

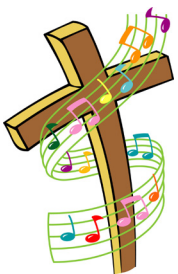


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## In Person Worship

On March 21st we began having Sunday worship services in the Sanctuary in addition to continuing on Zoom. In following NYS and Upper NY Conference guidelines, we had to be sure that everyone would be safe and so we enacted specific protocols as things continued to change. Currently we are able to accommodate all who would like to attend Sunday worship service in our Sanctuary. We are able to be seated near each other, and we are now also singing as well as enjoying coffee time outdoors after the service.

The Worship Committee is looking for individuals who are willing to read the scripture reading during Sunday's service. You would get the reading ahead of time so that you can familiarize yourself with the passage. This is also open to those who are joining the service via zoom. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the sanctuary or contact Pastor Geri if you are interested in participating in this way.



## Make a Joyful Noise!

The current Bell Quartet needs a few more ringers to become a Bell Choir in the fall! Please contact Pastor Geri if interested.

Anyone interested in singing in the Vocal Choir this fall? Please contact Eric for more information.

## News from the Attic

The Attic Thrift Shop is open for the season and doing great business! So far we have had lots of shoppers and always looking for additional donations.

We have a new donation shed located behind the school house thanks to the trustees and frequent shoppers. We accept donations on Saturdays 9 am to 1 pm and also on Mondays 10 am to 11:30 am.

We have many volunteers making the Attic Thrift Shop possible. If you are interested in lending a hand, please contact Rachel Boyer.

Four worthy applicants applied for the first Attic scholarship. The recipient of the Jacksonville Community Attic Thrift Shop scholarship has been selected and will receive recognition and a \$250 check at the senior awards program. Stay tuned to find out who the deserving winner is!



## Coming Events

- United Methodist Women are winding down for the summer with a noontime picnic on June 24 at the Jacksonville Community Park. Please bring a dish-to-pass, beverage and table service. Following lunch we will have a quick business meeting and welcome three new members!
- Vacation Bible Camp plans underway for early August. Specific dates TBD.

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## Missions Committee Update

The mission committee is supporting Maddy Brainard as she manages the Mutual Aid Food Sharing Cabinet in order to earn her Girl Scout Gold Award. Opened on May 1, it is becoming a regular stopping place for those who need food and supplies and those who wish to donate. We have a cabinet for non-perishable food and supplies and a cooler with ice to hold perishables. We have sent out several lists of possible donations but almost anything other than expired food is fine. You may put things in the Cabinet directly, or put things in the box in the Attic on Saturday 9—1 or Monday 10-12.

We are also beginning the special food collections, which were begun by Marguerite Sterling, a former church member, in honor of her mother. Each month, we will specify particular items for this effort. In JUNE, we will collect BREAKFAST ITEMS (cereal, oatmeal, granola bars, fruit bars, pop tarts, pancake mix, etc.) These may be left under the coat rack as you enter the sanctuary. Of course you may continue to donate other items.

We have two thank yous for May. First was a donation of 240 four packs of toilet tissue as well as paper towels and hand sanitizer from the Salvation Army. A huge supply was donated to them and they contacted area non-profits to come get it. Maddy called, and Sarah picked up and delivered to church.

Second, we have a thank you from the Presbyterian Church for use of our parking lot for Dougs Fish Fry. They donated \$50 to our Food Sharing Cabinet as a thank you. To quote: "The First Presbyterian Church has been supporting youth in need through the Trumansburg and South Seneca Nurses' Discretionary Funds. This [the Cabinet] is another way to help a youth [Maddy] who is helping others."

Over the summer, missions will keep an eye out for other projects.

Committee: Cassie Besemer, Maddy Brainard, Amy Moe, Lynn Rich, Don Shardlow, Beth Hickman, Chair

