

SPRINGWATER PARTY LINE

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We know there are many places to eat; however, we hope to see you at the Webster's Crossing United Methodist Church Spaghetti Dinner and Music Jam by donation on Thursday, October 25th. The dinner is from 4:30 to 7 PM and the music goes on into the night. The buffet table includes tossed salad and all the trimmings, Italian bread with butter and garlic butter, and delicious cakes and pies. Also note that the next one will be Thursday, November 15th because of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Don't forget to go to the last Springwater Farmer's Market this year on Friday afternoon, October 26 at the 4 corners blinking light gazebo if the weather is conducive. Many thanks are extended to the folks that brought their wares each Friday this spring, summer and fall.

The Turkey Dinner with all the Trimmings at the Springwater Fire Hall hosted by the United Methodist Church is on Saturday, October 27 from 4 to 7 PM. Be sure to attend as early as possible for the best selection.

Monday evening, October 29, the place to be is the West Sparta United Methodist Church, 4287 Redmond Road, Dansville 14437 where the "Imagine No Racism" stand alone session will be hosted by Pastor Dawn Merritt starting at 7 PM.

Go to the LLCA website for more information about the Little Lakes Community Association events.

Please put Saturday, November 3, 2018 Christmas Village Bazaar at Webster's Crossing United Methodist Church, Route 15, on your calendar from 10 AM to 3 PM to enjoy an awesome luncheon and free coffee as you browse among the gifts offered for sale. Afterwards, go to the Conesus United Church just up the road Route 15 north for their Turkey and Biscuit Dinner.

John, Wendy, Doug, Char, Bradley, Rick, Dena, Carol, and Katherine attended the hike this past Sunday, October 21st on the Letchworth Branch of the Finger Lakes Trail on the east side of the Genesee River. Wendy handed out the Wegman's booklets to keep track of the Finger Lakes trails we hike. Spectacular views of the gorge above the dam, including the Hogsback overlook were enjoyed by all. Afterwards six of us stopped by the Charred Restaurant on Main Street in Mount Morris for the social. Sunday, October 28th, the Springwater Trails hike will be in Schribner Valley hosted by Jane Hamilton. Do come and join us starting at 1:45 PM. As needed, directions and details are posted by Thursday on the Springwater Trails website or ask a regular hiker.

Pat Granger writes the Springwater United Methodist Church News: "Don't forget the Turkey dinner on Saturday, October 27th at the Springwater Fire Department from 4-7PM. The cost is \$10 for adults, \$5 for children ages 5-12, and children under 5 are free. Takeouts are available. We brought the following up in prayer: Ken Malone, Jackie Malone, Sharon Ingraham, Amy Goodwin, Teresa Langhorn's daughter Michele, my cousin's daughter Tina, and the children that are suffering the disease that is similar to polio. Our joys are Pat Hillyard and Bill Hoppough are able to come home. We have now completed "The Story". This last chapter is about the book of Revelation which John wrote while he was exiled on the island of Patmos. Jesus dictated letters through an angel to John for the seven churches warning them of problems in their faith. The letters implied we live in a morally accountable universe, and those accounts will be "called in" at the end of history. God has set a day when patience will give way to a final judgment. John's Revelation went from the seven churches to where heaven opened up and he saw a glimpse of spiritual realities-including history of God and his plan for the world. I encourage everyone to read the book of Revelation to find out what all was revealed to John in heaven. It is too much for me to write. It is written in the prophecy that Jesus will be coming soon and everyone will be repaid according to their deeds. Remember that "Jesus is the Alpha and the Omega, The First and the Last, the Beginning and the End." May we all feel the love of the Lord Jesus. We are looking for donations to purchase flood buckets to send to the areas that were just hit by the recent storms. If you are able to donate please make your check out to the Springwater UMC and mail it to PO Box 207, Springwater, NY 14560 and put on it for flood relief. Thank you."

When we've had at least two hard frosts (circa 28 degrees F.), the needles are set on the evergreens to help keep any needles from shedding on the wreaths and other decorations made from natural greens. It is time to place your orders for evergreen boughs, wreaths, garland, kissing balls, mailbox huggies and tree centerpieces from your favorite evergreen tree growers in the area as we are all gearing up for a record year for real Christmas trees and other decorations for the holidays. At All Western Evergreen Nursery & Christmas Tree Farm the Concolor, Douglass, Nordmann, Fraser, Canaan, Grand, Korean, and Sub-alpine firs have beautiful foliage this year.

Linda Hopkins, Springwater Representative to the Livingston County Office for the Aging Advisory Council, writes about some of the Alzheimer's Association events. There are many resources available for Alzheimer's caregivers. A few of the ongoing services include Support groups: Meet at the Dansville Public Library, 1st Monday of the month, 6:30-8:00 PM; Lima Library 2nd Monday of the month 2:00-3:00 PM. Did you ever notice the New York Connects ad in the Pennysaver?

While you have that calendar out, jot in the Webster's Crossing UMC Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 3, from 10 to 3 PM, with the economical luncheon of Soup, Sandwiches, Dessert, and Beverage prepared and served by all of Mary White's girls able to participate under the leadership of Mary Ann, the congregation and their families and friends.

Be preparing your float for the annual Springwater Fire Department Christmas Parade to be held on Saturday, December 1 at 7 PM starting on School Street and proceeding round to Main Street and back to the Legion. Check out their activities on the web at www.springwaterFD.org. If you have not already done so, please send in your annual donation to the Springwater Fire Department and/or consider joining the Fire Department.

Please share your news with me at kjth@allwesterntrees.com or mail it to Katherine Humphrey, PO Box 217, Springwater, NY 14560.

Birthdays:

October 25 – Courtney Bauer, Ed Elsenheimer

October 26 – Cayli Czak, Leannah Grimsley

October 27 – Dawn Conti

October 28 – Jasmine Lang, Courtney Grey, Jim Smith, Scott Learn

October 29 – Gladys Weed, Zeke Lang, John Czak, Beverly Johnson

October 31 – John Sick, Bernie Briceland Jr., Jean Kitson, Nicole Croston

November 1 – Samantha McGinnis, Herb Humphrey