# Westchester United Methodist "A Friendly Family Church"

Celebrating over 200 years of Building up the Kingdom of God by Growing Disciples and extending our Ministries

2547 East Tremont Ave, Bronx ,New York 10461



### **Men's Day**

June 19th 2022 (10a.m Service)

**Liturgical Color – White** 

Bishop Thomas J. Bickerton (Resident Bishop)

Rev. Simeon C. Law, (District Superintendent)

Rev. Beverly Hodges-Fairweather (Assistant to the Pastor)

Rev. Sonia Jermin (Ministries with Seniors & Spirituality)

Cora Doram - Lay Leader

Deaconess. Linda - Douglas Smith

(Lay Minister Small Groups Ministries & Attendance Building)

Rev. Ivy Dawson(Lay Minister Evangelism Related Ministries)

Min. Earlwyn Benjamin(Lay Minister Prayer & Healing Ministries)

Min. Joshua Olabisi (Lay Minister Care Ministries)

Rev. Gordon A.R. Edwards, Ph.D., Psy.D, Pastor

Pat Savage(Minister of Music ) - Roland Samuels(Percussionist)

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#### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

## The Prelude Call to Worship

Mr. Pat Savage

- L: See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called the children of God.
- P: You are my sons and daughters, this day I have begotten you.
- L: See what love the Father has given us.
- P: As many as received him, to them he gave power to become the children of God.
- L: See what love the Father has given us.
- P: Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.
- L: See what love the Father has given us,
- P: that we should be called the children of God.

#### Opening Hymn "O Let the Power Fall on me"

- 1. O let the power fall on me, My Lord Let the power fall on me; O let the power from heaven fall on me Let the power fall on me.
- 2. For we want power to live as one; yes Lord, We want power to live as one; So as we pray and intercede for some, May the Spirit make us one.
- 3. Send us the promised Comforter, O Christ, Send us the promised Comforter; And let our hearts be filled with love O Christ, When the Spirit come like Dove.
- 4. Give us the power here and now, O Christ, Please for the power here and now; Send us the power of grace and peace and love, Send us the power of peace and love.

#### **Opening Prayer**

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed by thy name

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, hallowed be thy name

Done on earth as it is in heaven, hallowed be thy name

Give us this day our daily bread, hallowed be thy name

And—forgive all our debts, hallowed be thy name

As we forgive our debtors, hallowed be thy name

Lead us not, into temptation, hallowed be thy name

But deliver us from evil, hallowed be thy name

Thine is the kingdom, power, and glory, hallowed be thy name

For-ever and ever, hallowed be thy name

Amen, amen, hallowed be thy name (x2)

Children's Moment

**Ministry of Music** 

**Roy Gomes on Steel Pan** 

#### **OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S GENEROSITY**

The **two buckets** located in the front and back are for our **Tithes/Offering** to cover our current expenses, Scholarship Fund, and the **Apportionment**.

#### PROCLAMATIONS AND RESPONSE

First Lesson
Gospel Lesson
Ministry of Music

1 Kings 19:1-15a Mark 5:21-24

**Westchester UMC Men Chorus** 

The Sermon: "A Father's Unconditional Love" Rev. George Haigler II Call to Discipleship Then Pastoral Prayer/Intercessory Prayer

#### **SENDING FORTH**

The Extinguishing of the Candles Benediction followed by the Threefold Amen

Closing Hymn "It only takes a spark"

1) It only takes a spark, To get a fire going

And soon all those around, Can warm up in its glowing That's how it is with God's love,Once you've experienced it You spread His love to ev'ryone,You want to pass it on

- 2) What a wondrous time is spring, when all the trees are budding The birds begin to sing, The flowers start their blooming That's how it is with God's love, Once you've experienced it You want to sing it's fresh like spring, You want to pass it on
- 3) wish for you my friend, This happiness that I've found You can depend on Him,It matters not where you're bound I'll shout it from the mountain top,I want my world to know The Lord of love has come to me,I want to pass it on

#### 1 Kings 19:1-15a

- 19:1 Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword.
- 19:2 Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, "So may the gods do to me, and more also, if I do not make your life like the life of one of them by this time tomorrow."
- 19:3 Then he was afraid; he got up and fled for his life, and came to Beersheba, which belongs to Judah; he left his servant there.
- 19:4 But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: "It is enough; now, O LORD, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors."
- 19:5 Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat."
- 19:6 He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again.

- 19:7 The angel of the LORD came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you."
- 19:8 He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.
- 19:9 At that place he came to a cave, and spent the night there. Then the word of the LORD came to him, saying, "What are you doing here, Elijah?"
- 19:10 He answered, "I have been very zealous for the LORD, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away."
- 19:11 He said, "Go out and stand on the mountain before the LORD, for the LORD is about to pass by." Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake;
- 19:12 and after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence.
- 19:13 When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?"
- 19:14 He answered, "I have been very zealous for the LORD, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away."
- 19:15a Then the LORD said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus.

#### Mark 5:21-24

5:21 When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea.

5:22 Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet

5:23 and begged him repeatedly, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live."

5:24 So he went with him. And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him.

\*\*Prayers for: Phyllis Watson, Dwayne Williams, The Shaws, Bernadette Smithen, Francine Brown, Sara Williams, Sydney Stevens. Marlando Daley, Jeanette Turner, Bro. Chapman, Bro. Telfer's Brother-Trent, Aldric Reid, Sylvester Henry, Sandra James, Eldra Petrus \*\* Special Prayer for Nomble who is leaving for Italy on



\* \* Birthdays & Anniversaries
Thur June 23<sup>rd</sup> Juliet Wright

June25th

Tues June 21st Anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. Jacobs





Church Service and Picnic in the Church Parking Lot  $\,$  June  $26^{th}$ 



• Church Council Meeting June 30th @7pm

Kids, Inc.





Dream

Bridging the Generational Gap - We our SENIORS Please JOIN Us

Date: Monday July 11, 2022 Time:

11am -4pm

**Location: Westchester UMC - 2547 E.** 

Cherrykidsinc.org

Everyone must wear mask to participate – COVID 19

Guidelines/Sign Photo Release

- Ministry Workshop July 9th (Registration Fee will be required-stay tuned)
- Ministry Workshop October 1st



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# Mission w 2022

JULY 23 & JULY 30, 2022 VIA ZOOM

Mission u is an opportunity to study current issues impacting society as they relate to our faith and to fellowship with other members of the New York Annual Conference.

Mission study this year features:

Adult Study: Who Can We Be Together: A Biblical Exploration of Luke 13

Who Can We Be Together allows participants to deeper explore what it means to be in community with one another.





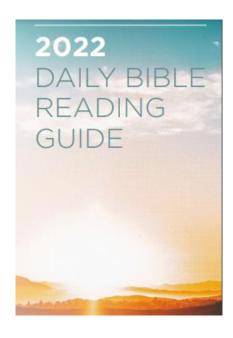
For more information, please contact us at NYACMISSIONU@GMAIL.COM

#### To Your Health: oral Hygiene by Victoria Jacobs

Good oral hygiene is very important and seeing your dentist on a regular basis for a cleaning & checkup is a must. Failure to do so can lead to tooth decay, cavities, pain & tooth loss. Tooth loss can affect you ability to bite and chew which can have a negative effect on your diet. Gum disease such as gingivitis and periodontitis may also become an issue and these often lead to chronic health conditions such as heart disease, stroke, arthritis, diabetes and oral cancer. Not only does good oral hygiene protect your teeth and gums, it also protects your ability to speak, chew and make facial expressions without pain or discomfort. The aim of regular dental check ups is to prevent plaque and tartar buildup on the teeth, which untreated may lead to gum disease and chronic health conditions. Your dentist will also check the overall health of your mouth. In addition to the obvious, the price of not taking care of your oral hygiene can lead to loss of confidence, which may affect both your mental and physical health. Proper oral hygiene care should include: Brushing properly twice a day. Every morning and every night you should spend about two minutes brushing your teeth with 30 seconds for each side (lower front, lower back, upper front, and upper back). Toothpaste that contains fluoride is recommended. Replacing your toothbrush regularly (as the head becomes worn and loose-about every three to four months). You need to have good tools to do a good job. Flossing between teeth at least once a day. Flossing removes food trapped between teeth and along the gum-line that brushing isn't able to access. Trapped foods can cause bacteria. If excess bacteria accumulates on your teeth and gums, it can travel through your throat to other parts of your body causing infections. Using a mouthwash that helps control plaque bacteria is recommended (plaque is a clear, sticky layer of bacteria. If it is not removed and hardens it becomes tarter). Note: Tarter cannot be removed by brushing and flossing. Your dentist will use a special tool to remove the tarter. This process is called scaling. Drinking enough water. The body's natural defense against gingivitis is through saliva, so the body needs to be hydrated in order to produce enough saliva. Water is also important because it rinses your mouth, cleaning it of bacteria that have not yet clung to the teeth or gums thereby lessening the chances of you getting

gingivitis. Water eliminates dry mouth and prevents bacteria that leads to cavities, gum disease and bad breath. Note: Rinsing your mouth daily with lukewarm salt water helps prevent plaque build up. Avoiding sugary foods and drinks as they promote bacteria in the mouth that causes tooth decay. Eating a healthy well balance diet including fiber rich foods and dairy products. Eat whole grains and fruits and vegetables. Chewing firm coarse watery and fibrous foods help produce saliva which aids in removing leftover food particles. Dairy products are high in calcium and protein which helps strengthen your teeth. Limiting alcohol intake (alcohol consumption has been associated with oral cancer and developing periodontitis. The sugar in beer, liquor and mixed drinks have a high acidity rate and can break down the tooth enamel which leads to cavities and tooth decay. Drinking Black and Green teas. They contain plaque fighting ingredients such as fluoride &polyphenols (polyphenols aid in killing bacteria). These teas also reduce acid in your mouth and they help combat bad breath. Fluoride plays a vital role in building strong teeth. In addition to finding it in toothpaste and water, most sea food is a source of fluoride as the ocean is full of natural sodium fluoride. (some fluoride is also in carrots, beets, canned pork and beans, canned tomato products and cheeses). Avoidance of smoking or use of smokeless tobacco is highly recommended. In addition to tooth discoloration tobacco weakens the immune system making it easier for gingivitis and perodontitis to develop. It also causes lack of oxygen in the bloodstream so that infected gums don't heal. Smokers tend to have more dental plaque which causes gum disease to get worse at a faster rate than non smokers. Note: You should see your dentist immediately if you are experiences loose teeth, sensitive teeth, tooth pain, bleeding gums, red or swollen gums, difficulty chewing or swallowing, constant dry mouth, jaw pain, spots or sores on the tongue or gums or anywhere inside the mouth. In general it is recommended that you see your dentist twice a year.

Be Encouraged: You are in charge of you. If you haven't done so over the last 12 months make an appointment to see your dentist. A smile is a terrible thing to lose. "Beloved, I hope that you are prospering in every aspect and in good health, just as your soul is prospering". 3John 1:2



#### JUNE : God's Renewing Word of New Life in the Spirit

Date	Reading		
🛮 1 Roma	ns 6:1-14		
🛮 2 Roma	ns 6:15-23	<u>Date</u>	Reading
☐ 3 Roma	ns 8:1-17	□ 14 Acts 12:1-25	
<i>□ 4 Romans 8:18-39</i>		□ 15 Acts	s 13:1-12
<i>□ 5 Acts 2:1-13</i>		□ 16 Acts	s 13:13-41
□ 6 Acts 2	2:14-28	□ 17 Acts	s 13:42-52
□ 7 Acts 2	2:29-47	□ 18 Acts	s 14:1-28
□ 8 Acts	<i>9:1-25</i>	<i>□ 19 Gala</i>	atians 1:1-24
□ 9 Acts	<i>9:26-43</i>	<i>□ 20 Gala</i>	atians 2:1-21
□ 10 Acts	<i>: 10:1-33</i>	<i>□ 21 Gala</i>	atians 3:1-14
□ 11 Acts	<i>10:34-48</i>	<i>□ 22 Gala</i>	atians 3:15—4:7
□ 12 Acts	<i>11:1-18</i>	<i>□ 23 Gala</i>	atians 4:8-31
□ 13 Acts	<i>11:19-30</i>	<i>□ 24 Gala</i>	atians 5:1-26
		<i>□ 25 Gala</i>	atians 6:1-18
		□ 26 1 Co	orinthians 12:1-11
		□ 27 1 C	orinthians 12:12-31
		□ 28 1 Co	orinthians 13:1-13
		<i>□ 29 1 C</i> 6	orinthians 14:1-25

☐ 30 1 Corinthians 14:26-40

#### **Worship Sermon Notes**

Date:	Preacher:		
	'S WORD IN THE SERMON		
will double the see.	percentage of our take-ho	near; it has been suggested that note-ta ome knowledge. I encourage you to try	_
Scripture Passa			
OT:	Epistle:	Gospel:	
INTRODUCTIO	N:		
Transitional St	atement:		
MAIN POINTS			
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4			
CONCLUSION:			
What is the ma	ain idea?		
What is God as	king me to do right now?		
What am I goir	ng to do about it?		