

 **LECTIONARY READINGS**

October 9th Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7, Psalm 66:1-12, 2 Timothy 2:8-15, Luke 17:11-19

October 16th Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 31:27-34, Psalm 119:97-104, 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5, Luke 18:1-8

October 23rd Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

Joel 2:23-32, Psalm 65, 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18, Luke 18:9-14

October 30th Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Habakkuk 1:1-4, Psalm 119:137-144, 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12, Luke 19:1-10

Ushers

October 9th: Dorli Retinger-9:30

Karen Gierie Newman-11:30

October 16th: Joyce Campanella-9:30

Dot & Bob Paine-9:30,

Karen Gierie Newman-11:30

Liturgists

October 9th: Kathy Bush

October 16th: Bob Carle

Communion Stewards

October 16th: Bob Carle, Peg Tomko

Pat & Tom DiMassi

Greeters

October 9th: Pat DiMassi

October 16th: Joan Ganz

☪ **UPCOMING in OCTOBER** ☪

- **WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING:** Wednesday, October 12th, 7:00pm.
- **SPRC COMMITTEE MEETING:** Thursday, October 13th, 7:00pm.
- **PRAYER MEETING:** Saturday, October 15th, 9:00am in the Sanctuary, following Men's Group prayer. Open to all!
- **LONG ISLAND EAST DISTRICT CELEBRATION OF APPOINTMENT** for our new District Superintendent, *Rev. Julia Yeon Hee Yim*. All are invited on **Sunday, October 16th 4:00pm** at the *Bible Korean UMC, 1201 Carlls Straight Path, Dix Hills, NY (L.I.)*. Light refreshments will be served after the service.
- **HEALING MINISTRY and PRAYER:** Wednesday, October 19th, 7:00pm in the Sanctuary.

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY: envelopes are available on the table in the *So. Transept* for your donation, which enables persons to serve God in life-changing ministries.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY: we are collecting cans of soup for our soup kitchen and school supplies for needy children to be distributed by *St. Kilian's Church*.

ATTENTION GREEN THUMBS: our dedicated gardener, *Evelyn Laky*, is ready to pass the trowel (thank you, Evelyn, for all your hard work!). If you like working in the outdoors and can give a few hours a week, please let the office know. Thank you!

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!

SAVE THE DATE ~ Wednesday, November 30th 7:00pm Charge Conference.

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 175th 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: 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 OCTOBER 9th

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

Mon. OFFICE CLOSED - *Columbus Day*
 7:00pm Paisley Circle

Tues. 7:15pm A.A. - Bike Room

Wed. 1:30pm Bible Study - Library
 7:00pm Worship Committee - Library

Thurs. 7:00pm SPRC Committee - Library
 8:00pm Chancel Choir

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

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

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 16th

Sun. **9:30am Family Friendly Worship**
11:30am Praise Service
 1:00pm Soup Group - F. Hall
 4:00pm Installation of LIE District
 Superintendent - *Rev. Julia Yeon Hee Yim*
 @ *Bible Korean UMC Dix Hills*

Tues. 12:00pm Gold Circle
 7:15pm A.A. - Bike Room
 7:15pm Martha/Mary Circle

Wed. 1:30pm Bible Study - Library
 7:00pm Healing Ministry/Prayer-Sanctuary

Thurs. 11:00am UMW Nominating Comm. Mtg.
 8:00pm Chancel Choir

Fri. 5:30pm A.A. - F. Hall
 6:30pm Moms of Faith

Sat. 8:00am Men's Group
 8:30am Tai Chi
 9:00am LIE District Disaster Prep Training
 @ *Hicksville UMC*

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