



COMMUNICATION CARD

In the Book of Romans, St. Paul instructs us to "Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn." We have a team of people willing to pray for your request.

Prayer Requests:
 Please pray only
 Please pray & contact me

Praise Reports:

Look around your pew. Is someone missing? Do you wonder where they are and if they are ok? Please let us know so that we too may give them a call and let them know that they are missed.

If you are a visitor...how did you find us?:

Website: _____
 Walked by: _____
 Someone told me: _____
 Newspaper: _____
 Telephone Directory: _____
 Other: _____

(Place this card in either the offering plate or the basket in the rear of the Sanctuary)



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WEEKLY

Message: **"If Not On Earth, Then In Heaven"**
 Scripture: Mark 10:35-45

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We have been told time and again how terrible Americans are at "delayed gratification". Perhaps it's not just "Americans" who struggle with this! In any event, Jesus does tell his disciples on several different occasions that what they need to know - or want to know - will not be revealed to them just yet. I'm thinking of the story of his "Transfiguration" in Mark 9 - **Don't tell anyone what you have seen**, he tells them, **until the Son of Man has risen from the dead.**

The disciples have in their mind some kind of "glory" that Jesus is going to experience, and they want a piece of it. And Jesus' response is telling: **You don't know what you are asking.** Indeed. But he promises them they would find out.

[You Are Welcome Here!](#)

Two tough things for us humans to get a handle on - self-deprivation, and waiting. Do you have to have everything you see? Do you have to have everything right now? Can you wait?



Here is something else for us to think about: How do you feel when other people have to wait for you? Sometimes it seems as if we are waiting a long time for God to get things right; I wonder ... how long has God been waiting for us ...

-Rev. Mark Demers

Hal Schmidt, Chair of the Board of Trustees

Greetings once again from the Trustees. Now that the weather is turning a bit colder we are ready. The new boiler has been fired up and is working well. The roof issue above the music room at the front right of the sanctuary is scheduled by the contractor to be finished within the next couple of weeks. Going into the winter we believe that we are as prepared as we can foresee. That doesn't mean we might not get surprised but all issues that have revealed themselves to us have been addressed.



Some of you are aware that Dale Bath has been slowed a bit by a hip issue. We all are so blessed to have him and Sybil working incredibly hard in keeping our Church buildings ahead of the maintenance curve and caring for the grounds. As Dale gets his hip addressed, I am asking each of us to pay particular attention to our physical assets and pitch in where you think it is appropriate. We know that Bob Jones will be looking after our heating system and we are very grateful for that. Let's all follow Bob's lead and pick up some of the load that Dale and Sybil handle routinely. We all hope and pray for a speedy recovery for Dale.

Lastly, it was brought to my attention recently that we have been questioned as to whether we are handling the property line issue with our neighbor in a Christian like fashion. What we think is important for all of us and the community to know is that the Christian thing to do is to honor our property line. Our neighbors on all sides expect us to do that and it is not unreasonable for us to expect the same. Please be confident that your Trustees keep the notion of doing the right thing at the forefront of all we do.

Hal

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Want To Get Connected?

This response card is an opportunity for you to communicate with us.

We want to hear from you.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone _____

Email: _____

Today's date _____

Best time to call _____ AM _____ PM

- This is my first visit
- I visit occasionally
- Regular Attendee

I'd like to talk to a staff member regarding:



WELCOME
Everyone!

I'd like to learn more about:

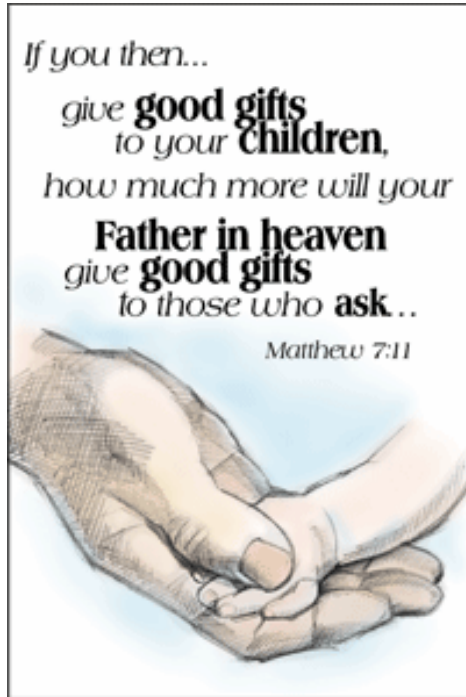
- The values that guide Adirondack Community Church
- Small Groups
- Children's Ministries
- Women's Ministries
- Baptism
- Men's Ministries
- Senior Adult Ministries
- Membership
- Volunteering
- Youth Ministry Volunteer
- Missions
- Music Ministries

Today I:

- Committed my life to Christ.
- Renewed my commitment to Christ.

I made a decision to...

"Sharing God's Love In All We Do"



Are you a "Thinker, Director, Pleaser or Dreamer"?

Is your Spirituality "Heart, Servant, Pilgrim, Crusader, Head or Mystic"?

Sign up now for the next
Spiritual Gifts

Workshop

to find out

How God Has Gifted You!

Call Mickey Lansing,

Jennifer Newhart or the

Church Office to register

Nov. 7, Saturday, 8-2:30am, Todd Room.

Continental breakfast and lunch provided.

It's offered by the church for free to you. Please come.



Extra Helpings Food Buying Club

November Extra Helpings Menu: \$21.00

10-12 lb. Whole Turkey
1 lb. Beef Stew Meat
1 lb. Mild Bulk Sausage Roll
1 Dozen Fresh Large Eggs
5 lbs. Bag Potatoes
1 Bunch Sleeved Celery



Special # 1: \$13.25

2 lbs. Cooked Shrimp (41- 50 Count)
(Peeled/ Cleaned/ De-veined)
(Thaw and serve with your favorite cocktail sauce!)

Special #2: \$19.00

Fresh Spiral Cut Ham - 8.5 lb. Avg. weight

Special # 3 Meat Box: \$32.00

2.5 lbs. IQF Chicken Breasts
(Boneless & Skinless)
2 lbs. Sweet Italian Sausage Rope
3 lbs. Ground Beef 90/10 (3/ 1 lb. pkgs.)
3 lbs. Salisbury Steaks
2.5 lbs. Gourmet Meatballs (Fully Cooked)

Prepaid Orders will be accepted through **Thursday, November 5, 2009:**

Sr. Center, North Elba Town Hall,
10:00 to 1:30, Monday-Friday

Mail: Extra Helpings, c/o ECP,
P.O. Box 1475, Lake Placid, NY 12946

Food Pantry, St. Agnes Church, Fridays 9am-12 noon
Thrift Shop, George & Bliss Lane, Lake Placid, Wed-Sat 10-2pm

For further information, please call

Carol Pinney at 523-1791, x 2

To order and receive delivery in

Wilmington, contact Don Morrison at 946-7192

Saranac Lake, contact Shirley Allen at 891-2717

DELIVERY

November 18, 2009

Lake Placid Baptist Church

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

"Sharing God's Love In All We Do"

We are building a new Annual Conference in upstate New York. We are United Methodist Christians seeking:

“to live the gospel of Jesus Christ and to be God's love with our neighbors in all places.”

Imagine the people of God

Imagine the people of God in Upstate New York:

Living the gospel of Jesus Christ...

Being God's love with our neighbor in all places

Imagine the people of God in Upstate New York:

Growing in our relationship with God,

Being nourished by vibrant spiritual practices,

Speaking the truth in love

Developing Christ-centered and spirit-empowered leadership, both lay and clergy

Trusting in God's abundance and guidance

Imagine the people of God in Upstate New York:

Being the body of Christ within the world,

Becoming a community where people WANT to be

Showing hospitality by welcoming, engaging and serving in love with neighbor

Being transparent in word and deed

Embracing diversity in age, ethnicity, geography, gender, race

Imagine the people of God in Upstate New York:

Living in the way of Jesus Christ

Opening to new ways of being and doing Church

Trusting the ambiguity and messiness of change

Seeking courage to take risks

Connecting with one another and the world

Making decisions and planning with prayerful discernment

Transforming the work of the Church into an act of worship.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday—October 18

7:30 AM Celebration of Discipline, Youth

9:00 AM Traditional Worship Service

9:00 AM Adult Bible Study, Todd Room,
Teen Study, Conference Room

9:45 AM –10:30 AM Fellowship Time

10:30 AM Contemporary Worship Service
(Nursery Provided)
Children's Church

6:45 PM Home Group, at 66 Acorn St.,LP

7:00 PM The Shack Open

Monday—October 19

Secretary away from Church Office

7:00 PM “House” at Dan S.,
166 Parkside, LP

Tuesday—October 20

Secretary away from Church Office

6:45 AM Men's Breakfast, Erdman Hall

6:00 PM Schizm

6:30 PM Boy Scouts, Erd. Hall

7:00 PM Knitting Group, 523-3548

Wednesday—October 21

8:00 AM Finance Team meeting

2:30 PM Help needed to escort
residents to chapel service
at Uihlein.

Art Summers, preaching

5:30 PM –7pm Collision Group for 6-8th
Grade girls, 6-9th Grade Boys

6:00 PM Worship Team Rehearsal

Thursday—October 22

2:00 PM The Shack open for studying

4:30 PM Sears/Whitney Wedding Reh.

6:30 PM High Peaks Ringers Rehearsal

6:30 PM SPRC Meeting

7:00 PM Prayer Group, Todd Room

Friday—October 23

7:15 AM Membership/Nominations

9:00 AM Staff Meeting

12:00 PM Jambo Jipya, Conf. Room

4:30 PM Ladies Bible Study Group,
523-9263

Saturday—October 24

8:00 AM Jambo Jipya, Conf. Rm.

1:00 PM Wedding

3:00 PM Sears/Whitney Wedding

4:00 PM “Acts 2” Prayer

6:00 PM The Forum in Erdman Hall

8–10 PM The “Burn” Music, Worship &
Prayer, in The Shack

Birthdays

This week:

10/18 C.J. Roberts

10/19 Jillian Goulette

10/21 Thomas Small III

10/22 Eleanor Woodman

10/24 Evan Knox, Ella Taylor

Next Week:

10/25 Lethe Lescinsky, Steve Preston

10/27 Hal Schmidt

10/28 Linda Blair, Carter Timon

10/29 Eva Hare

10/30 Juliette Larzelere

10/31 Holly Carey, Sophia Morelli



Adirondack District Laity Meeting, Sunday, Oct. 18 at 7 p.m.

Come meet Bishop Matthews who will be our new Bishop in 2010.

Christ United Methodist Church, 54 Bay Street, Glens Falls, N.Y.

Lectionary Scripture Readings:

October 18

Job 38:1-7 (34-41)

Psalms 104:1-9,24,35c

Hebrews 5:1-10

Mark 10:35-45

October 25

Job 42:1-6, 10-17

Psalms 34:1-8 (19-22)

Hebrews 7:23-28

Mark 10:46-52

