



Opportunities for Fellowship and

Service TODAY

Nursery

Laurel Comstock

Jr. Church (K-3rd grade)

Ann Gross

Club 320 Preteen Ministry (Grades 4-6)

Bill Beck

11:15 Sun. School Chorus Practice in Jr. Ch. Room

11:15 Adults - *Please join us for refreshments in the*

Fellowship Hall

11:15 Church School Classes for All Ages **Children/youth meet in**

Court area to go to Cuba Hospital

Adults: Bible Study led by Pastor Alex – Fellowship Hall

Wired Word (Contemporary events from a Christian Perspective) led by Henry Mayo - Lounge

Young Adults' Discussion Group led by Miranda Hunter – Upstairs Meeting Room

6:30 Drama practice for Maundy Thursday – F.H.

Monday 7:45 a.m. Prayer Time in Lounge
8-9 a.m. Exercise Group – F.H.

Tuesday

Wednesday 8-9 a.m. Exercise Group – F.H.
10:30 a.m. Bible Study Group in Lounge

Thursday **6:00 Maundy Thursday Meal, Drama & Communion**

Friday **7-7 Good Friday Prayer Vigil** - Lounge
9 - Noon Rummage Rooms Open

Saturday 9- Noon Rummage Rooms Open
12-6 Nolan family using F.H.



Easter Sunday

10:00 a.m. "A Reason to Hope"
John 20:1-10

11:15 Easter Fellowship Time
(NO Church School Classes today)

Attendance Last Sunday 146

CCLI # 1751709

Palm Sunday



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“STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS”

10:00 A.M.
March 29, 2015



(Supervised care by an adult for infants and young pre-schoolers is available in the Church Nursery)

Celebration and Concern Slips are in Pew Pockets for your convenience. Please write it out clearly and an usher will collect it during the Prelude.

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP *“Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord”* Mark 11:9

WELCOME

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

GOOD FRIDAY PRAYER VIGIL PROMOTION Marian Clark

PROCESSIONAL “Blessed Is He”

HYMN OF PRAISE #234 v.1,2,3 “All Glory, Laud and Honor”

SHARING OF CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PRAYER CHORUS #462 v.1 “My Faith Looks Up to Thee”

THE CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (unison) (debts)

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHORUS “Hey Come Along”

THE CHILDREN’S STORY Palm Sunday Video (John 12:12-16)

(Pre-schoolers may go to the Nursery. Grades K-3 may go to Jr. Church. Grades 4,5,6 may go to the Teen Room for Club 320.)

* HYMN #237 v.1,4 “I Will Sing of My Redeemer”

ANTHEM “Messiah Comes”

THE SERMON “Seeing The Real Jesus”

* HYMN OF COMMITMENT #233 v. 1,3

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING - PRAYER OF DEDICATION

THE OFFERTORY

* THE DOXOLOGY #623

“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

* BENEDICTION

* CHORAL RESPONSE # 3 v. 1

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

* POSTLUDE

* GREET YOUR NEIGHBORS

Invite someone new to you or that you haven’t spoken to recently to join you for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall

* Those who are able are invited to stand.

Organist/Choir Director Nettie White Pianist Maggie Watson

During the announcements those sitting beside or near the center aisle are asked to sign and pass along the red “**Ministry of Friendship**” pads. When the pad reaches the end of your row, please pass it back to the center and learn the name of those sitting with you.



Thank You

to the Ministers of Courtesy greeting you at the doors today.

INVITATION: Worship ends in dedication to God. If your dedication involves a decision to accept Jesus Christ as your Savior, or be baptized, or to join our church, we invite you to share your decision with Pastor Larry or Pastor Alex.

Our Church is equipped with -

- **Hearing assistance system.** Please ask an usher for a portable receiver or pick one up at the Technology Center.
- **Back support cushions.** Please ask an usher for assistance

Thank You for setting your cell phone to “silent”.

Requests for the Week of March 29th

Remember in Care Facilities

Rochester General Susan Wellcome
VA (Batavia) Dennis Chamberlain
Dock Terrace (PA) Mildred Montgomery
Cuba Hospital Lucy Bosworth, Deb Blakeslee,
Rod Benjamin, "Pete" Little, John Hoagland, Gail Ingalls
Eden Heights Mary Wilday, Helen Swift
Livingston Cty. Center for Nursing & Rehab. Katie Hamilton
Manor Hills (Wellsville) Elva Gross, Flora Prentice
The Pines (Machias) Gloria Button *The Pines (Olean)* **Bill Button**
Bay Breeze Nursing Home (FL) Adah Shaffer
Wellsville Manor Joann Lee



Remember Church Family at Home

Donna Ball, Betty Bowker, Harold Bowker, Betty Burrows, **Rose Calhoun**, Gene Case, Bob Clayson, Jim Cross, Mary Lou Cummins, De Donner, George Edwards, June Enos, Marian Freer, Fred and Linda Goldthwait, Penny Greene, Evangeline Greenman, Angela Hajzak, Carol Halstead, Meredith Hubbard, Bob Little, Jon Little, Jillian Maxson, Ernie Mahon, Jessa Miller-Young, Diane Sheldon, John Shelley, Terry Smith, Wally Watson, Edith White, Jeanne Winchell, Steve Wise

Remember Friends and Family

Dick Botens, Vyrna Brown, Laydon Burdick, Helen Burt, Vera Carr, Frank Cavazos Arthur Clark (CA), Sue Clark, Leroy Clayson, Erin Deming, Robert Foster, Michael Freidly, Kathy Glover, Pearl Harris, Nancy Hauser (WA), William Hunter, Sr., Andrea Kinkade (PA), Jack Knapp (Big Flats), Steven Knapp, Carolyn Mitchell, Dan Miller, Riley Mountain, Dale Neilson, Howard Parrish, Betty Parker, Ryan Paulsen, Ray Perkins, Gordon Reed (SC), Mindy Rasmussen Reeds (FL), Colette Plants Reardon, Carol Riggs, Gaylord Sage, Richard Say, LaVerne Shotwell (IL), Jed Sisson, Casie Lewis Stein & triplets, Paul Swenson, Maureen Valentine, June Wallace, **Delores Wetherby**, Eugene Williams, Barb Windus

Remember Children/Youth

Natalie Burrows, Liam G. Cross, Amber Lunn, (NC), Alice Moore, Loghann Patten, Evan Welch

Special Interest Missionaries

David and Joyce Reed, Mexico Dan and Sarah Chetti, Lebanon

Those Serving in the Military



Today 11:15

Parents are needed to assist with transporting children to Cuba Hospital to sing and distribute palms. Meet in the Court area.



Maundy Thursday

April 2 - 6 p.m.

Simple meal, drama, communion

Please fill out the reservation form below or call/email the Church Office by Monday noon.



Good Friday Vigil
April 3rd 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Sign for ½ hour or more either in the Church Lounge or at home. Spend some quiet time with God and remember how much Christ loves us. Sign sheet on table in Court.

Maundy Thursday Dinner and Drama *Reservation Form*

Name _____

Number Attending _____

Donations will be received to defray meal expense.

America For Christ Offering 2015

Discipleship: A Journey of Grace Titus 2:11-13
This offering supports our ABC Regional and National Home Missions. Our church's goal is \$1200. To date we have received \$677. Offering envelopes are in the pew pockets.



Holy Week Community Witness Crosses

There are still a few crosses and cloth packages available in the Fellowship Hall. \$5 suggested donation.

TODAY – put up the cross with the purple cloth

Early on Good Friday – replace purple cloth with black

Early on Easter – replace black cloth with white cloth

Monday, April 6th – take down the cross and store it for next year.



CAMP VICK brochures are now available from display by the Lounge. The Witter Fund will provide \$100 camperships for the shorter Beginners Sessions and \$150 camperships for the Sun.-Fri. sessions.

Keep in mind the Youth Retreat at **Camp JYC** for grades 2-6 will be the weekend of Aug. 7-9.

CHURCH EVENT PLANNERS or SCHEDULERS...

Anyone involved in planning events or projects at Cuba First Baptist, please contact Claudia Little, clittle1@roadrunner.com, or 585-968-3061 in order to add your info to our website and/or FaceBook page.

Many around us are technology minded, and this is proving to be an excellent way to "get our messages out".

PLEASE READ THIS

As we enter our time of transitioning to a new pastor, we are asking the congregation and church family for their input on the **CHARACTERISTICS of our CHURCH**. This information will help in the selection of candidates for us to consider for our interim pastor. (There will be opportunities in the future for more input on the characteristics of a new pastor.)

A very brief form is available on the table in the Church Court. Please take one today, fill it out and return it to the box located on the table, or give it to any of the Interim Committee members. (Faith Stewart, Melissa Grover, Skip Wilday and Claudia Little).

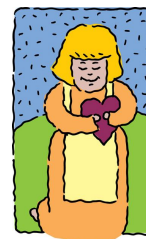
We value your input on this matter.

Thanks, the Interim Committee



Important News

EASTER FLOWER ORDER FORMS are available on the table in the Court.



Our Friends of the Week are Jim and Delores Cross 12 Orchard St. Cuba, NY 14727
Jim and Delores have not been able to join us at church recently. Send them some springtime greetings from friends at First Baptist.



Our Christian Sympathy is extended to -
Clara M^cGinnis and family on the death of her husband Dale.

Jon Morris and family on the death of his father in Michigan.