

Welcome to the Morning Worship Service! *February 23, 2020*

When the music begins to play, please silence your cell phone and prepare your heart for worship.

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Prayer

♪ Call to Worship ♪

Worship of Giving

♪ Song of Preparation ♪

Hymn #515:

“The King Is Coming”

(Children who are in kindergarten through the 3rd grade are dismissed to go downstairs for Children's Church. Nursery care is provided for infants and children 4 years old and under).

Message:

Pastor Ron Dusharm

♪ Praise Music ♪

Benediction



THIS IS LOVE
FOR GOD:
*to keep his
commands.*

1 John 5:3, NIV

Visitors

We are honored to have you with us today. Please be sure to sign the attendance register as it comes around, and if you would like more information about the church, please ask an usher for a "Welcome" brochure.

Youth Groups

Neither the Junior nor the Senior High Youth Group will meet today. The Junior High Youth Group will meet next Sunday March 1st from 6-8:00 pm, but the Senior High Youth Group will not meet again until their Winter Retreat at Beaver Camp March 13-15.

Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study will meet this Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship House for their study: "God of Creation" a study of Genesis 1 - 11" by Jen Wilkin.

Men's Bible Study

The men have outgrown their meeting space in the Fellowship House and are now meeting every Thursday evening at 7:00 pm downstairs in the church Fellowship Hall.

2020-2021 Budget Requests

Don't forget! If you are the head or chair of a ministry, committee or activity that uses church funding, please submit (in person or email to: gmedley@frontier.com) your budget request to the Treasurer Gaylon Medley **by Sunday March 15th** for consideration.

Women's Full Circle Tour

Featuring Patsy Clairmont, Anita Renfroe & Jan Silvius
Friday, April 24, 2020 at 7:00 pm (Doors open @ 6:00 pm)
at The Gathering Place

North Syracuse Baptist Church

420 South Main Street, North Syracuse 13212

Tickets are \$24 (Payment required to order ticket)

Contact Sherri Woods or Donna Marshall by March 8th

(315-569-4986) (315-283-8299)

Looking ahead . . .

Feb 23 Baby Bottles due back

Feb 25 Women's Bible Study

Mar 8 Women's Full Circle Tour-Sign-up Deadline

Mar 13-15 Sr Hi Winter Retreat @ Beaver Camp

Mar 15 Budget Requests Due



New Adult Sunday School Class

1 Timothy 4:8 . . . for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come.

Scripture tells us that God has given us "everything we need for life and godliness" (2 Peter 1:3). But what makes a Christian godly? In *The Practice of Godliness*, Jerry Bridges examines what it means to grow in Christian character and helps us establish the foundation upon which that character is built. In order to live godly lives, we need an inward foundation of God-centeredness.

Growing in godliness is a twofold process. It involves embracing an ever-deepening devotion to God and developing a character that is steadily transformed into His likeness. Bridges opens our eyes to see how character formation affects the way that we relate to God, ourselves, and others.

This all-in-one curriculum set includes *The Practice of Godliness* in its entirety as well as a study guide. There are wide margins for taking notes, and at the end of each session, you'll find discussion questions that will help you explore how to let the Holy Spirit cultivate the fruit of God's character traits in your life.

Please join us as we begin this study in the Adult Sunday School class. The class will **begin on Sunday morning March 15th at 9:30 am** downstairs in the Fellowship Hall.

Giving

General Fund Balance	Actual	Budgeted
Offering for February 16	\$2,834.00	\$3,125
Fiscal-Year-to-Date	\$109,254.79	\$118,750

Opportunities for Feb. 23rd – March 1st

Today	Morning Worship Service	11:00 AM
	Jr & Sr High Youth Groups will NOT meet	
Monday	AA Meeting	7:00 PM
Tuesday	Women's Bible Study	7:00 PM
Wednesday	Moms in Prayer	9:30 AM
	Hour of Prayer	7:00 PM
Thursday	Food Pantry Is Open	5:00 PM
	Men's Bible Study	7:00 PM
Next Sunday March 1 st COMMUNION	Sunday School for All Ages	9:30 AM
	Morning Worship Service	11:00 AM
	Senior High Youth Group will NOT meet	
	Junior High Youth Group	6-8:00 PM

Nursery Volunteers

Today: Deb Harrigan & Amy Pittroff

Next Sunday: ???

Ushers: Ron Gourley, Jeff Greene & Dick Kalinowski

For March: Joe Medley, Phil Pittroff & Steve Woods

Children's Church

Today: Donna Marshall

Next Sunday: Melanie LaVere

Snow Removal

March 1st: Dave Stevens