

Sandi Perl, Pastor                      Elly Stempien, Organist  
Ron Miller, Choir Director      Stacy Wyant, Worship Leader

**(Announcements & Candle Lighting)**

**Centering Prayer**

**Song of Praise (FWS) 2176 Make Me A Servant**

**Sharing of the Peace – please take a moment to greet those around you in the Name of the Lord.**

**Choir – Heavenly Home**

**\*Call to Worship**

L: Spring is about to break forth!

**P: In all the land, new life is happening!**

L: Feel the wonder and power of God's creative energy

**P: Feel the awe and joy of God's love for us.**

L: Let us worship God with a full sense of joy and expectation.

**P: Let us open our hearts, our spirits, our souls, to God's lavish love. AMEN.**

**\*Morning Prayer**

We come into your presence, O Lord, with so many burdens and concerns on our hearts. Help us to be open to your words of healing and restoration. Bring us closer to you. Enable us to discern your will for us that we may serve you more faithfully by serving others in need. In Christ's name, we pray. AMEN.

**Hymn of Praise (UMH) 432 Jesu, Jesu**

**Prayer Time – Please share your joys as well as your prayers.**

**TIME OF PRAYER (FWS) 2203 In His Time**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER – Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen**

**Party with the Preacher**

**Holy Communion**

**Hymn - (FWS) 2036 Give Thanks**

**\*Offering (Doxology page 95)**

**Faithful Giver of Life, you have done great things for us. In the life and teaching of your Son Jesus, you welcome us into your heart. Help us open our hearts to others, that we may be ever more willing to offer our hospitality, our support, and our material resources wherever they are needed. Bless these offerings in your holy name. Amen.**

**Scripture – John 12:1-8 (p 106), 1 Corinthians 11:15 (p 173)**

**Message Mary of Bethany: After the Palm Parade**

**Closing Hymn - (UMH) 666 Shalom to you**

**Good News!**

**Go in peace and may God's peace go with you. Bring hope and healing to all whom you meet. AMEN.**

**FWS – Faith We Sing    UMH – United Methodist Hymnal**

**Please join us downstairs for food and fellowship.**

### **SERVING THIS WEEK (3/15/20)**

Greeters: MaryAnne Miller and Joel Warren  
Ushers: Matt and Kerry Fitch  
Scripture Reader: Ron Salyer  
Sunday School: Stacy Wyant  
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland  
Nursery: Chris Wyant and Phil Pearce  
Door Greeter: Matt Fitch  
Fellowship: Bill & Delores Sutherland

### **SERVING NEXT WEEK (3/22/20)**

Greeters: Amos and Laura Hammond  
Ushers: Marguerite and Ron Miller  
Scripture Reader: Sarah Stackhouse  
Sunday School: Kerry Fitch  
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland  
Nursery: Amber Brady and Jean Murdock  
Door Greeter: Babs Steinert  
Fellowship: Babs Steinert & Helpers

\*Under the back table there are tote bags with activities for kids to use during worship. Please put the bags back when you are finished.

### **Dates to Remember:**

**March 15th** - Church Charge Conference

**March 15th** - 15th Club will begin be celebrating the Ministry of *Jeff and Barb McDowell*, with a dish to share meal at 5:30pm.

**March 19** - Lenten Lunch - 12:00 First Baptist Church Penn Yan

**March 20 Dinner and A Movie** - Join us as we watch Messiah. This movie will be held at Branchport UMC and begin with a dinner at 6:00pm. The movie will start at 6:30pm.

### **Contact Us:**

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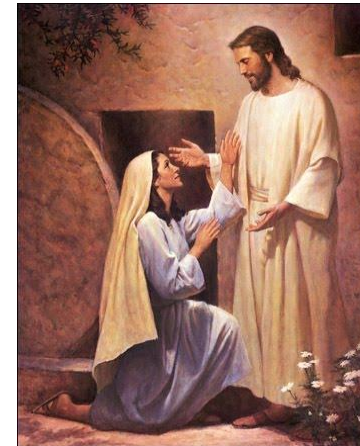
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