**calendar this week**

office hours:  **Tue. 9:30-Noon, Wed. 9-Noon, Thur. 9:30-Noon**

**SUNDAY, May 19**

**THURSDAY, May 23**

6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (8)

6:30 p.m. ACWT (S)

7:00 p.m. Small Group (Metzger) (P)

**FRIDAY, May 24**

6:00 p.m. Youth Connection (YR)

7:00 p.m Sr. High Youth (YR, Ide)

**SATURDAY, May 25**

11:00 a.m. Grief Share (P)

4:00 p.m. Community Dinner (Ide,K)

**SUNDAY, May 26**

**Nursery care provided from 9:00 - 12:00 p.m.**

8:00 a.m. Prayer Meeting (P)

8:15 a.m. ACWT (S)

9:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service (S)

9:45 a.m. Kids Church – Pre K–Kindergarten (7)

9:45 a.m. Kids Church –Grade 1- 5 (3/4)

10:45 a.m. High School & Young Adult (2)

11:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School (P)

11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service (S, G, K)

11:00 a.m. Confirmation Class (8)

11:15 a.m. Sunday School – Pre-K (N)

11:15 a.m. Sunday School – 1-5th Grade (3/4)

12:15 p.m. Offering (O)

2:00 p.m. African Worship (S)

3:00 p.m. Hispanic Worship (C)

3:20 p.m. Hispanic Children’s Worship (8)

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10:45 a.m. Kidsgate (Ide)

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**MONDAY, May 20**

6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts (3/4)

7:00 p.m. Small Group (Winter) (P)

**TUESDAY, May 21**

6:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Greece School Budget Vote(Ide)

11:30 a.m. Morning Circle Lunch (Hose 22)

1:00 p.m. Small Group (Coburn) (P)

**WEDNESDAY, May 22**

6:00 p.m. Bible Study (Winter) (P)

7:00 p.m. Hispanic Bible Study(2)

7:00 p.m. Hispanic Kids(7)

7:00 p.m. Choir (S)

**2 = Room 2 C = Chapel**

**FH = Fellowship Hall G = Gathering Space**

**Ide = Ide Family Life Center K = Kitchen**

**L = Library N = Nursery**

**O = Office P = Parlor**

**S = Sanctuary YR = Youth Room**

**AA MEETINGS** **GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS GAM-ANON**

Daily 7:30 a.m. (FH) Fri. 7:00 p.m. (3/4) Fri. 7:00 p.m. (P)

Sun. 7:00 p.m. (FH) Sat. 9:00 a.m. (2) Sat. 9:00 a.m. (2)

Mon. 7:30 p.m. (FH)

Wed. 5:30 p.m. (FH) **ALANON**

Thurs. 7:00 p.m. (FH) (women only) Mon. 7:30 p.m. (8)



Aldersgate

## **United Methodist Church**

**4115 Dewey Avenue**

**Rochester, New York 14616-1216**

**663-3665**

**May 19, 2019 – 11:00 a.m.**

**Transforming Lives and Serving Christ with Joy**

**2019 – Live Faith with Holy Boldness**

We celebrate your presence at Aldersgate today. Please fill out our Connection Card and put it in the offering plate.

\*As many as are able are invited to stand

+The Faith We Sing Songbook

Music for Gathering

\* Opening Hymn *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart* No. 160 (vs. 1, 3 & 5)

\* Call To Worship & Opening Prayer – Psalm 150

Leader: Praise God for his mighty deeds!

**People: Praise him for his magnificent greatness!**

Leader: Praise him with a blast on the trumpet!

**People: Praise him with loud clashing cymbals!**

Leader: Praise him with strings and pipes!  
**People: Praise him with tambourine and dance!**

Leader: Let us pray.

**All: You created the universe with joy. And You said, “It is good.” When you made this world, including us, you worked with a joyful spirit. Soak us in your laundry this morning and wash away fear, anxiety and despair so that we will come out clean with your spirit of joy. Help us to serve with a joyful heart, not driven by duty and obligation only. We pray in the name of Jesus who gladly shared his life with us. Amen.**

Exciting Events in the Life of the Church – Debt Reduction Campaign

Ministry of Music *Following Jesus Medley* Pethel

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

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.**

Prayer Response

\* Hymn *Freely, Freely* No. 389

Scripture Reading Luke 18:18-23 Brian Winter

The Message Sermon on the Piano Pastor Lee

The Offertory

Offertory Music *Since I’ve Laid My Burdens Down*     Hurt Jim Cobia, Guitar and Vocals;   Brian Winter, Guitar

\* Doxology and Presentation of Gifts No. 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Allelulia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Allelulia! Allleluia! Alleluia!**

\* Hymn *I’ve Got the Joy in My Heart*

\* Benediction

Choral Response

Postlude

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+The Faith We Sing Songbook

You can see the Usher for: Large Print Hymnals

Wireless aids for the hearing impaired.

**Our Mission (What we are to do):** *The mission of the Aldersgate United Methodist Church is to glorify God by sharing Christ’s transforming love, introducing Christ to those who do not know him, and inviting people to join us in becoming devoted followers of Christ serving in the world.*

**Our Vision (What we are to be):** *The Aldersgate United Methodist Church is a warm hearted Christian fellowship that encourages and helps all people to grow closer to God through Jesus Christ, to develop and use their diverse spiritual gifts, and to live according to His ways.*

**Welcome**

**We are honored that you have chosen to worship and learn with us today**. We hope that you sense God’s presence and the warmth and friendliness of our church family.

**If you are a first time guest,** please don’t walk away without letting us know you are here. Please fill out the Connection Card and, after worship, hand it to the person at the Welcome Table to receive your free gift.

**If you want to know more about Aldersgate United Methodist church**, members of the congregation are eager to assist you.

**Let us get to know you…**and the blessing will flow both ways.

**Worshiping With Your Child**

Children are welcome in worship and to participate in communion. We invite any parents that have a child who becomes restless to feel welcome to use the Quiet Room in the back of the sanctuary (where you can view the service together) or make use of the Nursery, where expert child careis provided during the worship service for children infant to age 4. A call system is available to call you to the Nursery, if your child needs you.

Children Ages 4 to Grade 5 are welcome to attend Sunday school for a Bible Lesson and activities upstairs in the Education Wing.

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