

# First Presbyterian Church IN VICTOR

WHOEVER YOU ARE.  
HOWEVER YOU HAVE COME.  
YOU ARE WELCOME HERE.

Dear Awesome Young Folks & Families.

Matt and I are so excited to invite you to participate in Confirmation Class 2017. If you don't already know, Confirmation is a time of study, practice, and conversation exploring what it means to be a Christian in our Presbyterian community, and beyond. Students will learn about the content of the Bible, ways to be in compassionate service to others in this world, how and why we gather for worship, the ideas of stewardship of both the earth and our stuff, and expressing their own faith with integrity. At the end of the class each young person has the option to choose to join in the full adult membership of their church through their Session.

This year's class is truly a unique opportunity. Through Camp Whitman ([www.campwhitman.org](http://www.campwhitman.org)) we will be offering a Confirmation Class Intensive. This class is open to the youth (entering 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> Grade in September) of all the churches in both the Presbyteries of Genesee Valley and Geneva. It is likely to fill up (Max 24) and you will have a great chance to make new friendships with other Presbyterian youth from this part of NY.

Confirmation in one week! The primary leadership for the week will come from me and Matt, but many days will also feature guest ministry leaders from around Upstate NY. Our free time and meals will be shared with the Camp Whitman community. It is camp and class!

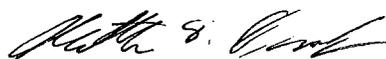
The class will be held July 23-28. The cost of the camp/class is \$250 for the entire week, including meals, housing, materials, and access to all camp activities. (This is nearly 50% off regular camp fees)

Please take advantage of this and join us for this special time. Registration will be through Camp Whitman, but do let us know if you plan on attending. The final deadline for registration is July 1, 2017, but the sooner the better please. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Matt or me and we will do our best to help you out. If the cost is a true burden, let us know and we will discuss fundraising and grant opportunities.

See you at camp.



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