

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN MEMBERS**

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**SCRIPTURE READINGS for July 10<sup>th</sup> (8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost, Year C)**

Amos 7:7-17

Psalm 82

Colossians 1:1-14

Luke 10:25-37

**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 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday monthly @ 7:00pm
Wednesday's Word	Wed. 3:00pm
Evening Bible Study	Wed. 7:30pm
United Methodist Women	*2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday monthly @ 7:30pm
Prayer Ministry	Sat. 9:00 am

**ONGOING EVENTS**

**Daughters of Esther**  
**Sparkle Project**  
**Youth Explosion**

*\*SOZ- Songs of Zion*  
*\*TFWS- The Faith We Sing*  
*\*UMH- United Methodist Hymnal*  
*\*W&S- 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](mailto:nrumc1200@verizon.net).



**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost**  
**July 3, 2016 – 10:30AM**

*Reverend Michelle E. Lewis*  
*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 DRUMMING Travis Constant

PRAISE AND WORSHIP  
*"He is Exalted"* TFWS 2070

**He is exalted, the King is exalted on high;  
 I will praise him.  
 He is exalted, forever exalted and  
 I will praise his name.  
 He is the Lord, forever his truth shall reign;  
 heaven and earth rejoice his holy name.  
 He is exalted, the King is exalted on high.**

*"Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone"* W&S 3104  
 (See Insert)

*"Majesty"* UMH 176

PRELUDE *"Love Divine All Love's Excelling"* [Mark Miller] NRUMC Band

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

SONG *"Welcome"* W&M 3152  
 (See Insert)

†CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 30

ONE: I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up, and did not let my foes  
 rejoice over me.

**ALL: O LORD my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.**

ONE: O LORD, you brought up my soul from Sheol, restored me to life from among  
 those gone down to the Pit.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**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**

Tuesday Bible Study will continue during the summer unless otherwise announced. See Bro. Alvin Long with questions. \*Reminder: **Sunday School** for adults and children is on summer break. See Dr. Carol McLean Long/Deaconess Elaine Williams-Nelson.

**ENVELOPES:**



If you would like to update your contact/membership 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.

**HALF-YEAR CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS:**

Statements for January through June 2016 will be available by Sunday, July 10, 2016. Once you have reviewed them carefully, be sure to contact the church office if there are any questions. If you have had any changes to your name or contact information during the past year, please fill out an envelope request card (at the Sanctuary entrance).

**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.

SANCTUS

TFWS 2257-b

**Holy, holy, holy Lord; God of power and might.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!  
Blest is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!  
Hosanna in the highest!**

*...as we proclaim the mystery of faith.*

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

TFWS 2257-c

**Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again.  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!  
Hosanna in the highest!**

*...almighty God, now and Forever.*

GREAT AMEN

TFWS 2257-d

**Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again.  
Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna in the highest!  
Hosanna in the highest!**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

†BENEDICTION

†CHORAL BENEDICTION "The Threefold Amen"

†SONG "We Are Marching in the Light of God"

TFWS 2235

**We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.  
we are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching in the light of God,  
We are marching, marching, we are marching, OOO,  
marching, we are marching in the light of God.**

POSTLUDE

NRUMC Band

BRIEF ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ALL: Sing praises to the LORD, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.**

ONE: For his anger is but for a moment; his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may linger for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

**ALL: As for me, I said in my prosperity, "I shall never be moved."**

ONE: By your favor, O LORD, you had established me as a strong mountain; you hid your face; I was dismayed.

**ALL: To you, O LORD, I cried, and to the LORD I made supplication:**

**"What profit is there in my death, if I go down to the Pit?**

**Will the dust praise you? Will it tell of your faithfulness?"**

ONE: Hear, O LORD, and be gracious to me! O LORD, be my helper!"

**ALL: You have turned my mourning into dancing; you have taken off my sackcloth and clothed me with joy, so that my soul may praise you and not be silent.**

**O LORD my God, I will give thanks to you forever.**

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.**

HYMN

"Spirit of the Living God"

UMH 393

PRAYER (Let us sing together)

**Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and Holy, tried and true.**

**With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary, for you. [3x]**

(In unison)

**Our heavenly Father, we your humble children invoke your blessing on us. We adore you, whose name is love, whose nature is compassion, whose presence is joy, whose Word is truth, whose Spirit is goodness, whose holiness is beauty, whose will is peace, whose service is perfect freedom, and in knowledge of whom stands our eternal life. We are thankful that you judge us not by the perfection of our actions, but by our readiness to live boldly by faith.**

Help us, as individuals and as a congregation, to trust you and follow where you lead, that in Christ your name may be glorified in all the earth. Unto you be all honor and all glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(In response to the words "Lord in your mercy..." all should respond, "Hear our prayer.")

PRAYER RESPONSE "Thank You Lord" SOZ 228

**Thank you, Lord; thank you, Lord... Thank you, Lord. I just want to thank you, Lord.  
Been so good; been so good... Been so good. I just want to thank you, Lord.  
Love you, Lord; love you, Lord... Love you, Lord. I just want to thank you, Lord.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON 2 Kings 5:1-14, Galatians 6:1-6, 7-14

SONG "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah" TWFS 2026

**Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!  
Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!  
Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah!**

†THE PEACE (Let's stand where we are, and greet our neighbors to the right/left/front and back)

SONG "Marching to Zion" SOZ 3

**Come we that love the Lord, and let our joys be known,  
Join in a song with sweet accord, and thus surround the throne...  
And thus surround the throne.**

*(Refrain)*

***We're marching to Zion- beautiful, beautiful Zion;  
We're marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God.***

**Let those refuse to sing, who never knew our God;  
But children of the heavenly King, may speak their joys abroad...  
May speak their joys abroad. [Refrain]**

**The hill of Zion yields a thousand sacred sweets,  
Before we reach the heav'nly fields, or walk on the golden streets...**

**Or walk on the golden streets. [Refrain]**

**Then let our songs abound, and ev'ry tear be dry;  
We're marching through Immanuel's ground, to fairer worlds on high...  
To fairer worlds on high. [Refrain]**

+GOSPEL LESSON 10:1-11, 16-20 Renata Smith, Lay Servant

FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART

SERMON "Reclaiming Your Authority" Rev. Michelle E. Lewis

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP  
*(An opportunity to respond to God's claim upon one's life)*

TITHES AND OFFERING "I Know It Was the Blood" ZSS 201

†DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 94

OFFERATORY PRAYER Psalm 30

**God our helper, we rely on your faithfulness. When we cry, you listen and answer.  
The light of your presence carries us from sadness into joy. Through the resurrection  
of Christ, you turn our mourning into dancing! Thank you for the privilege of sharing  
in your healing of our broken world through the mission of this congregation. Use  
our monetary support to draw people into closer relationship with you. We pray in  
the Spirit of Jesus of Savior. Amen.**

COMMUNION (Sung)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING TFWS 2257a

ONE: The Lord be with you

**ALL: And also with you.**

ONE: Lift up your hearts.

**ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.**

ONE: The Lord be with you

**ALL: And also with you.**

*...and join their unending Hymn*

love of God to share \_\_\_\_\_ 'cause all of us are wel-come here; -  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 all are wel-come in this place. \_\_\_\_\_

PRAISE AND WORSHIP "Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone"

W&S 3104

Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me;  
 I once was lost but now I'm found, was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved.  
 How precious did that grace appear, the hour I first believed.

(Refrain)

*My chains are gone, I've been set free...my God, my Savior has ransomed me.  
 And like a food, His mercy reigns- unending love; amazing grace.*

The lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures;  
 He will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures.

[Refrain 2x]

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine;  
 but God, Who called me here below will be forever mine.  
 Will be forever mine.  
 You are forever mine.

TITHES AND OFFERING "I Know It Was the Blood"

ZSS 201

1. I know it was the blood, I know it was the blood; I know it was the blood for me...

(Refrain)

*One day when I was lost, he upon the cross; and I know it was the blood for me.*

2. They pierced him in the side, they pierced him in the side; they pierced him  
 in the side for me... [Refrain]

3. He never said a mumbling word [3x] ... [Refrain]

4. He hung his head and died [3x] ... [Refrain]

5. He rose up from the grave [3x] ... [Refrain]

6. He's coming back again [3x] ... [Refrain]

3152

Welcome

1. Let's walk to- geth - er for a while and  
 2. Let's talk to- geth - er of a time when  
 3. Let's dream to- geth - er of the day when

ask where we be - gin \_\_\_\_\_ to build a world where  
 we will share a feast, \_\_\_\_\_ where pride and pow - er  
 earth and heaven are one, \_\_\_\_\_ a ci - ty built of

love can grow and hope can en - ter in, \_\_\_\_\_ to  
 kneel to serve the lone - ly and the least, \_\_\_\_\_ and  
 love and light, the new Je - ru - sa - lem, \_\_\_\_\_ where our

be the hands of heal - ing and to  
 joy will set the ta - ble as we  
 mourn - ing turns to danc - ing, ev - ery

*Refrain*  
 plant the seed of peace, \_\_\_\_\_ sing - ing wel - come,  
 join our hands to pray, \_\_\_\_\_ sing - ing wel - come,  
 crea - ture lifts its voice, \_\_\_\_\_ cry - ing wel - come,

wel-come to this place. You're in - vit - ed to

come and know God's grace. All are wel - come the

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WELCOME  
 Irr. with Refrain

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