

## Ongoing Ministries' Information ~

- ♥ **KIDSChurch:**  
For all those interested in Children's Ministry: Opportunities to serve by units and curriculum for winter/spring 2017 and beyond are available. Your prayerful support for God's guidance in for our ministry is greatly appreciated. Contact: 585-265-9720 or Pastor Wendy McVeigh (YP@umcwebster.org)
- ♥ **The Faith-in-Action Team:** We schedule monthly project ideas but we're always ready and willing to hear what you have to say! We want to know...how we can help?!"
- ♥ **Stephen Ministry (God's Love in Action):**  
Are you a good listener? Are you passionate about supporting others during difficult times? The Stephen Ministry may be for you. We are seeking people passionate about sharing the love of Jesus Christ for our 2015/16 class. If it sounds interesting and you would like to learn more, please stop by and see **Jay Baker** after the church service, or call him at 585-309-6656.
- ♥ **Card Ministry:**  
In the Café / Kid's Corner - there are homemade greeting cards available to take and send to those who need: an encouraging word, sympathy, Birthday greetings, a ray of sunshine, etc. (on the shelf by the windows). We do ask for a donation for each card you take...to help the ministry continue (please put donation in the small box near the cards).
- ♥ **Flowers for the Altar:**  
This is a great way to remember someone special in your life/or recognize someone special. Our flowers come from Kittelberger's. You may fill out an order form in the "Flower Book" - located by prayer box; regular arrangement: \$20.
- ♥ **Little Bears for Prayers:**  
The Prayer team has toy bears that have been prayed over and are available for anyone to take—for someone that you know could use a symbolic token that they are being prayed for. (i.e. someone who is homebound, sick in the hospital or at home, or lost a job ...you get the idea). The bears/animals are clean and in plastic bags (to keep them clean). They are located in the Communication Center, on the table by the windows. There is no cost to anyone ~We ask that you fill out the info on the sign-up sheet when you take a bear—it helps so that we don't have duplicate deliveries. Questions: contact Lois Miller- 585-385-0847. We are FULL - please do not donate any more stuffed animals at this time.
- ♥ **Prayer Concerns:**  
Do you have a joy or concern you wish to share? Submit prayer request to church office to be sent to prayer team & Pastors (for print in bulletin - by Friday, 10:00 AM of each week). **Anytime:** prayer concerns may be left in Prayer Box, outside of the sanctuary, or outside of office - for prayer team and pastors, or email to: [prayers@umcwebster.org](mailto:prayers@umcwebster.org).
- ♥ **Tutoring Outreach at Phillips Village:**  
We tutor on **Tuesdays**, (6:00 - 7:30 pm), during the school year. If you would like to be part of this ministry and help a great group of students with homework, reading, math, etc. or would like more info - call Linda Starsmore (585-872-3193) We meet each Tuesday at Phillips Village Community Center; during the school year.
- ♥ **Transportation Ministry:**  
A ministry to provide transportation to those who can't drive (not limited to senior adults) - needing a variety of appointments (i.e. Medical, pharmacy, legal, chemo, etc). We always need more volunteer drivers (training providing), mileage reimbursement available. To schedule a ride: call at least 4 business days ahead of your ride date.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED at EMBRACING OPTIONS ~ (35 Curtice Park ~ next to this church)

We are looking for volunteers to start a "Mom's Group" to offer programs and support to moms after they have their babies. If you are an experienced mother or just have a heart to help new moms, call us at 585-545-4690

### Project Chacocente

Please go to the website at [www.outofthedump.org](http://www.outofthedump.org) for more information about the project and suggestions for giving or contact Mary Beth Kelley at [helpchildoutofthedump@hotmail.com](mailto:helpchildoutofthedump@hotmail.com) or 585-265-0097.

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### Heads up - price increase for Altar Flowers.

We received news this week from Kittelberger's Florist that they have to pass on a price increase to us (after 20+ years of holding our flower arrangements at \$20). The minimum price of any arrangement is now \$35.00 (includes delivery to us); as of March 1, 2018. As always, fill out your orders in our flower book.

### UMC Summer Camps Registration has begun

The Upper New York Camp & Retreat Ministry Area is excited to share our 2018 summer camp and retreat programs with you! Discover five awesome sites with over 200 programs. Summer Camp provides endless laughter, meaningful worship, and important friendships. Retreats provide a unique experience in a beautiful setting. Click: <http://campsandretreats.org/summer-camp-2018> to discover the best program for you or your child based on age, interests, and sites.



### Kids' Camp

Wed. Feb. 21 and Thurs. Feb. 22

9:00 AM -12:00 PM

United Methodist Church of Webster

Kids in Pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade, come join the fun!  
Enjoy lively music, games, snacks, crafts, and lessons from God's Word.  
Wear play clothes -- the fun hands-on activities might get a little messy.



Registration forms at [www.umcwebster.org](http://www.umcwebster.org)  
No cost to attend. Bring a friend.

### Sign-up for Family Dinner - on Wednesdays

We do ask the folks sign-up for the dinner each week - so that we know how much food to cook!  
**February 21 menu: Chicken and Couscous, Salad & Dessert.** Sign-up sheet is in Heritage Hall (just outside of the sanctuary), near coffee hour table. Classes and Family Dinners continuing this Wednesday. See the complete brochure for all the information.

### Year-end Giving Statements for 2017

#### Are ready for you to pick-up!

Everyone may pick-up your own year-end giving statement - on the table outside the sanctuary (nearest the coffee pots). It helps our finances to have you pick these up.



### Winter Family Fun Day Potluck Dinner



Feb 23, at 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

What: Potluck Dinner - everyone (all ages) is invited!



Where: "The Lodge" Cabin in Webster Park (Holt Road entrance) - very accessible, heated cabin - but bring a sweater.

Sign-up - to attend, and indicate what dish you'll bring to pass. Yes, you may bring a friend - be sure to sign them up too! Sign-up sheet is outside the sanctuary- on the table.

- Note - 3:00 pm, youth group will be sledding in Webster Park. Contact Pastor Wendy for details.

There'll be a fire in the fireplace, games to play, great fun together!



## JOYS, PRAYERS & CONCERNS

### FAMILIES LIFTED IN PRAYER THIS WEEK:

Joyce O'Connor / O'Connor Family (Rebecca, Ryan, Mikaela) / Olson Family (Dave, Bobbi) / Patric Family (Ryan, Courtney, Emma, Josh) / Pegelow Family (Don, Nancy) / Perry Family (John, Betsy) / Perry Family (Matthew, Samantha, Kameron Decker).

### PRAYERS OF COMFORT FOR:

✚ Donna Thomas and Family as they grieve the death of Donna's husband, **David Thomas** on February 16, 2018 in PA.  
 ✚ Bruce and Sandy Thayer - as they grieve the death of Bruce's sister-in-law, **Priscilla A. Thayer**, on Jan. 26, 2018  
 ✚ Harvey Wingate and family as they grieve the death of Harvey's wife, **Eleanor J. Wingate**, who died on Feb. 2, 2018.

### HEALING/HEALING FROM SURGERY/ILLNESS:

Linda Lincoln (pending surgery, healing); Sue Barth (health issues), Bert Schwarz (health issues); Lee Wager (health issues); Doris Jacobs (healing); Patrick Bleier (healing); Lucy Burdick (hip, healing); Norm Trabert (healing); Sue Barth (healing); Jimmy Anglum (healing, shoulder); Faith Weldon (healing); Cindy Anderson (strength, healing & health); David Vaden (Healing, surgery); Carol Brienza (healing, broken arm);

### CONTINUING HEALTH CONCERNS:

Bill Kelley (comfort & peace); Irma Hallauer (health, strength); Evelyn Feil (comfort and peace); Lorrie Krueger (health); Bob Binggeli (health); Fred Boehmer (health concerns); Ruth & James Berg (health concerns); Zip Eggleston (health concerns); Stephen Hockenberger (health concerns); Sandy Hutchinson (health); Virginia Jacobs (health concerns); Mary Kilpatrick (comfort & peace), Stu Ryan (health).

### OUR CHURCH FAMILY IN NURSING HOME CARE:

Fred Boehmer, Evelyn Feil, Nancy Fenity, Sandy Hutchinson, Mary Kilpatrick, Marian Langen, Stewart Ryan, Ronald & Evelyn Sutorious, Harvey Wingate.

**FOR SAFETY & COURAGE- for All our Military Personnel:** Peter Freundsuh, Major Adam Hill (USAF); SFC Scott Humphrey (ARNG); A1C David Locke; Sgt. Steven Micha (ARNG); **E6 John Murphy (USMC)**, Major Casey Pellizzari - USAF; **USN: A1C Casey Weldon (USAF)**.

### FOR CONDOLENCES:

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| Donna Thomas   | 140 Evergreen Lane, PO Box 203                | Jennerstown, PA | 15547 |
| (in lieu of flowers - gifts to UMCOR, by way of Jennerstown, PA UMC) |   |                 |       |
| Bruce and Sandy Thayer   | 1139 Webster Rd.                              | Webster, NY     | 14580 |
| Harvey Wingate   | Maplewood Nurs. Home, rm 343 / 100 Daniel Dr. | Webster, NY     | 14580 |

### IN MINISTRY THIS SUNDAY

**(9:00 AM) Greeters:** Pauline Walz (10:30 AM) Bobbi & Dave Olson  
**(9:00 AM) Sound:** Deb Flannery; **Video:** Mike Brienza (10:30 AM) **Sound:** Dan McVeigh / **Video:** Dave Hockenberger  
**Lead Pastor:** Rick LaDue, **Youth & Family Pastor:** Wendy McVeigh, **Visitation Pastor:** Karen Gibson  
**Ministers: Our Congregation**  
**9:00 AM Childcare:** Linda Fedele (10:30 AM) Linda Fedele  
**9:00 AM Ushers:** Patrick Fulkerson, Glenn Wilkes, Carol Brienza (10:30 AM): Charlie Urso, John Graziose  
**9:00 AM Lay Reader:** Roger H. DeMott **Slides (9:00 AM)** Jennifer Anglum / **(10:30 AM)** Jason Anglum  
**Coffee Hour Hosts: (9:00 AM)** Laurie Dutcher / **10:30 AM)** Joanne Smith, Nancy Eaton

## More News

### Save the Dates:

**Sunday, March 18** - Easter Egg Hunt, followed by a Ham & Potluck Dinner - hosted by UMC Webster, at Woody Acres  
**Monday, March 19** - Bishop Webb's Day on the District - at Farmington UMC (Clergy & Laity 6:30pm - 8:30pm).  
**Monday, March 26** - 6:00 pm. Potluck Dinner & Seder Meal - UMC of Webster

### Mark your Calendars now... Fall Retreat!

The Upper New York Conference's United Methodist Men will host their fall retreat **Sept. 7 and 8, 2018 at Sky Lake Camp & Retreat Center in Windsor, NY**. The theme of this year's event is "Transformation through Christ: Turn 180°." The retreat is open to people from all denominations and communities; and, for the first time, it will not only be open to men, but also to women and children.

The 2018 UMM fall retreat keynote speaker is **Bishop James Swanson**, of the Mississippi Conference of The United Methodist Church. He was elected to the episcopacy in 2004 and is currently the president of the General Commission on United Methodist Men. Other guest speakers include the Rev. Mark Kimpland - pastor at the Endwell UMC - and Upper New York Area Resident Bishop Mark J. Webb. Retreat attendees can expect a spiritually fulfilling and uplifting experience with the Lord and a dynamic speaker in Bishop Swanson. He said there will also be breakout sessions for men and women, as well as a praise band. The retreat, including a one-night stay and three meals, costs \$130. The cost for commuters attending just Friday is \$40, with dinner included. The cost for commuters attending Friday and Saturday is \$60, including meals. Full Details will come.

### NEW: UPDATE - Channel 12 TV viewers...important announcement!

Conversion to all digital format for Webster is **now scheduled for March 13**. Spectrum Customers will be receiving notices in their bills with changeover timing and what they need to do for the conversion when it happens. To continue to view our church services, access to channel 1303 will be necessary. Analog or digital TV's currently connected to a cable outlet without a set-top box, digital converter or digital receiver will not be able to tune to that channel.

♦ **IMPORTANT:** According to information -recently found at Spectrum, all TV's directly connected to cable outlet will lose viewing service and will need to have digital support equipment installed to continue to view current TV channels.

**Additional Note:** Cherry Ridge apartments has changed to a digital dish supplier (Direct TV). Apartment residents will no longer are able to receive any TV programming from Spectrum which includes UMC services.