

The Mid-Week Messenger
Jonesville United Methodist Church
September 6, 2017

“Again, I truly tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.” (Matthew 18:19-20)

“If anyone in the church sins against you, what would you do?” This might be the question Jesus might have raised to his disciples when they were about to take the leadership of the early church. What would be your answer to the question? Jesus suggested a one-on-one dialogue, a group exhortation, and then a discipline from the church. Then he said, “If the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector.” What did he mean by that? Did he mean to ignore such a person or cut him or her off from the community? If not, what do you think he meant by that? Wasn’t Jesus called as a friend of Gentiles and tax collectors?

Come and join us at Jonesville UMC and let us think about it together.

– Youngjae Jee –

Sad News in our Church Family

Harold Perkins, a long time faithful member, passed away on Monday morning. This Thursday there will be calling hours from 5 . 8pm at the Gordon C. Emerick Funeral Home, 1550 Route 9, Clifton Park. The funeral service will be held at 11:30am on Friday morning at church with a reception following in Fellowship Hall. Interment with full military honors will be on Tuesday, September 12 at 12:30pm in Saratoga National Cemetery. Please keep the Fedorchak family in your thoughts and prayers. If you would like to help with the reception . setting up, cleaning up and/or making something . side dishes, brownies, cookies - please call the church.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost Church and Worship Experience

8:30am	Worship with Communion
10:30am	Worship with Children’s Moment . Heather Brown First day of Sunday School for pre-k through 5 th grade
Music	Chancel Choir
Scripture Lesson	Matthew 18:15-20
Sermon	<i>If They Refuse to Listen</i>

Join Us in our Methodist Community

SUNDAY IN WORSHIP

Worship Leader	Kat Schwencke
Greeter	Pat Hatlee
Ushers	(8:30) Linda Stewart
	(10:30) Jeff & Julie Hecht, Richard & Piret Kelly
Sound	Dan Moran
Image Team	Kat Schwencke
Nursery	Sheryl Manning
Children's moment	Heather Brown
Offering Counters	Pat Hatlee, Deb Devenpeck
Financial Assistant	Steve Skinner
Coffee	(8:30) Alice Vautrin
	(10:30) Patty & Dave Blackman, Carol Bates
Communion	(8:30) Mary Beth Dopp
Acolyte	Connor Cooper

Weekly Calendar

Today:	8:30 am	Worship Service
	10:30 am	Worship Service with Sunday School Pre-k . 5 th Gr.
	11:45 am	Education . Open House
	11:45 am	Worship Team
	12:00 pm	SH MYF returns
Mon:	9 . 2:00 pm	Office Hours
	1:00 pm	AA
Tues:	6:00 pm	Potluck Supper
	7:00 pm	Islamic Guest Speaker
Wed:	12:30 pm	AA
	3:00 pm	Food Pantry
	7:00 pm	Chancel Bells
	8:00 pm	Chancel Choir
Thurs:	9:00 am	Men's Group
	10:15 am	Al-Anon
Fri:	8:30 am	Food Pantry
	10:00 am	AA
	8:00 pm	AA
Sat:	9:00 pm	AA
Sun:	8:30 am	Worship Service
	9 . 10:00am	Church Breakfast
	9:30 am	Adult Study
	10:30 am	Worship Service with Sunday School Pre-k . SH
	12:00 pm	MS & SH MYF - Alpine Slide

The "**Young Adult Discussion Group**" will resume meeting this Thursday, September 7th, at 7:00pm at the Hendrickson's home ; 20 Coventry Dr. , Clifton Park, NY. We will rotate days of the week and meeting times to accommodate busy schedules and optimize opportunity to attend. Topic can be found on the Rock City Church archives - "When God Doesn't Make Sense". Regulars and first timers, college age, Millennials and slightly beyond are welcome. Contact Paul Hendrickson for details.

Calling all 3rd Graders

In September, all 3rd graders will be receiving Bibles. Please signup in Fellowship Hall and print your child's name as you would like it to appear in the Bible.



More About Islam this Tues. Sept. 12th

UMW invites **ALL** to a potluck & presentation. Come for dinner at 6:00pm or join us at 7:00pm to meet our guest speaker Fazana Saleem-Ismail.



Sign up for the **Church Picnic** Sunday, October 1st - Fellowship Hall

2017 Hurricane Harvey Disaster Relief Fund

Bishop Mark J Webb is asking us to keep the people of the greater Houston area in our prayers and to allow God to make us part of the answer to these prayers. Our church will be collecting for this fund during the month of September. Please give generously and make your checks out to Jonesville UMC with Hurricane Harvey in the memo line.