

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME:** ends **Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>**. Remember to turn back your clocks one hour!

 **LECTIONARY READINGS**

**November 6<sup>th</sup> Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost**

Haggai 1:15b-2:9, Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21, 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17, Luke 20:27-38

**November 13<sup>th</sup> Twenty-Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

Isaiah 65:17-25, Psalm 118, 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13, Luke 21:5-19

**November 20<sup>th</sup> Last Sunday after Pentecost**

Jeremiah 23:1-6, Luke 1:68-79, Colossians 1:11-20, Luke 23:33-43

**November 27<sup>th</sup> First Sunday of Advent**

Isaiah 2:1-5, Psalm 122, Romans 13:11-14, Matthew 24:36-44

**Ushers**

**November 6<sup>th</sup>:** Dorli Retinger-9:30

Karen Gierie Newman-11:30

**November 13<sup>th</sup>:** Joyce Campanella-9:30

Dot & Bob Paine-9:30,

Karen Gierie Newman-11:30

**Liturgists**

**November 6<sup>th</sup>:** Youth

**November 13<sup>th</sup>:** Mary Bing

**Communion Stewards**

**November 20<sup>th</sup>:** Pat & Tom DiMassi

Tom Sattler, Usha Singh

**Greeters**

**November 6<sup>th</sup>:** The Wurth Family

**November 13<sup>th</sup>:** Pat DiMassi

☞ **UPCOMING in NOVEMBER** ☞

- **UMW** is hosting the **Blue Star Mothers of Moms of Military** at the General Meeting on **Tuesday, November 8, 7:30pm**. The meeting is open to everyone (*not just members, not just women*) interested in hearing about this organization that supports our military, guard, reserves and veterans by providing them with much-needed supplies and a touch of home. Please join us!
- **BISHOP BICKERTON TO VISIT Long Island East District: Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm** at *Hicksville UMC*. All laity are invited to meet our new Bishop. The evening will consist of Sharing, Devotion & Prayer, Q&A, Fellowship, Photo Op, Refreshments.
- **HEALING MINISTRY/PRAYER: Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm** in the Sanctuary.
- **MORNING PRAYER: Saturday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 9:00am** in the Sanctuary.
- **THANKSGIVING SUNDAY: November 20<sup>th</sup>** 9:30 & 11:30am worship services.
- **THANKSGIVING CLUSTER SERVICE: Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm** at *Community UMC 100 Park Blvd., Massapequa*.
- **CHARGE CONFERENCE: Wednesday, November 30<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm**. (SPRC meeting with **D.S. 6:30pm**) *Committee Chairs should submit their reports to the Church Office by November 14<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.*

**ALL SAINTS DAY** was observed on October 30<sup>th</sup> at the 9:30am service. We remembered the following church members who passed away this year ~

*Jim Baker, Marge Brem, Audrey Nowotarski and Joseph Varghese.*

**DID YOU KNOW** that you can donate to FUMC when you shop online at [Umcmarket.org](http://Umcmarket.org)? Companies such as Amazon, Banana Republic, Old Navy, Macy's, Staples, Groupon and many more donate a small percentage of every purchase. Worth checking out!

**SAVE THE DATE ~ ♪Next J.C. Café: Saturday, December 3, 2016**, featuring *Heartsong*.

**SAVE THE DATE ~ Saturday, May 20, 2017**

**5:00pm**. Time to CELEBRATE our church's 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The theme is: **Remember, Rejoice, Renew**. Evening will begin with a social hour followed by a fully catered dinner and entertainment in *Fellowship Hall*. We are planning a commemorative journal and will be asking for everyone's help by soliciting ads. More information will be forthcoming.

**ALTAR FLOWER REQUESTS:** If you wish to honor or remember someone/special occasion by placing flowers on the Altar, please fill out a form, available in the So. Transept, or call the Church Office (*please specify on the form if you are ordering fresh flowers @\$30 or dedicating silk flowers @\$20*).

**IN NEED OF PRAYERS:** Christina Jones, Irma Labitzke, Frank Suwalski, Ken Bush, Carolyn Holzbaur, Emily Brown, Bill Landahl, Rose Marie Tiedemann, Barbara Middendorff, Muriel Knoell, Cynthia Hansen, Ruth Burkhardt, Laura Ohler, Ruth Mace and ALL our troops seeking to restore peace. *\*If you know of someone in the hospital, or someone who wishes a pastoral visit, please call the Church Office.*

**CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6<sup>th</sup>**

Sun. **9:30am Family Friendly Worship**  
**11:30am Praise Service**  
 1:00pm Soup Group - F. Hall

Tues. 7:15pm A.A. - Bike Room  
 7:30pm UMW General Mtg. - F.Hall  
 Hosting Blue Star Mothers

Wed. 1:30pm Bible Study - Library

Thurs. 8:00pm Chancel Choir

Fri. 5:30pm A.A. - F. Hall  
 7:30pm Covenant Group

Sat. arrive 6:15am for 6:30am departure "Samson"  
 @Sight & Sound Theatre, PA  
 8:00am Men's Group  
 8:30am Tai Chi

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**CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF NOVEMBER 13<sup>th</sup>**

Sun. **9:30am Family Friendly Worship**  
**11:30am Praise Service**  
 1:00pm Soup Group - F. Hall

Mon. Charge Conference Committee Reports Due  
 7:30pm Paisley Circle

Tues. 11:00am Nursery School Thanksgiving Food  
 Drive - Sanctuary  
 12:00pm Gold Circle  
 7:00pm SPRC Mtg. - Library  
 7:15pm Martha/Mary Circle  
 7:15pm A.A. - Bike Room

Wed. 10:30am Nursery School Thanksgiving Food  
 Drive - Sanctuary  
 1:30pm Bible Study – Library  
 7:00pm Healing Ministry/Prayer - Sanctuary

Thurs. 8:00pm Chancel Choir

Fri. 5:30pm A.A. - F. Hall  
 5:30pm Mom's of Faith

Sat. 8:00am Men's Group  
 8:30am Tai Chi  
 9:00am Morning Prayer - Sanctuary

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**THE MESSENGER**



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