# Westchester Reminder



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	Bible Classes	10:00 A.M.
SUNDAY	Morning Worship	11:00 A.M.
	Evening Bible Study	6:30 P.M.
WEDNESDAY	Bible Class	7:30 P.M.

### God's Plan for Man's Salvation

Sirs, what must I do to be saved? Acts 16:30

- 1) The Gospel MUST be **HEARD**: Romans 10:17 John 8:32
- 2) The Gospel MUST be **BELIEVED**: John 8:32 Mark 16:16
- 3) Sins MUST be **REPENTED**: Luke 13:3,5 Acts 2:38
- 4) Christ MUST be **CONFESSED**:
  Matthew 10:32-33 Romans 10:10
- 5) There MUST be **BAPTISM** (immersion) for the remission of sins:

Acts 2:38 1 Peter 3:21

6) There MUST be CHRISTIAN GROWTH, LOVE FAITHFULNESS

John 15:17 Revelation 2:10 2 Peter 3:18

# Scripture Reading

**Psalm 113:1-3 (ESV)** 

- <sup>1</sup> Praise the Lord! Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord!
- <sup>2</sup>Blessed be the name of the Lord from this time forth and forevermore!
- <sup>3</sup> From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name of the Lord is to be praised!

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

To join morning worship services from your computer, tablet, or smartphone https://wcocwp.org and click on the LIVESTREAM link

OR VIA

#### **FACE BOOK OR YOUTUBE:**

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#### **Sunday and Wednesday Night Bible Class Join Zoom Meeting:**

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6013170289?pwd=RTZHRUNFRDJKSFF0SXYwbGp2UG16QT09

Meeting ID: 601 317 0289

Passcode: 966843

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The Walking Believers Meet 7:00pm-9pm every Friday:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3238691879?pwd=cXF6WXRBSUVET052cG1aQV

Call in using your phone: (646) 558-8656.
Join Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 323 869 1879
Passcode: 994705

## **Westchester CoC News**

No Evening Bible Class Today Because of Mother's Day



"Let your father and mother be glad; let her who bore you rejoice." – Proverbs 23:22-25

### What A Fabulous Time We Had Last Sunday!

What a fantastic day of worship and fellowship we had last week. It was so wonderful to see everyone and to be together. Let us remain prayerful that the Lord will make us victorious over the virus so that we may soon worship in full once again.

## Save the Date - Saturday, May 22

You are cordially invited to join us on Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> 12 noon to 2:15 for an afternoon filled with food, fun, fellowship, AND a concert by the Easternnaires! This is a combined event with the Dutchess County church of Christ. Please come out and join us for this great event. You do not want to miss it! Please sign up at one of the bulletin boards so the right amount of food can be purchased.

## Our L2L Group and Parents Are Traveling to Indiana, PA This Weekend

Our prayers will be with our Lads 2 Leaders group as they travel to Indiana, PA for the first East Coast Lads Convention. The drive is around 5 hours, a considerable change from Louisville or Indianapolis which was a 12 plus hour drive. We were blessed to observe our young people practice their L2L presentations a few weeks ago. They are well prepared. We are enormously proud of our young people and grateful to Steve and Regina Campbell for all their work.

### **Solar Installation on the Building Begins Tomorrow**

Tomorrow morning the solar panels will be delivered and work on the installation will start. It is projected to take two weeks for the construction to be completed. Hopefully by the end of the month, the sun will be producing all the power we need in both buildings.

### **Worship Protocols:**

- Please do not come if you are feeling ill or display any symptoms of illness.
- NO HANDSHAKING, HUGGING OR CLOSE CONTACT WILL BE PRACTICED FOR NOW.
- We ask EVERYONE who attends to wear a mask and observe the social distancing rule. We will have masks available for those in need of one.
- No standing during the worship assembly.
- Masks must remain on during the singing part of our service.
- Your temperature will be checked upon entering the building.
- Children are welcome to attend with their parents, but at present we are not offering Bible classes or Bible Hour. Your children must remain with you in the auditorium.
- Suggestion: after service, please do not linger and socialize in the foyer. Please go outside if the weather allows. It is safer.

What do we see when we look at ourselves? Do we have an honest take? Or a self-inflated view? Note this discussion on the Cross:

"One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him: 'Aren't you the Christ? Save yourself and us!' But the other criminal rebuked him. 'Don't you fear God,' he said, 'since you are under the same sentence? We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong.' Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' Jesus answered him, 'I tell you the truth, today you will be with me in paradise'." Luke 23:39-43

When Jesus walked the earth, he gave clear signals on who he was; from where he came. Some accepted it, they understood his teaching, grasped that he was indeed the promised Messiah. Sadly, many rejected those truths. It is no different today. God shows clear evidence of his existence. We see it each and every day in nature, yet many seek to dispel the notion of there being any form of supreme entity.

See this perspective from Psalm 92.

"How great are your works, O Lord, how profound your thoughts! The senseless man does not know, fools do not understand...". Psalms 92:5-6

#### **Bible Reading: May 10-16, 2021**

- 1 Sam 1:1-2:21: Jn 5:1-23: Psa 105:37-45: Pro14:28-29
- 1 Sam 2:22-4:22; Jn 5:24-47; Psa 106:1-12; Pro 14:30-31
- 1 Sam 5:1-7:17; Jn 6:1-21; Psa 106:13-31; Pro 14:32-33
- 1 Sam 8:1-9:27; Jn 6:22-42; Psa 106:32-48; Pro 14:34-35
- 1 Sam 10:1-11:15; Jn 6:43-71; Psa107:1-43; Pro 15:1-3
- 1 Sam 12:1-13:22; Jn 7:1-29; Psa 108:1-13; Pro 15:4
- 1 Sam 13:23-14:52; Jn 7:30-53; Psa 109:1-31; Pro 15:5-7

YOU ARE MORE SINFUL THAN YOU COULD DARE IMAGINE AND YOU ARE MORE LOVED AND ACCEPTED THAN YOU COULD EVER DARE HOPE.

## **Today's Devotional:**

## **Prayer Requests**

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us... 1 John 5:14

The Lord is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him. Psalm 28:7

Answered Prayers: 1) 2) 3)

#### Please Join Us In Prayer:

- Sheree Charles is battling an on-going illness.
- India's dire covid situation
- Yvonne Crewe's 94-year-old father who lives in Jamaica is having health problems.
- Beverly Sutherland's family
- Phyllis Littlejohn as she deals with some personal legal issues creating stress in her life.
- Prayers for our country during this time of unrest
- Prayers that the Lord will protect Esteban Garcia while in boot camp.
- The missionaries we support: Russia, Nigeria, India, and Johnstown, NY.
- Special prayer request for our many members on the front lines fighting the coronavirus in various capacities: doctors, nurses, hospital personnel, nursing home staff, first responders, bus drivers, and others in dangerous situations. Continued prayers as the virus continues attack our country.

<u>Grieving</u>: The Martin and Fiori families, friends of the Olsens, as they grieve their mother, Hope Feeney Martin.

On-going Prayer Needs: Art & Mabel Davidson; Carolina Vasquez, Orlando Upegui; Miguelito Lopez; Sharon Boyd; Jimmy Reynolds; Mary Holdip; Paul Bell-Kirk; Diane Ghiloni; Digna Cruz; Vicki Bartels; Yvonne Sanchez; Stephen Campbell's mother, Gail Gipson; Mark and Carley Harris; and Regina Simpson

Those Fighting Cancer: Walter, Vicky Bartel's brother; Craig Hughes, a friend of the Olsen's; Stephanie Champion, Beverly Pierce's cousin; Nancy Garcia, friend of the Pierce family; Dan Winkler: and Nicole Gomez-Arocho, a co-worker of Jeanette Santacruz.

# In person visits are now allowed outside the facility! Please call before you go.

1) **Diane Ghiloni**: Glen Island Center for Nursing & Rehabilitation, 490 Pelham Rd, New Rochelle, NY 10805. Her room number is 243-A, (914) 246-7746. 2) Paul Bell-Kirk: 27 Jeanne Dr., Putnam Valley, NY 10579. His cell number is 914-310-6931. **Paul would appreciate phone calls and visits.** 

## We've Read 156,000 Minutes So Far. Let's Cross 175,000 Next Week!

1) As you read your bible, study your devotional, or listen to God's word, keep a mental note of the minutes.

2) On Saturday before noon please call or text Michael Kesten at (207) 930-0123 and leave a message stating the number of minutes you and your entire family read for the week.

THIS WEEK WE READ 7,065 MINUTES.
TO DATE, WE HAVE READ A TOTAL OF 155,708 MINUTES
TOWARDS OUR MILLION MINUTES READ!

## At Your House...

Will priorities be established in your children when...

- You are early for their ballgame, but late for worship?
- You check on their homework regularly, but never check on their Bible class lessons?
- You won't let them miss school even though they don't want to go, but let them miss church worship services?
- You won't let them stay up late on school nights, but let them stay up late on Saturday night?
- You will serve as room mother at their school or volunteer at school, but will not help with classes, activities, programs which involve spiritual matters?
- You attend open house at their school, but do not visit their classroom of Bible school, or even know where their class meets?
- You support, attend, or even participate in their sports activities (baseball, softball, basketball, volleyball, etc.) but regularly miss activities involving the church?
- You never (almost never) miss meeting with the civic or social club of which you are a member, but frequently miss worship services?
- You go to work even though you do not feel like it, but stay home on Sunday in the same condition?