

North Wilmot Union Meeting House Society

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Bond E. Davis III
21 Crossway
Scarsdale, NY 10583-7157

Dear Bond,

The historic 1829 North Wilmot Church, a beautiful white church set against the forest, is an iconic example of rural New England ecclesiastical architecture. It is loved by generations of people from Wilmot and surrounding communities.

Did you know that this church is the only building in Wilmot on the National Register of Historic Places? Or that an image of the church is on the Town of Wilmot's seal?

Since 1984, the North Wilmot Church has been owned and maintained by the North Wilmot Union Meeting House Society (NWUMHS), a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit charitable organization. The church is in good condition for a nearly 200-year-old building. Thanks to the generosity of friends and neighbors, the Meeting House Society has been able to repair the steeple, replace the roof, and paint the exterior in a timely fashion, and, in general, keep the elements at bay. In the summer we open the building for nondenominational services, hymn sings, weddings, memorial services, and educational programs.

But a professional assessment of the church, completed earlier this year, noted several issues that require attention - soon. The work will include restoring the windows, replacing rotted beams, removing an asbestos-covered, non-functioning furnace and ducts, and painting the exterior. The estimated cost is \$132,000.

If you would like more information about the restoration project, please call me at 526-6960 or contact the Meeting House Society by email at NorthWilmotChurch@gmail.com.

Wouldn't you like to help us perpetuate this precious part of Wilmot's history? Your gift to the North Wilmot Church Restoration Project today will allow us to start work in late spring 2021. Thank you in advance for your support.

Sincerely,



Ann W. Davis, president
North Wilmot Union Meeting House Society

Bond - As you know the church has played a significant role in Wilmot's story for nearly 200 years. Please join us in our effort to ensure that it stands and serves the people of Wilmot for many more.

It was good meeting you last summer.
Catherine Stearns

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