

“STRIVING TO BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS”



October 31, 2021

Worship 10 a.m.

“Vital Lessons on Prayer”
Reverend Millard Cook

Thought: “The field for a ship is the ocean, the field for the heart is reflection”

WE GATHER

Prelude

Welcome and Life of the Church

Invocation

Centering in Song

“Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

No. 139 v. 1

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Prayer Chorus

“Be Still My Soul “

No. 24 v. 1

WE PROCLAIM

Simply Jesus

A message for Children of all ages

Bill Beck

Worship in Song

“Wonderful Words of Life”

No. 177 v. 1,2,3

Scripture

Luke 11:1-13

Sermon

“Vital Lessons on Prayer”

Rev Millard Cook

WE RESPOND

Offering

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

WE VENTURE FORTH

Hymn of Commitment

“In the Garden”

No. 267 v. 1,2,3

Benediction

Benediction Response

“How Great Thou Art”

No. 16 v. 1

Postlude

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Kim Hillman, The family of John Shelley; BellaWise; Marlene (Carole Mohilewsky’s friend); Earl (Larry Hayward’s brother); Morgan Stein (Pat Lewis’ granddaughter); Chris Hamilton (Patty Hamilton-Rogers’ brother); Rev. Malcom Shotwell; Jeremy (Pattie Hibbard’s son-in-law); Steve Wise; Emma (Tammy Clothier’s daughter); Al Mohilewsky; Grace Chase; Brandon Hewitt (Penny Green’s friend’s son); Dick Gleason (Andrea Wise’s uncle); Jason Patten and his daughter Loghann; Shannon Albert; Lora (Penny Greene’s aunt)

Celebrations! We have been praying for Nancy Brown’s daughter who was carrying twins – they have arrived! Please continue to be in prayer as they grow. Twin Boys!

Congratulations to **Madison Morehouse** on qualifying for the FFA Nationals! She is off to Indianapolis! Go Madi go! We’re so proud of you!

REMEMBER IN CARE FACILITIES

Batavia VA – Dennis Chamberlain

Cuba Memorial Hospital – Gene Case; Pauline Comes

Eden Heights – Helen Swift

Field of Dreams – Betsy Hubbard; Joanne Guild; Doreen Scott-Vedder; Sharon Matteson

Highland Park & Rehabilitation Center – Joanne Hoagland

Manor Hills (Wellsville) – Elva Gross

Wellsville Manor – Rod Cady

SPECIAL INTEREST MISSIONARIES

David and Joyce Reed, IberoAmerica and Caribbean

Dan and Sarah Chetti, Lebanon

Peter and Sarah McCurdy, Mexico



FRIEND OF THE WEEK

Lori & Guy Mann

126 E Main St

Cuba, NY 1472

Please let Lori and Guy know that they are in our prayers as they deal with the loss of Lori’s dad.
(John Shelley)

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Announcements

- **Dear church family**, over the years, we have given out **keys** to the church for numerous reasons. If you have a key and no longer have a need...could you please turn it in? They can be dropped in the metal drop box by the secretary's door, or given to any trustee. We're about out of keys and are trying to avoid the expense of getting new ones made and numbered, if you still have a need **PLEASE** keep your key. Or if you have lost your key, please notify us so we can update our records. Thank you! Board of Trustees
- **Youth Event:** You may have heard that the ABY state convention could not secure a venue due to low registration numbers. But did you hear the convention is not canceled but instead we will pivot to a **church lock-in from 6 pm till 2 pm on November 5th and 6th at the Olean Baptist Church** for food, fun, and worship. Limited transportation will be provided. Attenders should notify Bill Beck no later than Tuesday, 11/2. Stay tuned for finalized plans and costs. This lock-in is designed for students in **grades 7-12**.
- The Diaconate asks that you prayerfully consider donating to the **World Mission Offering**. Thank you for supporting this ministry. The WMO states: **Through International Ministries' World Mission Offering, thousands across the country celebrate and support ministries that God is using to transform the world.** For more than two hundred years, International Ministries has combined resilience, adaptability, and creative approaches to cross-cultural ministry with faithfulness to Scripture. We serve together with and learn from our many local partners in ministry around the globe.
- The **BOE** will be hosting a **Family Fall Fest** and **Trunk or Treat** on **tonight**. Join us from for fun games, crafts, snacks, and more before going trick or treating! Family friendly costumes are welcome. **Activities will be from 3:00 - 5:30**, followed by **Trunk or Treat** in the parking lot from **6:00 - 7:00**. **If you would like to set up a Trunk or Treat car, please contact Melissa Grover at 585-610-7082.**
- The **Holiday Assistance Program** registration period for applications is 10/4-11/22.
- **DAYLIGHT SAVINGS** time ends next Sunday (11/7). Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour!
- **Transition Update** – The Advisory Board met on Sunday (11/24) to discuss how the church could move forward in our transition. A “transition team” is in the process of being assembled and will be announced on Nov 7th. The purpose of this team is to (with the help of the church congregation) identify what our church is looking for in the future and what qualities we are seeking in a new pastor. They are NOT the search team, which will be assembled per the constitution at a later date. It is imperative that all of our church family share their concerns and hope **HONESTLY**. After the team is announced, please feel free to contact any member with your thoughts. They will be reaching out to ALL of you for your input and ideas. Please prayerfully respond, it is really important to get everyone's thoughts. This will most probably be a long process, and the Advisory Board, the Transition Team and the future Search Committee will be as transparent as possible. It is the hope that the church family will do the same.
- **Covid Update-** After a lot of research and conversation: the Advisory Board has put forth the following Covid recommendations (using those from NYS). Individuals should feel comfortable in the church. Those who are not vaccinated are encouraged to wear a mask when moving around the church, but ANYONE who feels more comfortable wearing one is encouraged to do so. We will continue social distancing, but one side of the sanctuary will remain with limited access, while the other will be open for those who feel at ease with a little more social interaction, and allowing for larger family and friends groups to sit together. The hope is that our entire church family will remain responsible and caring for each other. For those who have not been attending, please consider returning in person when you are ready – until then, please let us know how we can continue to be a part of your life. Feel free to call the church office – 585-968-1531.

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Looking into the week of October 31 – November 7

Today	10 a.m. Worship – “Vital Lessons on Prayer” with Reverend Millard Cook Nursery – Laurel Comstock Simply Jesus – Bill Beck Youth Classes with Jr. Church – Deb Beatty Bible Basics – Penny Greene 3 – 5:30 p.m. Family Fest 6 – 7 p.m. Trunk or Treat
Monday	8:15 a.m. – 9 a.m. Exercise Group
Tuesday	
Wednesday	8:15 a.m. – 9 a.m. Exercise Group 1 p.m. Grief Support Group in Lounge
Thursday	
Friday	9 – noon Rummage Rooms open
Saturday	9 – noon Rummage Rooms open
Sunday	10 a.m. Worship – Communion – Rev. Beverly Lyons DAYLIGHT SAVINGS

Thank you to our greeters, our tech team, court monitor(s), organist and ushers for assisting in today’s worship service.

Last week’s Attendance: 26 in person, 9 YouTube views and 5 Facebook live views.

*Weekly Offering Goal: \$2390 – 10/3 \$2101; 10/10 \$2034; 10/17 \$850; 10/24 \$1643.00 *Includes \$250 ABWM contribution.

Update on Crop Walk – CFB collected \$1395! Thank you to all you walked and supported the 2021 Crop Walk.

There will be no November newsletter – however: watch for a “SPECIAL EDITION” coming later in the month!

THANK YOU- THANK YOU- THANK YOU! To Nettie White for her loyalty and devotion over the years; bringing life and music to Cuba First Baptist. Take a minute and thank Nettie today, as she plays her last service as director of music.

Nettie - Enjoy some freedom to travel, visit those grandchildren and relax in your new home. We will miss you, wish you the best and hope to see you in the congregation, in the choir and maybe even substituting at the organ! God Bless you.

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