

Sunday, December 11

- 8:00am - 11:30am** **PANCAKE BREAKFAST BY THE UNITED WAY.**
Tickets at the door.
Seneca Falls Community Center, 35 Water St.
- 8:30am - 10:30am** **“A TOAST TO KAROLYN . . .”**
Karolyn Grimes’ 20th Anniversary Celebration Breakfast. Special Program. Advance Tickets Required.
The Gould Hotel, 108 Fall St.
- 9:00am - 3:00pm** **SENECA FALLS HERITAGE AND TOURISM CENTER**
Sharing the rich history of Seneca Falls,
Seneca Falls Heritage and Tourism Center, 89 Fall St.
- THE ULTIMATE “IT’S A WONDERFUL LIFE” CHRISTMAS TREE**
(From California)
Seneca Falls Heritage and Tourism Center, 89 Fall St.
- 13TH ANNUAL JUDY PIPHER GINGERBREAD BEDFORD FALLS CONTEST**
Vote for your favorite houses!
Seneca Falls Heritage and Tourism Center, 89 Fall St.
- 9:00am - 4:00pm** **FESTIVAL INFORMATION CENTER**
Festival information, merchandise, souvenirs. Festival Wreaths of Fundraiser Raffle. Plus, the \$500 Money Tree Raffle provided by Generations Bank, benefitting the Seneca County House of Concern. Lost & Found, First Aid.
Festival Information Center, 60 Fall Street
- 9:00 am - 4:30pm** **THE IT’S A WONDERFUL LIFE MUSEUM**
More than 25 Exhibits, unique gift items, and vision for the future.
It’s a Wonderful Life Museum, 76 Fall St.
- 9:00am - 4:30pm** **“IT’S A WONDERFUL QUILT” RAFFLE.**
IAWL Museum Extension, 32 Fall St.
- “NEVER AGAIN WILL THERE BE ANYONE LIKE YOU.”**
Information and Activities by the Seneca County Suicide Prevention Coalition.
IAWL Museum Extension, 32 Fall Street.
- VICTORIA’S VOICE – THE JOURNAL OF VICTORIA “RIKKI” SIEGEL.**
Information provided by the Victoria’s Voice Foundation.
IAWL Museum Extension, 32 Fall St.
- 9:00am - 5:00pm** **WESLEYAN CHAPEL - WOMEN’S RIGHTS NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK**
An exhibit will describe the way that the historic Wesleyan Methodist congregation raised funds for Abolitionist work through a Christmas Tree walk and Christmas Bazaars.

Women's Rights Visitor Center, 136 Fall Street

- 9:30am - 11:00am** **BEDFORD FALLS EXPRESS TRAIN RIDE**
Academy Square
- 9:30am - 4:00pm** **ANNIE'S PITSTOP**
"Come sit for a spell!!", enjoy a hot drink or a light snack before the movie.
The Little Theater, 95 Fall Street
- 10:00am - 1:00pm** **A WONDERFUL MOVIE**
Screening of "It's Happened One Christmas" The female version of IAWL starring Marlo Thomas, Wayne Rogers, Orson Welles, and Cloris Leachman as the angel.
Based on "It's a Wonderful Life" 1hr:50min
The Little Theater, 95 Fall Street
- 10:00am - 2:00pm** **UNCLE BILLY'S WONDERFUL SCAVENGER HUNT**
Festival Information Center, 76 Fall Street
- 10:00am - 3:00pm** **FREE HORSE-DRAWN WAGON RIDES**
Fall Street
- 10:00am - 3:00pm** **IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE CHARACTERS ON FALL STREET**
- 11:00am** **"A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS"**
Classic episode of "*The Donna Reed Show*" featuring Buster Keaton.
Introduced by Mary Owen (Donna Reed's daughter).
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 11:00am** **AUTHOR ANNE MORSE**
Will describe what inspired her to write her new book, "It's a Wonderful Life Advent Devotional: How to Find Your Own Wonderful Life with Help from George Bailey, the Angel Clarence, Uncle Billy, and Old Man Potter,"
The First Presbyterian Church of Seneca Falls Social Hall, 23 Cayuga Street.
- 11:00am** **WONDERFUL MUSIC BRASS ENSEMBLE**
Seneca Falls Heritage and Tourism Center, 89 Fall Street
- 11:00am - 12:00pm** **READING OF THE GREATEST GIFT**
The short story that inspired the movie "It's a Wonderful Life"
written by Philip Van Doren Stern
Seneca Falls Heritage and Tourism Center, 89 Fall Street
- 11:00am - 2:00pm** **FREE ROASTED CHESTNUTS PROVIDED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.**
(or as long as they last):
Corner of State and Fall Streets.

- 11:00am - 2:00pm** **AUTOGRAPH SIGNING BY CAST MEMBERS.**
 (Autographs free with purchase; \$30 fee per autograph for items you bring yourself).
The Gould Hotel, 108 Fall St.
- 11:30am** **“CHRISTMAS EVE IN BEDFORD FALLS . . . AND POTTERSVILLE”**
 A Closer Look at the Film’s Epic Final Day.
 Presentation by author Michael Willian.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 11:30am - 1:00pm** **BEDFORD FALLS EXPRESS TRAIN RIDE**
Academy Square
- 12:15pm** **CAROL COOMBS (“JANIE BAILEY”): “IT IS A WONDERFUL LIFE.”**
 Interview from the 65th Anniversary Celebration.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 12:30pm** **“IT WAS A WONDERFUL DECADE.”**
 Presentation by Michael Chapin (“Young George’s Friend/The Kid on the Shovel”) on his career as a young actor.
 ** Michael Chapin’s sister Lauren Chapin, well known for her role as Kathy in “Father Knows Best”, will be a special guest and participate in the presentation.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 1:00pm - 2:20pm** **MERRY CHRISTMAS, GEORGE BAILEY!**
 A live radio show with live sound effects in front of a live audience!
 Tickets available at Fall St. Brewing, 106 Fall St, or WomanMade Products 91 Fall St.
senecacommunityplayers.org
The Bijou Theater - First Presbyterian Church, 23 Cayuga Street
- 1:00pm - 3:15pm** **A WONDERFUL MOVIE SPECIAL**
 Screening of “It’s a Wonderful life” Original B/W version – 2hr:10min
The Little Theater, 95 Fall Street
- 1:30pm - 3:00pm** **BEDFORD FALLS EXPRESS TRAIN RIDE**
Academy Square
- 1:30pm** **“NOTES FROM LITTLE PETE.”**
 Presentation by Donald & Ronald Collins, the twins who played “Pete Bailey” as a baby.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 2:00pm** **“RECOLLECTIONS OF FRANK CAPRA & ‘IT’S A WONDERFUL LIFE.’”**
 The acceptance speech of Virginia Patton Moss (“Ruth Dakin Bailey”) upon receiving the Spirit of Christmases Past, Present & Future Award in 2013 from the St. Nicholas Institute. Shown courtesy of Father Joseph Marquis & the St. Nicholas Institute.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.

- 2:30pm** **“ELVIS & ME – BEHIND THE SCENES.”**
 Recollections of Elvis by Jimmy Hawkins (“Tommy Bailey”) who co-starred with Elvis in “Girl Happy” & “Spinout”.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 2:30pm** **SCAVENGER HUNT PRIZES AWARDED**
Festival Information Center – 60 Fall Street
- 3:00pm** **FESTIVAL OF WREATHS WINNERS ANNOUNCED**
Festival Information Center – 60 Fall Street
- 3:15pm** **“LITTLE MISS KAROLYN.”**
 Presentation by Karolyn Grimes (“Zuzu Bailey”) about working with Cary Grant, Bing Crosby and John Wayne.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 3:15pm - 3:40pm** **IAWL SHORTS:**
 A WONDERFUL WRAP - Footage from the Capra Wrap picnic - 8 min.
 RESTORING A BELOVED CLASSIC - a look Behind the scenes of IAWL - 12 min.
The Little Theater, 95 Fall Street
- 3:30pm - 5:00pm** **Bedford Falls Express Train Ride**
Academy Square
- 3:45pm** **JEANINE ROOSE (“YOUNG VIOLET BICK”):**
 ‘It’s a Wonderful Life’ -- A Longing to Return Home.”
 Videotaped interview excerpt from 2020.
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 3:50pm** **KAROLYN GRIMES AND JIMMY HAWKINS: “REMEMBERING JEANINE ROOSE**
(‘YOUNG VIOLET’).”
Trinity Church, 27 Fall St.
- 4:00pm - 6:30pm** **CANDLELIGHT CABARET SHOW: CHEERS TO BROADWAY**
 Pottersville’s finest stage show featuring the Pottersville Singers. Adult beverages, hors d’oeuvres & desserts available for purchase. Tickets available at Festival Information Center, WomanMade Products or therealbedfordfalls.com
Pottersville Palladium, Seneca Falls Heritage Area, 89 Fall Street
- 4:15pm** **THE BELLS OF THE REAL BEDFORD FALLS.**
 Gather together to hear the bells ring throughout town in honor of those who have impacted our lives.
- 4:30pm** **Holiday Concert by the Seneca Singers.**
First Presbyterian Church, 23 Cayuga St.

4:30pm

Bedford Falls Express Shuttle

Starts leaving The Gould Hotel for the Final Scene Dinner

The Gould Hotel, 108 Fall Street

6:00 - 9:00pm

“For Auld Lang Syne – The Final Scene Dinner.”

Advance Tickets Required.

Seneca Falls Country Club. 2790 NY-89.