

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN MEMBERS

Ms. Carlotta Eller		Peekskill, NY
Ms. Delores Lockett	125 South 13 th Ave 1B	Mt. Vernon, NY 10550
Mrs. Lillie Mae Whitaker	288 Hawthorne Avenue	Yonkers, NY 10705
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SCRIPTURE READINGS for July 3rd (7th Sunday after Pentecost, Year C)

2 Kings 5:1-14

Psalm 30

Galatians 6:(1-6), 7-16

Luke 10:11-16-20

SPIRITUAL FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

Adult Bible Study	Sun. 9:15am
Choir Rehearsal	Sun. 9:30AM & after worship
Sunday School	Sun. 9:30am
Youth Explosion Teen Meeting	Sun. after worship
Bible Study	Tue. 10:30am
Senior Computer Classes	Tue. 6:00pm
United Methodist Men	*1 st Tuesday monthly @ 7:00pm
Wednesday's Word	Wed. 3:00pm
Evening Bible Study	Wed. 7:30pm
United Methodist Women	*2 nd Friday monthly @ 7:30pm
Prayer Ministry	Sat. 9:00 am

ONGOING EVENTS

Daughters of Esther
Sparkle Project
Youth Explosion

**TFWS- The Faith We Sing*
**UMH- United Methodist Hymnal*
**WS- Worship & Song*
**ZSS- Zion Still Sings*
 † Please stand if able (latecomers may be seated).

We WELCOME our visitors and pray that this service is a blessing to you. If our Pastor can be of service to you, call (914) 632-2166 or e-mail: nrumc1200@verizon.net.



Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
Baccalaureate/Student Sunday
June 26, 2016 –10:30AM

Reverend St. Clair A. Samuel
Pastor

*New Rochelle United Methodist Church is a Diverse Community
 uplifting each other with love, prayer, faith, and service
 to transform lives through Jesus Christ.*

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United People Living In Faith to Transform

You are invited to prepare for worship by praying at the altar or in your seat
- Please silence cell phones -

ENTER TO WORSHIP

GATHERING

PRELUDE

NRUMC Band

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WORDS OF WELCOME

Andrea Harewood, Lay Servant

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rear Bulletin

†CENTERING SONG

"This is the Day"

UMH 657

†PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"Lift High the Cross"

UMH 159

†CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: With wonder in your creation and your creative power in every creature and person...

ALL: Holy Spirit, let love shine through us.

ONE: With all who rejoice in new life, in work that gives dignity, in every gift you bestow
on us

ALL: Holy Spirit, let joy shine through us.

ONE: With all who long for wholeness, resolution of conflicts, and wars to cease

ALL: Holy Spirit, let peace shine through us.

ONE: With all who suffer long injustice, and for freedom from frustration that tempts us to
rash response and blocks our better actions

ALL: Holy Spirit, let your greatness of spirit shine through us.

ONE: With all whom we consider enemies, all whom we know as neighbors and colleagues,
and with each other

ALL: Holy Spirit, let kindness shine through us.

IN REMEMBRANCE OF



**BROTHER
LEO WALKER**

We regret to inform of the passing of Bro. Leo Walker on Monday, June 26, 2016 and will keep the family in prayer.

He will be in repose at *Granby's Funeral Service, Inc.* on Thursday, June 30, 2016 at 6:30pm. *Granby's* is located at 4021 White Plains Rd. (Bronx, NY 10466-3003). Call (718) 519-6047 for information.

You may also contact the church office for additional service details as they are made available, or to direct sympathy cards/condolences to Mrs. Cynthia Walker & family.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NRUMC WELCOMES REV. MICHELLE E. LEWIS: Sunday, July 3, 2016

Sunday service will begin promptly at 10:30am.

JUNE IS NRUMC's ANNIVERSARY MONTH:

If you have not already made your contribution, members are asked to prayerfully consider a gift of \$60, which amounts to \$10 per year.

APPORTIONMENTS:

Please be prayerful about giving at least \$50 each month above your tithes. This will help us to meet our monthly apportionment and insurance obligations while meeting all other expenses of the church. Thank you.

-Finance Team

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: Summer Vacation

Please see Deaconess Elaine Williams Nelson or Dr. Carol McLean-Long for information.

ENVELOPES:



If you would like to update your contact info; or perhaps would simply like to request your own set of giving envelopes, please let us know. Request cards are available outside the sanctuary and may be placed in the offering plates or simply returned to the church office.

FACILITY RENTALS:

All those wishing to rent/use the church facilities must complete a rental agreement at least 45 days prior to the requested date(s). Forms are available in the church office.

SUBMISSIONS:

Please remember to submit all announcements to the church office by Wednesday at **11am** to be approved for inclusion in the Sunday bulletin.

YOUTH OUTREACH:



Every second Sunday, the Youth Explosion youth group will be making soup and sandwiches to be served to the less fortunate. See Carla Moseley Director for donation suggestions or ways to participate.

ONE: With all who hunger, all who are poor, all who are sick, lonely, or imprisoned...

ALL: Holy Spirit, let your deep down goodness shine through us.

ONE: With all who doubt, all who face what appears to be the impossible, and all who fear that your kingdom may be in our midst...

ALL: Holy Spirit, let faith shine through us.

ONE: With all who have power and authority and use it with care for others, especially leaders of nations, leaders of corporations, leaders of communities, and leaders of congregations...

ALL: Holy Spirit, let gentleness shine through us.

ONE: With all before us and with us and yet to come who enter into the covenant of baptism and seek to live in the way that leads to life,

ALL: Holy Spirit, let self-discipline shine through us.

OPENING PRAYER (Let us pray together)

Holy God, Almighty and full of compassion, we confess that we still practice the works of the flesh. Some we seek to hide from others. Some we flaunt for all to see. We allow ourselves impure thoughts and may be driven by merely sensual desires. We bow ourselves before other altars, serving other lords than Jesus Christ. We place more trust in quick fixes than your healing power. We boast and strive for our own way, respond in anger or envy when others get their way, and seek to divide the body for our own gain. We seek pleasure and escape above healthy relationships. Cleanse, restore and forgive us, Lord. Amen.

HYMN

"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

UMH 402

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (The Altar is Open for Prayer)

PRAYER RESPONSE

"Spirit of the Living God"

UMH 393

"I Love the Lord"

ZSS 176

I love the Lord, he heard my cry; and pitied every groan.

Long as I live, while troubles rise, I'll hasten to his throne.

I love the throne. I'll hasten to his throne. I'll hasten to his throne.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (Let us pray together)

Let the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, our Rock and our Redeemer. Amen.

PSALTER

Psalms 77:1-2, 11-20

UMH 798

†PRAISE SONGS

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

TFWS 2129

**I have decided to follow Jesus, I have decided to follow Jesus,
I have decided to follow Jesus- no turning back, no turning back.**

**The world behind me, the cross before me; the world behind me,
the cross before me; the world behind me, the cross before me-
no turning back, no turning back.**

**Though none go with me, still I will follow; though none go with me,
still I will follow; though none go with me, still I will follow-
no turning back, no turning back.**

"Days of Elijah"

WS 3186

**These are the days of Elijah,
declaring the word of the Lord.
And these are the days of Your servant Moses;
righteousness being restored.**

**And though these are days of great trials,
of famine and darkness and sword,
still, we are the voice in the desert crying
"Prepare ye the way of the Lord!"**

**Behold He comes riding on the clouds,
Shining like the sun at the trumpet call,
Lift your voice, it's the year of jubilee,
And out of Zion's hill salvation comes.**

**These are the days of Ezekiel,
the dry bones becoming as flesh.
And these are the days of Your servant David,
rebuilding a temple of praise.**

**These are the days of the harvest,
The fields are as white in the world.
And we are the laborers in your vineyard,
declaring the word of the Lord!**

**Behold He comes riding on the clouds,
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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GRADUATES



The World Is
Yours To Conquer

Eko Dodd

Davis School- Moving up to 6th grade- Albert Leonard Middle School

Sabiah Dodd

Davis School- Moving up to 6th grade- Albert Leonard Middle School

Kobina Aseda Appreku

Ward School- Moving up to 6th grade- Albert Leonard Middle School

Nze Nwabara

Webster School- Moving up to 6th grade- Albert Leonard Middle School

William Sears

Ward School- Moving up to 6th grade- Albert Leonard Middle School



Julyssa Herbert

Ward School- Stepping up to First Grade

Adria Gray

Ward School- Stepping up to First grade

Sidarah Gray

Stepping up to Pre-K

SCRIPTURE LESSON	2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14	Andrea Harewood
MUSICAL SELECTION	“God Is”	NRUMC Choir
†GOSPEL LESSON	Luke 9:51-62	Aaron Harewood, Lay Servant
MESSAGE	“Following Christ”	Aaron Harewood
INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP <i>(An opportunity to respond to God’s claim upon one’s life)</i>		
†HYMN	“Here I Am, Lord”	UMH 593
†THE PEACE (Let’s stand where we are, and greet our neighbors to the right/left/front and back)		
TITHES AND OFFERING		
†DOXOLOGY	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH 94
PRESENTATION OF STUDENTS		Andrea Harewood
†BENEDICTION		Aaron Harewood
Since we live by the Spirit, let us go forth to be guided by the Spirit. Love God and your neighbor in all that you do!		
†CHORAL BENEDICTION	“The Threefold Amen”	
†RECESSIONAL HYMN	“O Jesus, I Have Promised”	UMH 396
POSTLUDE		NRUMC Band

DEPART TO SERVE

MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADUATES



Adrian Harewood

Albert Leonard Middle School - Moving up to 9th grade- New Rochelle High School

Daniel Sears

Albert Leonard Middle School- Moving up to 9th grade- New Rochelle High School

Kyla Golding

Albert Leonard Middle School- Moving up to 9th grade- The Ursuline School

Leah Townsend-Brown

Moving up to 9th grade- High School



New Rochelle United Methodist Church
Baccalureate Sunday/Students Day

CLASS OF 2016

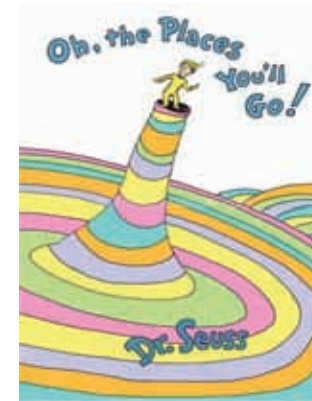
*Trust in the Lord with all your heart
and lean not on your own understanding.*

*In all your ways submit to him,
and he will make your paths straight.*

Proverbs 3:5-6

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COLLEGE GRADUATES



Alexander Long

SUNY Fredonia/ Applied Music & Voice- Berkeley College, Boston, MA

Devoe Folkes

Pace University, Pleasantville, NY/Liberal Arts

Ike Unwukanjo

University of Buffalo, NY/Environmental/Pre-Law

Yema Otto-During

University Of Albany/ Bachelors of Arts