

"The Church with a Welcome for All!"

# North Warren

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)

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*This day is sacred to the LORD your God.*

*Nehemiah 8:9*

**Sunday Schedule:**

9:15 AM Prayer Meeting

9:30 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship

**Regular Office Hours:**

Tuesday, Wednesday, and

Friday: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Handicap Accessible at Church Street Entrance.



January 27, 2019  
Third Sunday after Epiphany (in Ordinary Time)  
North Warren Presbyterian Church  
Reverend Burfoot S. Ward, III, Pastor  
Cathy Peterson, Pianist

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*"We trust God's Spirit to work in us, through our words and deeds, wherever we are."*

**Prelude**

**Passing The Friendship Registers**

Please sign the friendship register, your name only if you attend regularly, completely if you are new or visiting.

**Announcements**

**\*Call to Worship** No. 114

**Hymn** "Name of All Majesty" No. 116

**\*Invocation**

**\*Prayer of Confession**

Great God: your mercy is an unexpected miracle. For that reason we act as if it does not exist. We ignore your love and turn our backs on your grace. Forgive us, Lord; help us to believe and obey so that we may be free from the worry of sin, and be filled with the wine of new life promised in the power of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

**\*Words of Assurance**

**\*Gloria Patri** No. 813

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory**

**\*Offertory Response** "Doxology" No. 815

**Junior Sermon** Rev. Ward

**\*Hymn** "I Will Serve Thee" No. 660

<b>Scripture</b>	Nehemiah 8:1–3,5-6,8-10	p. 761
<b>Sermon</b>	"Dreaming God's Dream"	Rev. Ward
<b>Joys and Concerns</b>		
<b>*Hymn</b>	"A Charge to Keep I Have"	No. 666
<b>*Benediction</b>		
<b>Postlude</b>		

*\*Those Who Are Able, Please Stand*

*We welcome all who have come to worship with us.  
We pray that this hour will be a blessing to you.*

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**Lay leader** today is Gloria Lindell.

**Ushering** today is Maureen Gonano, Lois Marshall, Brian Olsen, and Lynn Olsen.

**Sound Booth Operator** today is Joshua Ward.

**Greeting the congregation** at the close of the service today is Rev. Buddy and Anne Ward at the State Street door and Gloria Lindell and Bill Gross at the Church Street door.

**The Sanctuary Flowers** today are given by Nancy, Denise, Jordan, Jacob, and Logan Bullock in memory of Dick Bullock.

**Nursery Worker** this morning is Melissa Turner.

**We serve at Sharing Place** on January 31.

**Servers:** Chris McClellan, Denny McClellan, Lynn Olsen, Lois Marshall, Sally Clark,

**Bakers:** Ruth Morrison, Ellen Nelson, Lynn Collins

**A Soup and Pie Luncheon** will be hosted by the Scouts immediately after the worship service next Sunday. Please plan to stay after the service and enjoy the meal.

## ***Prayer Requests Today:***

- ✳ Titusville, Rev. Vaughan Smith, Pastor, Rev. Susan Wonderland, Transitional Executive, Synod of the Trinity,
- ✳ All health care patients, survivors, their families, and their caretakers,
- ✳ Our church and pastor

## ***The Week Ahead***

### ***Sunday, January 27***

- 9:15 AM Prayer Meeting
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
- 6:00 PM Session Meeting

### ***Monday, January 28***

- 7:00 PM Qadosh Bells

### ***Wednesday, January 30***

- 7:00 PM Youth Rec

### ***Thursday, January 31***

Sharing Place

### ***Sunday, February 3 – Scout Sunday***

- 9:15 AM Prayer Meeting
- 9:30 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Worship Service
- Soup and Pie Luncheon
- 6:00 PM Confirmation Class

We give because God first gave to us.

"Freely you have received, freely give"

(Matt. 10:8)

TITLE: "Dreaming God's Dream" TEXTS: Nehemiah 8:1-8, 5-6, 8-10

I. Introduction: Question – *What Is Imagination?*

II. Because Nehemiah was driven by God's dream,  
he accomplished amazing things.

III. A dream was born in Nehemiah's heart--to go to  
Jerusalem to help his people.

IV. Nehemiah became committed to the dream  
God had given him.

V. I pray that God has planted a dream in your heart so that you too  
might be . . .

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