           | AA – FH 6pm                                                                                     |
| Sat & Sun:        | Apple Fest                                                                                      |
| Saturday:         | PCF Worship – Sanctuary<br>8:30am                                                               |
| Sunday:           | Worship @ 10am<br>Sunday School at 11:30am                                                      |



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

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*Following Christ ☆ Connecting Generations ☆ Transforming Communities*

**The Christ-Centered Woman: Finding Balance in a World of Extremes** A Small Group study for women First Thursday of the month starting October 1<sup>st</sup> to May 5<sup>th</sup>; 7 -8:30 p.m. 10 Rolling Meadow Dr. N Hilton, N.Y. Please e-mail or call the church office to order your copy of the participant book by Sunday September 20<sup>th</sup>. Copies of the book will cost about \$15.

Jim Lee is beginning a **new small group**. We will be meeting on the First and Third Sundays at 7 PM. We will be using the book "Three Simple Rules for Christian Living". If you would like to join us please contact Jim at 392-8275 or the Church office at 392-8761.

### **Sharing Suppers**

Thank you for those that volunteered at the last Sharing Supper...they kept coming and we kept serving. It was a great night 63 people were served and everyone did an awesome job. From table setters to resetting tables, servers and the cleanup I can't thank you enough. You are what keeps this mission going.

Blessings, Linda

### **Apple Fest is Next Weekend October 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>**

We need help after church today rolling out and baking the cookies.

Help needed staffing the booth next weekend.

Work Schedule: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0d48aaa629a57-apple2>

See Angie Merrill for more information [youth@humcny.org](mailto:youth@humcny.org) or visit Signup Genius online to volunteer to help:

We will **NOT** be doing a **food booth** at the Apple Fest Auto Show this year.

Save the Date: **What's NEXT in the Hand to Plow Process?**

ALL Church Retreat

**Saturday October 24<sup>th</sup> 9am – 4pm**

Morning snacks and Lunch included

Come have input in what is next. Get involved.

**You've been asking for it.**

Now it's coming and we need your help!

## **A new Photo Directory for the Church**

**Life Touch Photography**

Will be here on

Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup>

Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>

Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup>

You may sign up:

- online through a link on our website [www.humcny.org](http://www.humcny.org)
- on Sunday morning there will be someone to help you in the Narthex
- or call the church office at 392-8761

We need your participation to make this a success. No purchase is required! If you come and have your photo taken, you will receive one 8x10, be included in the new church directory, and receive a copy of the directory just for coming to have your photo taken.

Any additional purchases are totally up to you. Life Touch plans to have all additional photos delivered to you before Christmas, so you may use them as a gift if you wish.

If you are interested in helping host on the photo days, or willing to help make a few calls, please contact Will Rickman at 392-9784 or [wcdric@frontiernet.net](mailto:wcdric@frontiernet.net).