

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Attention: 8:30 Service Worshippers.** Please consider taking a turn to set up a Sunday for Communion. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the church.

The next UMW meeting will be held February 9th at 7:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Sue Moses will lead us in making a Valentine's Day project for the nursing home. All women are welcome.

Lenten Lunches begin February 17th. "My God, My God, Why Have You Forsaken Me?" will be the topic lead by Rev. Dr. Thomas Taylor, East Avon First Presbyterian. All luncheons are at the Avon Central Presbyterian Church, 133 Genesee Street, starting at 11:45am. A \$2.00 donation is appreciated to cover the cost of paper products.

Unless otherwise noted, church meetings will be held in the Royal Perrin Room.

The Royal Perrin Room is located through the doors at the front of the church worship space past the church offices on your left hand side.

The Church offices are located through the doors at the front of the church worship space.

Fellowship Hall is located in the large room below the church worship space on the lower level.

Coffee Hour is located in Fellowship Hall.

Restrooms are located on the lower level. Pass through Fellowship Hall where they will be on your left.

The Nursery, staffed by trained, background checked individuals, is located on the lower level. Pass through Fellowship Hall, to the end of the hallway.

February Food Pantry Update: cereal, boxed potatoes, rice and/or pasta mixes, and canned spaghetti

## This Week

### TODAY — February 1, 2015

8:30 Worship  
9:30 Sunday School  
Coffee Hour  
10:30 Worship Service  
*Choir Exchange with the Genesee United Methodist Church*  
11:30 Bible Study  
Monday 7:00 SPPRC  
Wednesday 7:00 Chancel Choir  
Thursday 9:30 Giggle Time  
11:00 Bible Study  
Friday AUMC Women's Retreat

### NEXT WEEK — February 8, 2015

8:30 Worship  
9:30 Sunday School  
Coffee Hour  
10:30 Worship  
11:30 Bible Study

## Coffee Hour Welcome

Coffee hour is between services from 9:30am - 10:30am. Come and join in for fellowship over a cup of coffee and doughnuts!

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# Faithful Healing



## Welcome to worship this morning! We're glad you've joined us!

Please take a moment to note your presence on the yellow welcome sheets found in the pews near the center aisle.

Our vision: "We are a family of God, a fellowship of believers, seeking to know Christ and to make Christ known to others."

Our mission: "To follow in the path of Jesus so that we may grow in faith, serve in His name, and share God's love."

AVON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
February 1, 2015 10:30 a.m.

## Fourth Sunday After The Epiphany

\* = Please stand in Body or Spirit  
Songs numbered 2000 and higher  
may be found in the small black songbook.

### We Gather in Praise and Prayer

**Prelude** "I Want to Know You More"  
*arr. by Mark Hayes*

**Welcome**

**\*The Peace**

**A Time of Centering** "Abide With Me"  
*arr. by Leslie Cradlaugh*

Heal me hands of Jesus,  
and search out all my pain;  
restore my hope, remove my fear,  
and bring me peace again..

### **\*Call To Worship**

We have come seeking the healing love of God, that we may  
become whole and loving.

**As Jesus has shared the life of earth, through Christ we  
may share the life of God.**

In growing holiness, justice and love we come to this place  
this morning.

Let us rejoice in God's presence and share God's life. Let  
us worship God.

**Special Music** "Thine O Lord" *arr. by Craig Courtney*

### We Hear The Word

**Scripture Readings** Mark 1:21-28

**Conversations with the Children**

**Morning Prayers**

### **Sharing our Prayers**

#### **The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Special Music** "Speak, Lord, in the Stillness"  
*arr. by David Schwoebel*

**Sermon** "Faithful Healing"

**\*Hymn** "There is a Balm in Gilead" # 375

### We Respond to God's Grace

**The Joy of Giving** "Every Day" *arr. by Mark Hayes*

### We Celebrate Communion

**Hymn** "In Remembrance of Me" # 2254  
*Please come to the Communion Table by the center aisle, and  
return to your seat by the side aisles.*

**Communion Song** "Though Didst Leave Thy Throne"  
*arr. by Craig Curry*

### We Go Forth to Serve

**\*Hymn** "Bind Us Together Lord" # 2226

**\*Benediction**

**Choral Benediction** "The Lord Bless You and Keep You"  
*arr. by Peter C. Lutkin*

**\*Postlude** "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"  
*arr. by Mark Hayes*

We welcome the Geneseo United Methodist Choir and  
their director, Cynthia Fowler, to our 10:30 worship  
service this morning. We have gathered together for many  
years and feel blessed to have this wonderful relationship  
with our friends from Geneseo. Thank you to both choirs  
for their beautiful music!

#### **SERVICE PARTICIPANTS**

**Preacher:** Rev. Mary E. Martin  
**Usher:** Elaine & Gary Davis, Craig & Stormy Bailey  
**Reader:** Mike Griswold  
**Music Director:** Linda Rosebrough  
**Organist:** Mark Brennan

*The flowers on the altar were given today from the AUMC Choir  
in celebration of singing together with our friends from the  
Geneseo Methodist Choir.*

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