

*FIRST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
Shortsville, New
York*

Founded: 1860

Current Membership: 70



*Taken by our
neighbor James
Konarzewski at
66 W Main
Street.*

Please pray for:

*Pastor The Rev. A. J. Tierson
Clerk of Session Donna Williams
Organist Barbara Hall
Choir Director Elaine "Baner"
Shaner
Bell Choir Director June
Church Secretary Pat Dean
Sexton David
Church Treasurer Lucy Schram*

Did you know?

In April, 1857, a Sunday School was organized in the old stone schoolhouse; a religious society was organized that December. In 1860 the religious society became "The First Presbyterian Church of Manchester" received into the Presbytery of Geneva as a sister church. It had as its goal "to work for the world's redemption."

We are a church, welcoming all; and we are a congregation coming from various life experiences, theological thoughts and gifts and talents. We celebrate the great diversity among our members and friends.

So, God meets us where we are; accepts us as we are; and loves us unconditionally...therefore: while abiding in Christ we love and serve others.



Fried Dough Fundraiser

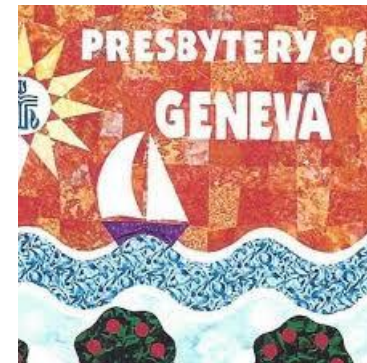
When we're not cooking we're collecting –

Noisy Can Sunday

The last Sunday of each month we take a special collection of loose change for our community food cupboard!

Presbytery of Geneva 2018 Prayer Directory ~ April ~

*"The Presbytery of Geneva lives to support
and equip congregations and leaders to
be Christ in the Finger Lakes and the
world."*

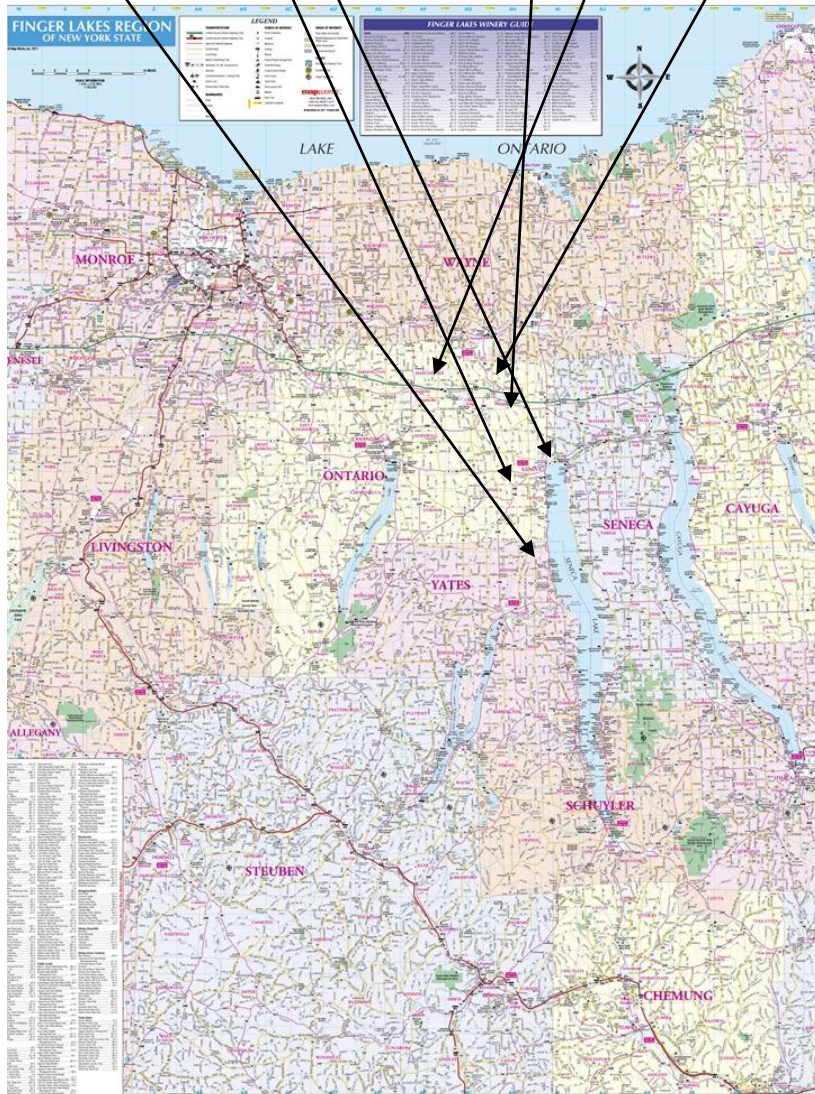


...You also join in helping us by your prayers, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many.

2 Corinthians 1:11

April 2018

*Bellona, Geneva, Oaks Corners, Phelps,
Seneca No. 9, Shortsville*



**SENECA NO. 9
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**
Stanley, New York

Founded: 1807
Current Membership: 57



*(How we used to look. Come by and
see our building now!)*

Please pray for:

*Pastor The Rev. Amy Loving
Austin*

Clerk of Session Pam Ormsby

Secretary Janice Newby

*Newsletter Editor & Webmaster
Erin Land*

Did you know?

The original section of the church was
constructed in 1838. It was listed on
the National Register of Historic Places
in 1973.

We are a church of strong families, traditions and beliefs who want to
continue to build faith in Jesus Christ.

We are a yoked parish, in a relationship with the Bellona Memorial
Presbyterian Church in Bellona, NY.



*We get around! – Flat Jesus at Rainbow
Cove*

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**UNITED
CHURCH**
*Phelps, New
York*

Founded as a federated
church: 1974
Current Membership: 83



Please pray for:

*Pastor The Rev. Adrian ("A.
J.") Tierson*
Clerk of Session Linda
Kataskas

Did you know?

The United Church of Phelps is a union of two historic Churches existing in the village of Phelps, New York since the 1850's. The Presbyterian and Methodist Churches came together as a community church in 1974. The stained glass windows that formerly fit the windows in the narthex of the Methodist Church fit perfectly in the window frames in the narthex of the Presbyterian Church. The people fit together just as perfectly.

The United Church of Phelps reaches out and welcomes all people so they may worship God passionately, become people of prayer, develop a deep faith, demonstrate faith through service, and share their faith."



"United in God's Love"
– Community Thanksgiving Dinner

**MEMORIAL
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**
Bellona, New York

Founded: 1809
Current Membership: 61



Please pray for:

Pastor The Rev. Amy Loving Austin
Clerk of Session Sheila Burt
Secretary Janice Newby
Newsletter Editor & Webmaster Erin
Land

Did you know?

At our 200th anniversary service on November 8, 2009, over 200 members and visitors joined in worship.

You can see a video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=14wJcvjzneU>

We are a close family of nurturing and compassionate believers who support each other and our community through fellowship, worship, and mission.



"Yes!!! ALL are welcome at Memorial Presbyterian! Come join us!!"

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN GENEVA

Geneva, New York

Founded: 1798

Current Membership: 515



Please pray for:

Pastor The Rev. Dr. Deborah Lind-Schmitz

Clerk of Session Bette J. Schubert

Fred Schühle – Asst. Clerk of Session; Fritz Aude – Treasurer; Kathleen Breese – Director, Christian Education; Paula Breese – Coordinator of Youth Ministries; Linda Cox – Church Organist; Richard Cox – Director of Music and Adult Bell Choir; Deb Drennen – Nursery care; Rev. W. James Gerling – Pastor Emeritus; Joe Iannopolo – Assistant Custodian; Kate Komara, Lorraine Jones – Children's Choirs; Art Lewis – Webmaster; Beth Nicholas – Parish Nurse; Alan Schenck – Financial Administrator; Mark Springmeier – Custodian; Colleen VanAllan – Secretary

"Mission Is Our Mission"

In 2016, we devoted over 30% of our general budget to mission and in any given year at least 30 community groups, from the American Red Cross to Zonta Club make use of the many gathering spaces. The Presbyterian Women, Deacons, and other church members also give freely of their time and energy to community outreach and social justice efforts.



Did you know?

The first Presbyterian Church in Geneva was incorporated in 1798. .

In 1849, Elizabeth Blackwell, the first women doctor of medicine, received her diploma in this church. North and First Presbyterian Churches united in 1988 to form The Presbyterian Church in Geneva.

Inspired by the radical hospitality of Jesus Christ, The Presbyterian Church in Geneva welcomes all people into the life of the church regardless of sex, gender, sexual orientation, age, race, ethnicity, physical or mental ability, educational background, economic situation, or religious background.

OAKS CORNERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*Oaks Corners,
New York*

Founded: 1804

Current Membership: 35



Please pray for:

Moderator: The Rev. Karl Warrington

Clerk of Session Mae Schweickhard

Treasurer Jeanne Day

Elders Alexis Brown, Cal Brown, Cathy Catranis, Jeanne Day, Sharon Scherbyn

Did you know?

The original building was erected in 1804, it burned to the ground in September of 1915 and was rebuilt in May of 1917 and remains standing today. We are located on County Road 6 {PreEmption Road} 5 miles North of Geneva, NY.

We are a small group, if there is someone in need or a job to be done we pull together and do what needs to be done.

