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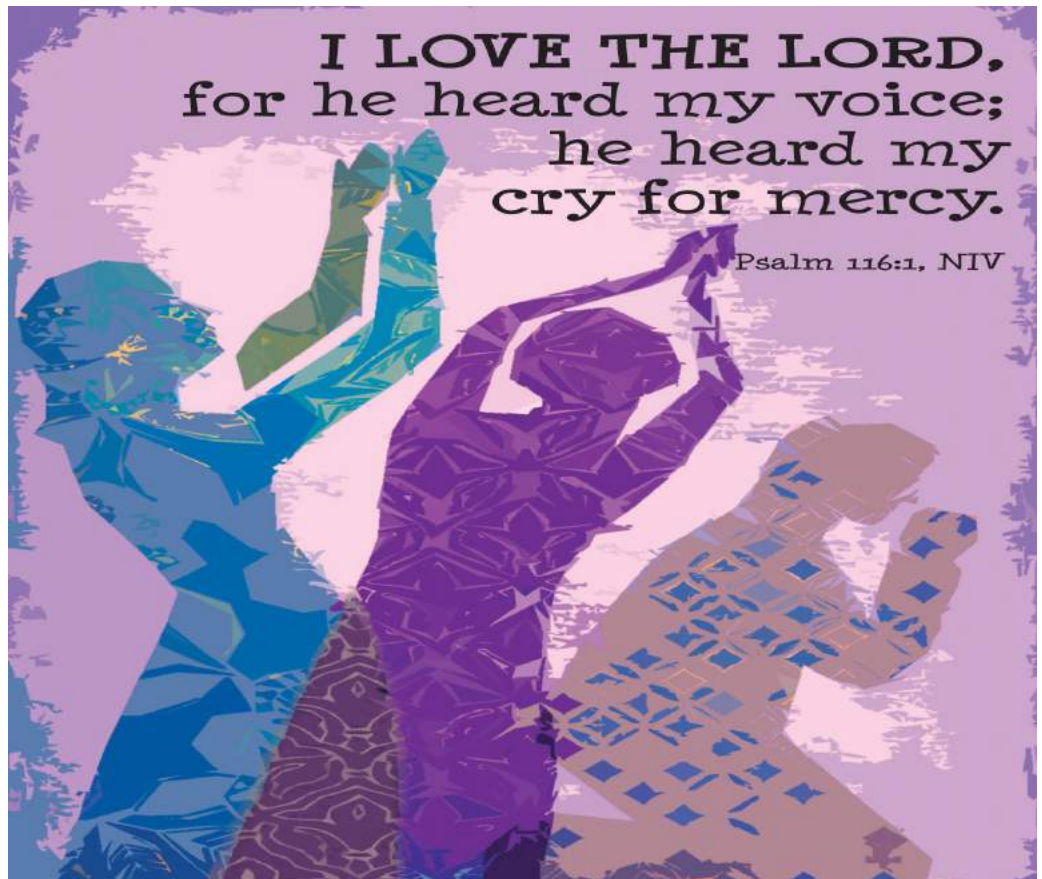
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Women of valor

In *A Year of Biblical Womanhood* (Thomas Nelson), Rachel Held Evans explores the concept of the Proverbs 31 woman, whose character is described as noble or virtuous. Many scholars say the most accurate translation of the Hebrew phrase *eshet chayil* is actually the “valorous woman.”

To many modern-day women, Proverbs 31 seems like an impossible-to-meet job description. But Evans says that shouldn’t be the case. “The woman of Proverbs 31 is not some ideal that exists out there; she is present in each one of us when we do even the smallest things with valor,” she writes. “Like any good poem, the purpose of this one is to draw attention to the often-overlooked glory of the everyday.”

To affirm the females in her life, Evans started calling them “women of valor.” What an honoring way to bless someone’s day!



SPPRC TEAM UPDATE

May 2019

As we shared last month, Pastor Dan Carr will be retiring as of the end of June. He will take some vacation and Spiritual Leave over the next few weeks but expects to be with us full time through June, with his final service on June 30. The SPPRC team is working with CARE to provide a retirement and appreciation celebration following the June 30 service. This is far enough ahead for you to be able to mark your calendars to stay and help us honor Pastor Dan for his service to God and our church family.

Pastor Dan is currently planning to move from the Parsonage on June 12. For those who can, please keep your calendars open on June 11 and 12 so we can offer any help he and Eileen need around packing or loading/unloading the moving van. You can also expect to hear from Trustees as we get to June with requests to help with some of the rejuvenation activities needed in the Parsonage as we prepare for the arrival of Pastor Phil Phaneuf.

Finally, several of you may be aware that our path forward with Jaclyn Breeze has been uncertain. Roberts Wesleyan College does not offer all of the specific courses she needs for the Composition Degree she is pursuing. After a lot of prayerful consideration, she has decided to stay at RWC for at least one more year. We consider this terrific news and are glad she will be sharing her talents with us through at least the spring of 2020.

Lyle Tague for your SPPRC Team



- May 5 3rd Sunday of Easter: John 21: 1-9; Psalm 30;
Native American Ministries Sunday Guest Lay Speaker
- May 12 4th Sunday of Easter: John 10:22-30; Psalm 23; Communion;
Mother's Day
- May 19 5th Sunday of Easter: John 13:31-35, Psalm 148; Heritage Sunday
Guest Lay Speaker
- May 26 6th Sunday of Easter/Memorial Day: John 14:23-29, Psalm 67
Guest Lay Speaker

**Serving in
Worship
May 2019**

*Liturgy is the Work of
the People
for the Glory of God*



Liturgist

5/05 Lyle Tague
5/12 Tom Wulff
5/19 Sandra Waterman
5/26 Susann Brainard

Greeters

5/05 Kathy Krisher
5/12 Allen Hulme
5/19 Erik, Jen, Ben Rockwell
5/26 Lori & Paul McComb

Ushers

5/05 Gail P, Sue N
5/12 Roger D, Barry T
5/19 MaryLou B, Sonya B
5/26 Jim & Martha Kline

Communion Servers:

5/12 Don F, Gayel T, Peg W

Acolytes

5/05 Dianne Arazy
5/12 Don Fernberg
5/19 Rachael Guarino
5/26 Don Allis

Altar

5/05 Martha Kline
5/12 Susann Brainard
5/19 Margot Hughes
5/26 Joyce Palmer

Media Booth

5/05 Rodney N, Todd H
5/12 Randy & Carol Bloechl
5/19 Sue N, Todd H
5/26 Randy & Carol Bloechl

Media Presentation

5/05 Tom Wulff
5/12 Carol Bloechl
5/19 Sue Norton
5/26 Tom Wulff

Coffee Hour:

Senior's Group
Please sign up to provide re-
freshments, and assist with set
up and clean up.



To the Volunteers who
signed up to provide re-
freshments for the month
of April.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTH CHILI

May 4th, 2019 8:00AM to 10:00AM

From the Men's Breakfast Group

Featuring Barry's Magic Griddle!

Scrambled Eggs Sausage

All you can eat Pancakes

Juice and Coffee or Tea

Donations: Adults \$5 ages 5-10 — \$3

Come for Breakfast, Stay for Fellowship!



Operation Christmas Child

Collection box: Each month we collect a different category of items for the shoeboxes that will be sent out in November. Help us spread the love of Jesus to children around the world.

May We'll collect Hygiene Items!

Packaged Soap and washcloths, scrubbies, small hand towels, bandaids, nail files and clippers, deodorant for both boys and girls, Q-tips, toothbrush holders.

(We have enough toothbrushes already!)



LOVE THY NEIGHBOR

Donations are needed such as Dry Goods, Toiletries, Paper towels, Soap & Dish soap. Our delivery day is Sunday May 19 this month. The donations are delivered to Grace Church of the Nazarene each month to benefit people in our area who need a little help. Drivers this month are Randi Wachter and Eileen Gill.



Ladies Spring Tea Saturday, May 11th

2 to 4 o'clock PM in Adams Hall \$3 per person

Come join us for a relaxing afternoon!

Tea, sandwiches, cookies, and more will be shared.

All Ladies and Young Ladies are cordially invited to tea hosted by the Care Ministry team. Wear an Apron!

Bring a Friend to share this special time!

Sign up sheet is posted in hall near kitchen, or call Sharon Kelly 594-9326 or Sue Josephson 594-1682

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United Methodist Women

On Saturday, April 13th, 4 ladies from our unit attended the Genesee Valley District Communion Breakfast held at Hamlin UMC. We learned three elements vital to "Keeping the Fire Going" (this year's theme): a spark, fuel and oxygen. The message was followed by the wonderful hospitality of the Hamlin UMW, men and youth serving us brunch.

Genesee Valley District UMW "A Day Apart", co-sponsored with the Niagara Falls District UMW. This very special day will be **Saturday, May 4, 2019** from **9:30-3:00** at **Batavia First UMC**. The program is entitled "Health With a Twist - Caring for our Bodies, Minds and Spirits." It will be a full day of workshops, refreshments, lunch and other activities. The cost is \$20.00 to cover food, prayer beads, all materials and childcare. Reservation deadline is April 26th. Registration forms are on the table behind the sanctuary. A carpool sheet is posted on bulletin board also behind sanctuary.

The **next regular NC UMW Meeting is Monday, May 13th 7pm**. Our focus will be on Spiritual Growth, so please bring an inspiring book review or article to share with the group.

NC UMW Garage Sale will be Saturday July 20th 8am-3pm. The garage sale is the UMW's main fundraising event of the year. With your generous donations, the UMW is able to meet (and exceed) its Pledge to Mission each year. Donations can be dropped off the week leading up to the sale at the following times:

Monday 7/15 - Thursday 7/18 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Tuesday 7/16 & Thursday 7/18 10am-12noon

If you are in need of an earlier drop off or need help getting your things to the church, please call the church office to see how we can help. A volunteer work schedule will be posted in June. Please consider signing up for an hour or two during set up week, come to pricing night (dinner is provided), or the work a slot during the day of the sale.

God Bless,

Lori McComb, N. Chili UMW President



May Birthdays

5/3 Emma Nichols	5/5 Chris Hochgraf
5/9 Bob Arazy	5/12 Carol Miller
5/14 June Harndon	5/14 Lyle Tague
5/18 Allison Allen	5/18 Judy Drews
5/21 Kathy Krisher	5/23 Ellen Farnham
5/25 Kyle Kline	5/26 Anita Taft
5/27 Randy Bloechl	5/30 Florence Mihalyov

Prayer Concerns for May

Prayers for: Gene M, Karen, Kenny R, David, Zona B, John, Tom, Shane B, Crystal, Bree, Talsma family, Zack, Jennifer, Mark M, Nina S.

Please keep these families who have lost loved ones in your thoughts: the Jakubowski's.



Gary & Marcia Caswell, June Harndon, Irene Kochersberger, Marilyn Kaiser, Helen Ottley, Ruth Peck, Barbara Ward

Celebrating Native American Ministries Sunday on Sunday May 5, 2019

Did you know that more than 20,000 Native Americans are part of The United Methodist Church? Our offering directly supports Native American congregations, equipping them to minister authentically with their communities, while honoring creative expressions of culture and heritage. Native American-led United Methodist ministries serve the people who worship on Sunday mornings and expand into the community to respond to trauma among indigenous people that may be manifested in domestic violence, alcoholism or suicide.

The offering also supports scholarships for Native American students like the Rev. Stephanie Escher who now serves as a hospital chaplain. She is a member of the Turtle Mountain Chipewewa tribe. The Native American Seminary Award, funded by the United Methodist special offering, helped her manage the costs of studying for a Master of Divinity degree at Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary. (Contact your annual conference office to learn how this offering is used in your conference.)

We have a collective opportunity to live out our commitment to "The Way" with specific action. In our offering of love to God who first loved us, may our gifts multiply and overflow this world with justice, peace and love until all are whole.

Please be part of the transformation.

Please give generously



CHURCH WISH LIST

The Trustees together with our Church committees have prepared a list of current needs or wants that might be opportunities for giving. The items are not planned in the annual operating budget. These donation ideas are for Church members, or anyone who would like to donate funds to support our local Church, or would like to designate funds as a Memorial for a friend, family member or another Church member.

Wish List items with cost estimates are presented for your thoughtful consideration as OPPORTUNITIES FOR GIVING:

1. 55" WALL SMART TELEVISION FOR MEETING ROOM	\$ 500
2. UPRIGHT FILING CABINET FOR HISTORICAL FILES	\$ 200
3. REPLACEMENT PLEXIGLASS COVER FOR ALTAR	\$ 115
4. GLASS COVER FOR TOP OF PARAMENT CABINET	\$ 85
5. AIR CONDITIONER FOR PASTOR'S OFFICE	\$ 1,000
6. IN-HOUSE DEHUMIDIFER SYSTEM	\$ 2,000
7. ROADSIDE ADVERTISING SIGN	\$ 350
8. NEW ENTRANCE DOORS FROM PARKING LOT	\$ 10,000
9. UPGRADED LED LIGHTING FOR MEETING ROOM	\$ 1,400
10. IMPROVED SANCTUARY LIGHTING	\$ 500

OR

A DONATION OF \$ 1,000 OR MORE WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF OUR "RATHER LIMITED" CHURCH ENDOWMENT FUNDS. GIFT CONSIDERATION DURING ESTATE PLANNING, OR ANYTIME WOULD HELP IN ENSURING THE FUTURE FINANCIAL HEALTH OF OUR CHURCH.

If you have any additional questions regarding this list, please contact any member of the Trustees or Church Memorial Fund Committee (Larry Huey, Gayel Todd, Nancy Nichols, or Jim Kline)



Memorial DAY

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Office (585) 594-9111
Email: umcnorthchili@gmail.com
Sunday Worship 10:00 am, Traditional
Pastor Dan Carr

