

**The importance of the
power of prayer
and faith in Jesus**

WESTERN SPIRE

SEPTEMBER 2025

Sometimes I feel that studying the Bible is an incomparable joy that is often fraught with a series of failures and significant challenges. While it is my responsibility to gain valuable insights from the Bible so that I can come up with more meat on the bone for my congregation, sometimes, I haven't found anything meaningful out of the text, and I just chuckle or shrug off the empty feeling. However, when I uncover the richness of the Bible, I feel a great joy and excitement like finding gold in the sand.

Recently, I have found that Matthew 17:21 is simply blank in many English versions because it is missing in the earliest and most reliable ancient manuscripts. Meanwhile, other English versions like the King James Version add the line, "He said to them, 'This kind can come out only through prayer ('and fasting' is added in some other manuscripts).'" Biblical scholars assume those translations adopted the line from the parallel verse of Mark 9:29.

This story is more interesting if we know its literary context. Right before this story, Jesus was transfigured, meaning that his appearance was changed like a divine being, on a high mountain in front of the three core disciples. At the same time, down under the mountain other disciples were surrounded by a large crowd and struggled to heal a boy with seizures who was brought by his father. As Jesus came down from the mountain and he saw the disciples unable to heal the boy, he rebuked them by saying, "You unbelieving and perverse generation, how long shall I put up with you?"

There are so many layers in the story for our spiritual lessons. One may raise so many "Why?" questions about both events that happened on the mountain top and under the mountain, such as "Why transfiguration?" "Why Moses and Elijah?" "Why only three disciples?" Or "Why failed healing?" "Why rebuke?" All of these are legitimate questions to ask, but we can talk about them another time.

For me, the most obvious thing in the passage is that the author juxtaposed the transfiguration of Jesus on one end and the failing disciples on the other end. Matthew and Mark arranged the stories to make the gap between the two ends most noticeable so that no one can miss it. Between the two ends, there is a question from the disciples and an answer from Jesus:

"Why could we not cast out the demon out of the boy?"

Jesus answered in Matthew 17:20, "Because of your little faith. This kind can come out only through prayer ('and fasting' is added in other manuscripts).

We experience this kind of gap in our lives, the gap between the glory of Jesus on the mountain and the frustration of the disciples, the gap between a longing for wholeness and completion of life and feelings of brokenness and nothingness. From the stories in Matthew 17 and Mark 9, we are reminded of the gap in our lives, if I borrow Paul's description from Romans 7:15, "For I do not understand what I am doing; for I am not practicing what I want *to do*, but I do the very thing I hate."

Jesus said that the gap could be filled only through prayers (and fasting) and faith in Jesus, even though it may be so small like a mustard seed. We live in a world filled with challenges, uncertainties, and constant demands on both our hearts and minds. We have hopes and expect things to happen, but those hopes and expectations are not prayer. We set a higher goal and understand the importance of it, but the goal itself is not a prayer. In fact, hope, desire, and expectation can exist without prayer. Ironically, prayer can be offered without the accompanying feeling of hope. It means that our prayer often helps bridge the gap between hope and reality, but it also helps us redefine what our hope is, as we can see from the prayer of Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane, "Not my will but yours be done."

I appreciate that we have great deacons as our prayer warriors at WPC. They pray for a variety of needs within the church and the wider community, including the prayers for the sick, the needy, and those who face serious difficulties. But I would also like to encourage us to pray more and pray together for the church ministries, missions of our church. Especially, we need to pray for the worship service so that the people may strongly experience the presence of God in worship asking God to be glorified, hear the voice of God speaking to their hearts, and seek the guidance and blessings of God in their lives. A liturgist defined true worship as "The glorification of God and the transformation of people taking place simultaneously." This amazing and transformative experience can happen only through prayers.

Thankfully, we already have a volunteer to lead the prayer time before worship at 9:30~9:50 a.m. every Sunday. We will meet in the Mary Griffith room. We will read short verses and pray for worship and for the people in worship. Let us come together with expectant hearts so that we may see the kingdom of God among us.

Peace of Christ,
Rev. Hodong Hwang

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Saturday, September 13, 2025

5:00-8:00 pm

\$20 per plate
Or sponsor a
table of 6 for \$200

*Choice of:
Stuffed shells in marinara,
Baked Chicken,
Vegetable Lasagna*

Tossed Salad
Garlic bread
Vegan/Gluten free
Lasagna option

To reserve and pay for your dinner, click [here](#) or scan the QR code by September 8.





TO CELEBRATE THE NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR, JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL

WELCOME BACK TO SUNDAY SCHOOL BREAKFAST

Breakfast pizza, fruit, muffins, coffee & juice

Where: Western Presbyterian Church

When: Sept 28, 2025

Time: 9-9:45am



ALL ARE WELCOME





Women's Circle meeting is starting up this month. Plan to join us for fellowship, faith driven discussion and some yummy deserts. We offer a safe space for sharing.

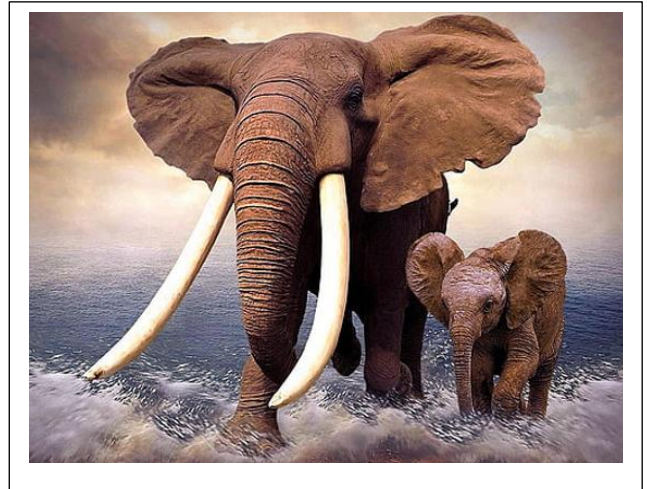
We meet in fellowship hall on the third Wednesday of every month at 1pm... except this October when we will meet on the fourth Wednesday.

Wednesday, September 17th we will meet and start our new Bible study.

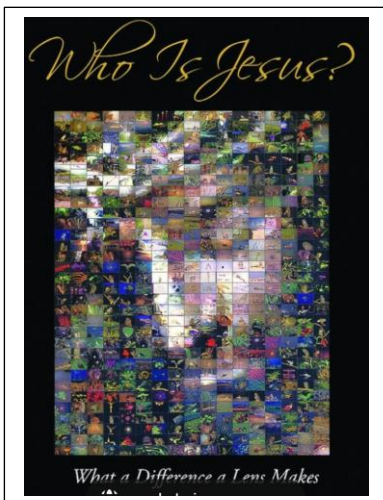
If we were blind and wanted to know what an elephant looked like perhaps, we would touch it from different parts of the elephant's body. If we touched the trunk, the leg, the ear or the tusk, we would form a different perception of what an elephant was. If we felt the leg, we might think it's like soft tree bark. The trunk might make us think the elephant is like a large snake. The elephant's floppy ear might make us think of a textured eraser. Perhaps the touch of the tusk would allow us to think the elephant was hard and unbending. The elephant presents a problem because it's so large. Too big to imagine.

Jesus is so much bigger than any one of us can imagine. If we ask who Jesus is, there will be very different views depending on where one is standing and what one is sensing and seeing.

No one has the complete picture of Jesus, but our insights into Jesus are enhanced as we listen to what other people sense and know.



Jesus is a central figure in Christianity, understood through various theological lenses that shape our perceptions of his identity and significance.



The question "Who is Jesus?" invites a multitude of answers, reflecting the complexity of his identity and the diverse contexts in which he is understood. By examining Jesus through different lenses—scriptural, theological, cultural, and personal—we gain a richer, more nuanced understanding of his role and significance in both historical and contemporary contexts. Engaging with these varied perspectives allows for a deeper exploration of faith and spirituality.

Mark your calendar for the upcoming **FAITH PAINT**

Saturday, October 11th at 10am

What is a Faith Paint you may ask?

It's when we paint focusing on a scripture to deeper interoperate the Word.

I don't have any artistic talent.

No worries. These are not competitive events. They are introspective events.

How does this work?

Everything is provided; acrylic paints, brushes, and canvases.

There will be step-by-step instructions to get you going.

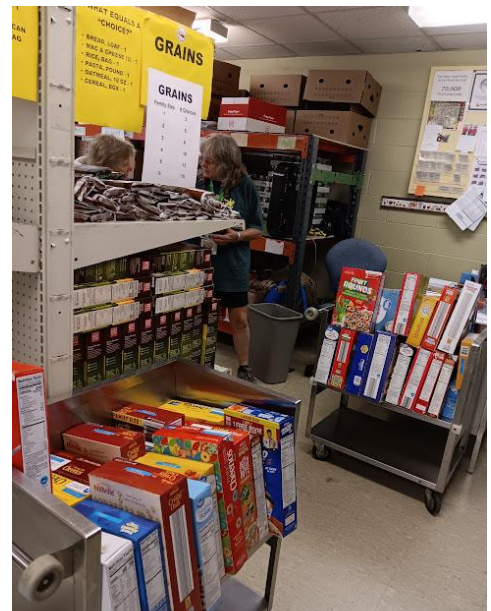
All you need to participate is to bring a box of cereal or some other food pantry item to donate.

All are welcome.

Those under 10 are welcomed with an accompanied adult.



Thank you to Vacation Bible School that took 102 boxes of cereal for the Food Pantry.



Ruth and Don met us at the Pantry. The kids got to visit the Food Pantry and saw the shelves where the cereal would be for those who may not have enough money to buy food.

Thank you to all who baked or bought a pie to benefit Family Promise and all those who gave money and didn't take a pie home. We were able to send Family Promise \$750 from those who bought pies and those who made a donation with no pie. There is a thank you letter from Family Promise on the bulletin board.

Family Promise of Wayne County NY, Inc. is a non-profit organization that exists to help families with children experiencing temporary homelessness find permanent housing and achieve self-sustainability. FPWCNY has been in operation since October 2018.

Thank you to those who worked on the Spring Rummage Sale. 106 boxes of cereal were purchased from the proceeds of the Rummage Sale.



A Message from the Worship Team:

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We are looking for additional people to assist with our worship services such as ushers and/or liturgists. Are you interested? Or perhaps you might be interested, but you need more information. We would be happy to give you the information you need and to team you up with someone who would assist you.

And you might be wondering about the scheduling. It is done on a rotation, and we can make changes if your scheduled date does not work for you. For liturgists, you will receive your script from Kathy on Tuesday prior to your scheduled Sunday.

If you are interested or if you have questions, please contact Sue Leonard at 585-734-4027 or seleonard2003@yahoo.com.

Thank you.

Sue Leonard

To my Wonderful Church Family:

Thank you for being my support system and my family in faith during my recent brawl with cancer. Your kindness and love have made a lasting impact in my life. I am grateful for the fellowship we share and the strength we find in each other. Thank you for your prayers, encouragement, and unwavering support. There were days I wouldn't have been able to get thru without you.

For God's Tomorrow

Patti Squier



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

September 5	Bron Lawrence
September 8	Elaine Hassler
September 18	Alicia Lynch
September 20	Patricia Pinkney
September 21	Esther Hargrave
September 23	Oliver Koeberle
September 28	David Koeberle



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

September 3	David & Sheila Koeberle
September 5	Ray & Martha Beato
September 21	Wes & Janet Barager

If we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please contact the office at 597-9171 so we can add it to our list next time!

The team minutes received for September include:

Deacons Team Meeting Minutes

June 3rd, 2025

Present: Sandy McMenamin, Randy Kennard, Nancy Talma, Muffie Beato, Hodong Hwang, Patti Dlugosh & Sandy Betts

In Support: Linda Pulcini

Meeting opening with lighting of the Christ Candle

• Old Business:

1. Approval of last month's minutes corrections? *Motion: Linda P Second: Sandy M*
2. **Treasurer's Report:** Current balance & expense/donation Status– Sandy M. –

May-25	Deacons Checking Account
Initial balance	\$1,387.40
Additions	\$ 43.00
Deductions	\$ 58.40
Ending balance	\$1,372.00

a. Balances

Offertory donations & Stamp purchase

3. Sharing Correspondence: letters/emails/cards- card of thank you from R/D D,

4. Next Communion – on Sunday, June 8th

- a. Prepared 60 and served 57 on May 11th
 - b. Verify that enough Pita, loaf and juice for this month? Currently have enough for June NOT FOR JULY! (*discovered during setup Sunday morning*)
 - c. Who can assist in set-up– in June- Sandy B, Muffie, Linda, Nancy
 - d. wait till June meeting to assign- *Love the level of responsibility this team has. Without communication, loving attention to preparation happened. Thank you one and all.*
 - e. Bring new cutting board dedicated only for gluten free use.
5. Review of Prayer List and adjust accordingly of needs
 6. Prayers for those in need and beyond
 7. Visits/ Calls/ cards counts - visits with special meaningful moments of faith

2025					
Month	Visits	Phone Calls	Cards sent and Email outreach	Communion Served	Communion Date
January	15	24	69	49	1/12/25
February	5	18	56	39	2/9/25
March	16	16	99	49	3/9/25
April	22	15	57	41	4/20/25
May				57	5/11/25
Year to Date	58	73	281	235	18 Lilys delivered

8. Special Needs Mailings – rotating list of those needing a special hug and care. List managed by Sandy B.
 - a. Hodong reported on who he has visited and what his plans are for caring support – thank you

Bible Verse: : **June** Hebrews chapter 11 : 1 Faith is the reality of what we hope for, the proof of what we don't see.

July Ephesians chapter 3 : 20 Glory to God, who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine by his power at work within us.

• New Business:

- Session Information: no information to be shared

Meeting closed with prayer

Next meeting Tuesday 8/5/2025 @ 10 am

Respectfully - Randy Kennard, Chairperson

Fellowship Meeting

8/5/2025

Present: Roxanne Dobson, Jan Taylor, Norm Underwood, Ray Marr and Sue Pringle

Excused: Terry Gendron, Val Gendron

The Fellowship Team decided to plan the Progressive Dinner for September 20th. Jody Pruitt and Rena Haigh have again volunteered to host appetizers and desserts. The main dish is planned to be a Baked Potato Bar with all your favorite toppings and a Salad Bar. Festivities will start at Jody's at 4:30. Jan will create a sign-up sheet where attendees can offer to help by bringing a small appetizer or dessert. Kathy has agreed to also take phone calls to sign up. Last day to sign up is 9/14/25!

Because the August Potluck falls during Labor Day weekend, we have decided to cancel it.

Western Horizons celebration this year will be combined with the Welcome Ministry Team for a possible Oktoberfest celebration. Our only new 50-year member is Johnnie Fontaine. This is planned for October 26th, 2025.

A Euchre tournament will be held on November 1st. The entry fee will be a donation of a box of cereal for the Food Pantry. More details to follow.

Bible Trivia night is suggested for either October 17th or 24th. I will work with Emily for the best date according to the school calendar.

Our next meeting will be on September 9th at 3 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Roxanne Dobson

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

Date: July 1, 2025

Present: Val Gendron, Eric Chapman, Bill Hassler, Rev. HoDong, and Alicia Lynch

Rev. HoDong started the meeting with a prayer. The committee discussed a policy change for paying our church organists as a result of one organist needing to cancel on a Sunday after the check had been written. We all agreed that standard operation procedure (paying anyone for services AFTER they have been completed) should be adopted for all vendors. So effective Sept. 1st, with no objections and/or approval from Session, the payment of organists will come at the end of the month instead of on a weekly basis and mailed out which will also cut down on chasing checks around. Rev. HoDong agreed to speak to Jack and inform him of the policy change so that he may inform the other organists.

As A. Lynch prepares documents for our outside audit/review, we realized that there are some accounts we need more information for some of our accounts, i.e. the R.D. Gunkler scholarship fund to name one. Eric and Alicia will meet to discuss updating the list of Trust Accounts and go over the documents gathered so far.

As this was the first time Rev. HoDong was at one of our meetings, the committee taught a WPC Finance 101 class to answer any questions he may have now he has settled in. The meeting was concluded with prayer from Rev. HoDong.

Respectfully submitted,

Alicia M. Lynch

Mission Team Minutes for August 14, 2025

Present: Edie Chapman, Ruth Dantz, Cassie Hughes, Irene Fadden, Pastor Hodong
Excused: Rena Haigh, Sally Chase

The meeting opened with lighting of the Christ Candle, Luke 12:33, and prayer.

Food Cupboard (\$200) – September – Sally and Cassie, October - Edie

Food Pantry (\$200) – Ruth will continue to pick up non-SNAP items. She turned in June, July and August receipts (\$499)

Lions Food Cupboard Donations – We'll ask Rena to set up a fall date.

1,000 boxes of Cereal in Memory of Lois Daniels – 106 –

Women's Association (to food cupboard)

102 – VBS (to food pantry)

As of August 14 – 700 boxes have been given. We will continue to collect in the coming months.

Good Neighbor Fund

Beginning Balance \$1,571.14

Donations none

2 checks written \$1,100.00 (1) Rent (1) Utilities (2) Adults

Ending Balance \$471.14

Weekend Wellness update –

Beginning and Ending Balance \$2,050.00

No Deposits or checks written

of bags delivered 2024-25 school year – 4,042 bags

of summer bags 79 in June, 415 in July

Summer Lunch – Summer lunches were done for only 4 weeks.

Discussion of doing at least 2 weeks next year at the church - Monday – Thursdays.

We'd like to allow children to eat in the Fellowship Hall.

Change in how Mission done – Short term projects. Get others involved in the projects.

Bringing in new people. Need to ask people individually.

- **Church World Service Kits** – done by only 10-12 members who have been church members a long time.
- **Pie Sale for Family Promise** – This has been very successful. \$410 has been received and we will have at least one more Sunday this week. Edie will man the table.

- **Foster Care bags** – Books in Ox Roast Room on wall towards Main Street.
- **Cereal Project** – what next year?
Start in January after Reverse Advent Calendar.
Toiletries for Food Pantry – Cassie will consider how this can be done. Specific month for “toothpaste and toothbrushes,” “shampoo and conditioner,” “soap - hand, bar and bodywash,” etc.
- **Food Cupboard volunteers** – Filling Cupboard during the week – new volunteers / possibility of having non team members make \$200 purchases
- **Family Promise** – Monday dinners – volunteers needed. Currently Jody does 4 meals, and Mission Team does 4 meals.
- **Food Pantry volunteers** – although Ruth doesn’t usually need volunteers for WPC nights, but other nights may need more volunteers. Need to let others know and encourage to use volunteers
 - We would like to encourage donations of money and food, contact info for volunteers.
 - Irene will make slides and send to Dave Nagle for “ok.”
 - Slides can be put on Facebook, either Pal-Mac Neighbors page, church page, and maybe Pantry page
- **Reverse Advent Calendar** – Irene will make the calendar available for November meeting.
- **Habitat for Humanity Project** – this might be a possibility to get members and others into the community. Building in Canandaigua.

New Project – Foster Children – nothing to report

Family Promise – in Newark apartment, host one family beginning in June.

September 22nd – Monday Dinner for Family Promise – Ruth, Don and possibly

Sally will make and take dinner. Jody has done dinner and Ruth will contact her.

These checks will be requested from Val and Alicia:

Synod of the Northeast Mission - \$100

PCUSA Mission - \$100

Family Promise - \$2,000

Good Neighbor Fund - \$1,250

Weekend Wellness – Food Pantry - \$2,000

And Wilma will be asked to send \$2,000 in the Weekend Wellness Acct and ask that she ask AEY or whatever to donate again – may send it directly to the Food Pantry, PO Box 173, Palmyra.

Edie will call ARC about Meals on Wheels – Is it government funded? Do they need funds to pay milage?

Next meeting – Our next meeting will be Thursday, October 2nd. We will skip September meeting unless one is needed on a Sunday after worship.

The meeting closed with prayer of Micah 6:8

Respectfully submitted,

Irene Faden

Property Committee Meeting 7/23/2025

Present: Phil Opdycke, Gary LaBerge, James McFarlane and Don Dantz.

1. The meeting opened with a prayer at 6:35 pm.
2. The orange cones for traffic control are in the locked shed.
3. Christmas trees have been located and brought to Fellowship Hall.
The tree bases are in the Ox Room on the shelves.
4. Our cleaner Emily has been contacted about extra cleaning for VBS. Extra checks are needed for the bathrooms.
5. James constructed our donated VBS banner just to check it out and installed it on Saturday.
6. Property will purchase another large air conditioner for fellowship hall.
7. Gary has ordered parts for the large attic fan. The motor of some age has failed. Dave Pinkney will help Gary.
8. The basement TV is still a no go, much to the chagrin of James. He will contact Applied Audio for some ideas.
9. State inspectors have given their approval of the church for Little Froggies. Gary will have the final lawyer agreement before session.
10. Gary installed the baffles over the oven as per insurance request and purchased a class K fire extinguisher for the kitchen.
11. Gary mentioned that the Tot Spot in Macedon has closed and the Froggies phone is ringing off the hook. It was decided that no babies will be accepted at this time, only walkers. The plan is to start sometime in early September- still waiting on NYS approval. That is the only holdup.

Respectfully submitted by Phil Opdycke

The stated meeting of session of Western Presbyterian Church & Society, Palmyra, New York was called to order by the moderator Reverend HoDong Hwang at 7:00PM in Fellowship Hall. The meeting was opened with the Lighting of the Christ Candle and prayer.

7 Present – Irene Fadden, Emily Hunt, Alicia Lynch, Courtney Marr, Philip Opdycke, Roxanne Dobson, Janet Manktelow

1 Excused- Randy Kennard

0 Absent

Guest – Gary LaBerge, Sandra McMenamin representing Deacons

A quorum was present.

- Motion made by Irene Fadden seconded and carried to approve the agenda.

Childcare Update

Received zoning approval. The lease is still being worked on with the lawyer, John Morrell. A lot of work is being done for storage upstairs in the music room and CE Green room. Little froggies are getting signage for out front. Also still waiting for final state approval needed to set the opening date. They are hoping for a September opening.

- Motion made by Philip Opdycke seconded and carried to give Sandy McMenamin a voice at tonight's meeting.

Irene led us in devotions.

Clerk's Report

E-mail vote:

- Motion made by Property and carried to allow the lifeguards from Camp Whitman to stay overnight in the church while they take training at the local high school on June 27th and 28th.

The following death is recorded: Francis Storm(m) DOD 5/13/25 at the age of 89. A memorial service was held in the church sanctuary on May 17, 2025.

- Motion made by Philip Opdycke seconded and carried to approve the session minutes from the May 6th meeting.

Financial Secretary's Report

New report not available. There will be 2 reports at the next meeting.

Business of the Church

CE is proposing hiring a person to hold nursery care during the Sunday worship service. This might bring some younger families to church.

The Women's Association presented a letter about the state of the kitchen. The kitchen is often left a bit of a mess. As recommended, we will make a list of what needs to be done, have it laminated, and post it on the refrigerator.

Alicia will look into getting a laminator for the church.

Ministry Team Reports

Worship Ministry Team – the Knucklehead Farms stand in the church yard on Sunday mornings has been quite successful. The team is planning some special events- a Pet Blessing service and a prayer service for people battling cancer. They brought up the idea of getting a new logo for the church.

Fellowship Ministry Team -they are planning on having another Progressive dinner. They will choose the month for it in August. Also hope to have another Trivia Night.

Deacons Ministry Team -They have purchased and set aside a gluten free cutting board and knife. Sara Bush will be stepping back from the team. She thought she could help even when in Texas, but it is proving to be too difficult.

Mission Ministry Team – they are making pies to be sold at the farm market on Sundays. Proceeds from the sale will go to Family Promise of Wayne County. They are buying backpacks or duffel bags for kids in Foster Care.

Finance Ministry Team -no report.

CE Ministry Team – There was a child led service to wrap up the year in Sunday School. VBS will be July 28 – August 1.

Property Ministry Team – looking into an electric sign for the front of the church.

Presbytery – talking about consolidated Presbyteries.

Next Meeting – August 5th

Devotions- Emily

●Motion made by Emily Hunt seconded and carried to adjourn with prayer at 9:00PM.

Janet Manktelow

Clerk

Wonderful News!

The WPC Progressive Dinner is on September 20th, 2025

Consider bringing friends

- **Appetizers** will be at Jody Pruitt's home starting at 4:30 PM.
55 Granger St. Port Gibson - 315-879-7225



- o **The Main Course**, a Baked Potato Bar, and Salad Bar, will be available at WPC starting at 5:30.



Build your own, yum yum!



- **Dessert** will be hosted at Rena Haigh's home.
1955 Maple Ave. Palmyra - 315-597-5971

Please sign up! We need a head count by 9/14/26

Comment on how many will attend and, if you can, what you would like to bring to support Jody and Rena's offerings. (I know they would very much appreciate it!) You can sign up on the bulletin board outside the kitchen or call Kathy at 315-597-9171 and she will be happy to sign you up.

Our Prayer Concerns (updated August 20, 2025)

Grieving:

Family & Friends of Frank Lawrence (requested by the Deacons)
Family & Friends of Ken Allen (requested by the Geneva Presbytery)
Family & Friends of Tina Krenek (requested by the Randy Kennard)

Serving in the Armed Forces:

AJ Bliss, Josh Polle

Please pray for those of our congregation with immediate concerns:

Ellen Avery, Joan Barnard, Scott Bush, Deb Dardenne, Joan Durfey, Tricia Owen, Phil Opdycke, Wilma Redman

Congregation members needed continued prayers:

Pam Gnagy, Cim McFarlane, Jody Pruitt, Nancy Roets, Jan Semans

Congregation members in nursing homes or shut-in:

Rochelle Morse, Bev Mouton, David Squier

Others for whom prayers have been requested:

Sarah Carone, Ted & Nancy Elsenheimer, Mark Fiegl, Laura Gleeson, Joan Griswold, Don Hagen, Janet Haigh, Russell Harris, Sarah Hovermale, Jerry Locey, Laurie Loomis, Iris McConnell, Megan Melville, Mai (Gunkler) Nguyen, Sharyl Patton, Kate Pfaff, Patty Rogers, Jack Sweeney, Andy Umreiko, Jean Walton, Vicki Wilkins, Donna Wirth, Ruth Yeo

May your prayers go out to:

All caregivers; All those affected by natural disasters; All those who have no one to pray for them; All victims of violence, hatred, hunger, and homelessness;
Please pray for those that wish to remain anonymous

Names will remain on the prayer list for 30 days unless renewal has been requested.

Prayers of Intercession are offered each day by our Deacons. To request prayer for yourself or another, please contact Randy Kennard, chair of Deacons, Sandy McMenamin, or Kathy in the Church office.



SEPTEMBER 2025

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
	1 Labor Day Office Closed	2 1 pm Men's Group 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room	3	4 9:30 am Deacons 11 am Bible Study 6:15 pm Christian Ed. 6-8:30 pm FH Seneca Waterways Council	5	6
7 13th Sunday after Pentecost 10 am worship service Football Sunday 5-7 pm Youth Group	8	9 3 pm Fellowship 3:15 pm Worship 7 pm Session 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room	10 7 pm FH Boy Scouts	11 11 am Bible Study	12	13
14 Communion & Cereal Sunday 10 am worship service 5-7 pm Youth Group	15	16 SPIRE DEADLINE 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room	17 1 pm FH Women's Circle Bible Study 6:30 pm Property	18 11 am Bible Study	19	20 4:30 pm Progressive Dinner
21 15th Sunday after Pentecost 10 am worship service 5-7 pm Youth Group	22	23 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room	24	25 11 am Bible Study	26	27
28 16th Sunday after Pentecost Welcome Back to Sunday School Breakfast 10 am worship service 5-7 pm Youth Group	29	30 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room				



OCTOBER 2025

SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
			1	2 9:30 am Mission/ Social Concerns 11 am Bible Study 6-8:30 pm FH Seneca Waterways Council	3	4
5 World Communion & Cereal Sunday 9 am First day of Sunday School 10 am worship service 5-7 pm Youth Group	6	7 10 am Deacons 1 pm Men's Group 3 pm Fellowship 7 pm Session 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room	8 7 pm FH Boy Scouts	9 11 am Bible Study	10	11 10 am FH Faith Paint
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26 Western Horizons Sunday Welcoming New People to WPC 9 am Sunday School 10 am worship service 5-7 pm Youth Group	27	28 7 pm Boy Scouts Muscle Room	29	30 No Bible Study	31 Halloween	