



So All May Know Joy

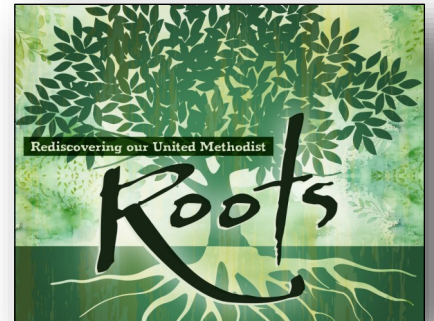
BUMC Weekly Connection—May 17

This Sunday, May 19 @ 9:00

Also on Buffalo United Methodist Church's Facebook Page & YouTube!

Sermon Series— Roots

Roots give us the stability and nourishment we need to grow and break new ground. As we seek to grow in our faith as individuals and as the church, looking back at the deep roots of the Methodist movement can help us look forward to our future. More than mere traditions or rituals, our Methodist roots are evidence of God's Spirit moving through our history, the same Spirit who is breathing life into us today.



This Sunday — Personal and Social Holiness: Missional Connection | Micah 6:6-8

John Wesley, said "There is no holiness but social holiness." Salvation and a full life in Christ are seen in personal and social holiness. This holiness calls us to a missional connection with our communities and the world.

Scripture Reading | Micah 6:8

He has shown you, O mortal, what is good.
And what does the LORD require of you?
To act justly and to love mercy
and to walk humbly with your God.

Next Week — Holy Conferencing |

Colossians 3:12-17

In the United Methodist Church, holy conferencing focuses on the ability of laity and clergy to come together and discuss and discern difficult topics guided by the Holy Spirit, which can be a witness to the world. The local church can also engage in holy conferencing through its ministry and decision-making.



Sunday Fellowship

This week, as Sunday School wraps up their year of programming, they will be making/offering pancakes for us during the Fellowship time. Please join us for a delicious breakfast and don't forget to thank the Sunday School staff for all their hard work this past year!

Coffee and Worship

The two best things on Sunday morning are coffee and worship, and so we welcome you to bring your coffee in to the sanctuary. However, in order to preserve our beautiful space, we ask that you bring a covered coffee cup from home when bringing your cup into worship.



Other Ministry Updates

- May 19** 9:00 am Worship Service
10:00 am Fellowship
10:00 am Education Hour—Last Day
- May 21** 4:00 pm SPRC Meeting
5:00 pm Marriage Class
- May 22** 6:00 pm Confirmation Picnic
- May 26** 9:00 am Worship Service—Memorial Gift Sunday
10:00 am Fellowship



Communion in June

We will be moving Communion from **June 2 to June 9.**

Summer Worship

Just a reminder that we will be back to only one service throughout the summer.

Sunday School

Please join us for an end of the year celebration on **Sunday, May 19th** during Fellowship!

Postponed 2020 General Conference Results

A summary of key decisions from the General Conference can be found in the entry way or [Click Here](#).

Spirituality in Nature Group (S.I.N.G)

S.I.N.G. is a gathering of people who want to explore our connection to God in Nature.

At each gathering, there will be a variety of activities, including meeting new people with common



interests, exploring nature in both group and solo time, as well as a time of sharing. Meetings will be at Bertram Regional Park (9910 Briarwood Ave NE, Monticello) at the amphitheater at **6:30 pm**. Join once or as many times that work for your schedule. We hope to see you there!

June 6 - Summer Solstice 1

June 20 - Summer Solstice 2

Faith Stepping Stone: Graduation

Please save the date for a special celebration of our graduating senior students on **Sunday, June 2nd** during worship. Curtis Rieck will be preaching for us. Families, please get your graduates pictures in to the office soon.

The CHOSEN Summer Movie Nights Planned!

Join us this summer as we watch *The Chosen: Season 2* and look at the life of Christ through the eyes of His disciples. Come and see what they saw. Every **Wednesday** starting **June 12** (not the 5th as originally stated) **from 6:30 - 7:30 pm** we will be showing one episode. There will be time for discussion afterwards. Join in as many as you can!

Reading in the Park

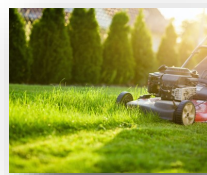
Our Summer Reading in the Park program kicks off on **June 19** and continues each **Wednesday from 9:30 - 10:30 am** through **August 21**. More details will be coming, but please spread the word about this great ministry in "The Park!!"

Gift Card Scams

This is a friendly reminder that Pastor Amy and other church staff will never text or email you with a request to buy gift cards, transfer or send money, or anything else like that. If it looks like a scam, it usually is. This is a well-known scam that has been in operation for years. If you have any questions regarding this, please call the church office.

Memorial Gift Sunday

On Sunday, May 26 we will recognize all memorial gifts given to the church over the past year, and celebrate the ways those gifts support our ongoing ministries done in the name of Christ.



Help! Lawn Mowing Volunteers Sought

If you can help this summer, please let us know. Please email [Julie Bedker](#) or call 612-280-

2274 or sign-up on the bulletin board if you can help.