

Endwell United Methodist Church

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Mission: To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

From the Pastor's Heart,

Now that your leadership has voted to remain with the United Methodist Church and not disaffiliate, it is time to move forward. Please understand that I realize this process has not been perfect but for the past several years, we have done our best with the utmost integrity, honesty and truthfulness. Church schisms are never flawless but throughout the process, your leadership was prayerful and fully engaged. As your Pastor, I remain available for small group/individual times of discernment as time allows answering any questions or offering spiritual direction.

My time at the Upper New York Annual Conference at Onondaga Community College from June 1-3 will certainly provide more information for the days ahead. Please pray for this gathering and our Lay Representative, Sanjay Solomon and Associate Pastor, Sean Chanthasone during this time. We will share pertinent information when we return.

My heart grieves over the loss of beloved colleagues, vital churches and church members who have chosen to disaffiliate from the United Methodist Church. This is not the first time this has happened and will not be the last but our mission and call remains the same, which is to love God and one another! May this truth lead us forward toward these uncertain times with the certainty that God will lead us, God will strengthen us and God will equip us.....

June Communion Offering

There will not be a special communion offering in June however, we encourage those who need to “catch up” with their giving to make this a priority as we approach the mid-way point of the year. For those who have church giving envelopes there are special “catch up” envelopes and for those who might be in the position of give more, it would be a blessing.

As always, we encourage electronic giving by simply going to our website at www.endwellumc.org and clicking on the “Giving” tab then click on the “Your 2023 Pledge” tab to set up your giving schedule. If you need any assistance, please call the office and Gretchen will assist you.

I thank you all for your dedication and discipline of investing in this ministry we share together. Without your financial commitment we simply could not do all we do. **Your giving is a blessing!**

Upcoming Witness Sundays

I am thrilled to announce that (2) of our High School graduating Seniors and a new member to the EUMC family will be offering their witness this summer. **Maria Yacovoni** will share on Sunday, July 23rd, **Susan Newcomb** will be sharing on July 30th and **Mackenzie Dawe** will share on Sunday, August 6th. If you have been praying about this and feel that God might be leading you in this direction, please see Pastor Mark personally. To date 60+ brothers and sisters have blessed us by sharing their witness of faith/journey of faith. Might God be calling you?



Children's Ministry Mission
 Inspiring children to be rooted in God's love,
 laugh often, and live like Jesus.



June 2023

Children's Church for kid's Pre-K -5th grade is held during worship following the children's sermon from 10:20 – 11:00am. Led by a team of dedicated teachers, children will enjoy animated videos, snacks, Bible stories, crafts, experiential activities, spiritual practices, and reflection. We provide a safe place for children to ask big questions as they wonder about God and his love, care and provision. Children's church will conclude on June 18th for the Summer - For more information on children and youth ministries visit us at www.rootedateumc.org



celebrating our kids on Sunday June 25th as we recognize them for all their accomplishments. Please fill out a form and submit it to Lynne by June 18th. Forms are included in my weekly update.



Register today for Hero Hotline VBS July 9-13th 6-9pm Preschool - 6-9pm Based on Romans 14:19 "So let's all strive for the things that bring peace and the things that build each other up." Children will enjoy Bible stories, music, slip n' slides, games, crafts, snacks, and science. Registration is limited so please register early. If you would like to help bring this exciting week, please see Lynne. **Crew leaders needed!**



TWIGS
 Teens Walking In
 Gods Spirit



Our Mission is to engage teens in Christian values and inspire them to be rooted in God's love, to laugh often and live like Jesus.

A big thanks to all the TWIGS who participated in Rise Against Hunger and building a RAMP for Faith. She was so grateful for the Broome Co. Council of Churches Ramp Team and the TWIGS Youth



We will be celebrating our TWIGS youth on Sunday June 18th as we recognize them for all their accomplishments throughout the year. Please fill out a TWIG recognition form and submit it to Lynne by June 18th. Forms are emailed in my weekly update.

GARDEN PLOTS ARE AVAILABLE



The Church has some garden boxes available for your planting needs, if you would like a box,

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*****PLEASE LET THE OFFICE KNOW*****

A big **THANK YOU** to several members of the LOA congregation for their work in cleaning out the boxes to prepare them for planting.

“A SPECIAL GIFT OF PLANTING A TREE”

IN MEMORY OF ESTHER KENIEN

TREE DONATED BY HER 3 DAUGHTERS- CAROL, DONNA, AND LINDA.

TREE PLANTED BY PATTIE ANDERSON.

BIG THANKS TO ALL OF YOU !!



We are still looking for **several substitute delivery people** to help take meals to 50 some shut -ins.

If you can help on this mission, **please let the office know**. We are always looking for additional **volunteers to help** on our dinners. People are needed to help prepare the meals, pack the meals, prepare OR to pack up the desserts.

Working on the dinners is a great way to get to know your fellow Church members!



Bring a friend and enjoy

Below is the list of locations and dates for our June, 7pm Wednesday walks.

June 1— Riverhurst Cemetery, Endwell (Wed. after Memorial Day)

June 8 — Otsiningo Park, Binghamton (meet near playground)

June 15 — Otsiningo North, Binghamton (Upper Front Street)

June 22 — Meet at EUMC and walk to Wolfie's

**If you have questions, contact Steve or Paula Johnson
or the church office.**



June 4

Patti Anderson
Art Newcomb

June 11

Anita VanWinkle
Dale McGlynn

June 18

Steve Johnson
Paula Johnson

June 25

Georgia Tamblyn
Betty Jo Kasprzak

Monday, June 5th

8:30-11:00 AM

WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF MORE VOLUNTEERS

Please contact the office if you are interested

Serving over 200+ families with approximately 80-90 pounds of food!!!

UNITED WAY

DAY OF ACTION

****COMING ON JUNE 10TH****

ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST HAVE REGISTERED BY MAY 31ST

“SUMMER SPRUCE UP”

Outdoor clean-up, installing a garden fence, putting up basketball hoop, & sprucing up our gardens

All registered volunteers will be served pizza & drinks!!

(closed toe shoes are recommended & gardening gloves/tools are welcome)

9AM-2PM



Thursday, June 15th

as we attend a baseball game with all of the other local Methodist Churches.

Our District Superintendent, Rev. Bob Kolvik Cambell will be throwing out the first pitch.

[Tickets available @ church office \\$11.00/each](#)

****V I N E S****

starts Wednesday, June 14th

This Farm Share will start distribution of food items from 4 to 6 pm every Wed.

We are looking for a Church member who would be willing to volunteer to be at the Church during this time. This is part of our insurance requirements, and must be done. The volunteer needs to sit here while the VINES staff is here delivering. For more details, contact the EUMC office.

Interested in helping with this event.... please let Dave Alexander know so a schedule can be set up.

If you are interested in getting food items you can sign up by going to farmshare@vinesgardens.org.



12:00pm — Sold Out

\$12.00

Includes:

1/2 Chicken, Salt Potatoes & Coleslaw

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**Proceeds to support ongoing missions & ministry of
Endwell UMC**

Sharing a THANK YOU CARD from some people that are unable to drive & pick-up their prepared meals on Monday evenings.....
(GROUP FROM NICHOLS NOTCH APARTMENTS)

To: Congregants of Endwell United Methodist Church

On gratitude..... we have to constantly remind ourselves to look for what is RIGHT in the world instead of what is WRONG.

Gratitude unlocks the FULLNESS OF LIFE. It turns denial into acceptance, chaos into order, and confusion into clarity!

It can turn a meal into a FEAST! A house into a HOME. A stranger into a FRIEND. Gratitude makes sense of our past & our future!! —by Melody Beattle

***We are very grateful for the Monday night meals you give to us.
Thank you so much!!!!
— Signed by, Jean Newton, Marlene Hoover***

***When we give cheerfully and accept gracefully, EVERYONE IS BLESSED.
— Maya Angelou, Bev Shanghenessy, Rosetta, and the rest***

UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY: VBS HERO HOTLINE-July 9-13th & Chicken BBQ-July 15th

- * National Night Out ~ Tuesday, August 1st**
- * NY Yankee Bus Trip — Saturday, August 5th**
- * Trip to “Sight & Sound Theater” — Thursday, August 17th**
- * 2022 Golf Tournament ~ Saturday, August 27 @ Endwell Greens**

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June 2023 Journey



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Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

				1 7:15 pm Choir	2	3 8:30 am Men's Group
				Upper NY Annual Conference 6/1 — 6/3		
4 Holy Communion 10:00 am Worship/CC 11:00 am Laotian Worship Coffee Hour	5 8:30 am Mobile Food Bank 3:00 pm Lord's Table	6 10:00 am Prayer Group	7 7:00pm Sole 2 Soul (Otsiningo Park - near playground)	8 7:15 pm Choir	9	10 9:00 am—2:00 pm United Way Day of Caring
11 2nd Sunday after Pentecost 10:00 am Worship/CC 11:00 am Laotian Worship Coffee Hour 11:00 am VBS Training	12 3:00 pm Lord's Table	13 10:00 am Prayer Group 6:00 pm VBS Training	14 4:00pm-6:00pm VINES Farm Share 5:30pm Garden Club 7:00pm Sole 2 Soul Otsiningo Park North	15 6:30 pm UM Night at Ballgame 7:15 pm Choir	16	17 4:00 pm Hispanic Ministry Gathering
18 3rd Sunday after Pentecost 10:00 am Worship/CC 11:00 am Laotian Worship Coffee Hour	19 Office Closed/NO EPS 3:00 pm Lord's Table	20 10:00 am Prayer Group 6:00 pm Meeting Night 7:00 pm Ad Council	21 1:00 pm Parkinson Group 4:00pm-6:00pm VINES Farm Share 7:00pm Sole 2 Soul (Meet at EUMC walk to Wolfie's)	22	23 Last Day of EPS	24
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