

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR November 24, 2019

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO YOU and YOUR LOVED ONES!

Activities this week:

Tuesday: 11:00 am Balance Class
Thursday: Happy Thanksgiving
Friday: 9:00 am Decorate the Church

Welcome. Happy Thanksgiving. We are glad to have you with us. We think today of our status as pilgrims, not owning this planet, but just passing through it toward our final destination. Pray with us as we give thanks to our God. Say hello to Rev Bill and stay for fellowship.

Greeting you this morning are Alan and Bonnie Dumas. **Ushers assisting** in the service are Sandra Gregory and Kathy Jansen.

On the altar today: Wishing everyone a happy Thanksgiving . . . Enjoy the bounties of the season.

Join us for fellowship and coffee in Schadewald Hall with refreshments provided by Steve and Phyllis Bliss. Sign up to provide refreshments; no baking necessary.

Pecans are in. If you pre-ordered pecans they must be picked up by 12/8. If they aren't they will go back for re-sale. If you didn't pre-ordered pecans a few extras were ordered. Don't delay as they will go fast. See Sandy Emrich for sales.

Decorating for Christmas. We will be decorating the Sanctuary and Church for the season on the Friday after Thanksgiving, November 29. Plan to be here at 9 am. All are welcome to help out.

Cookie Walk is December 8. Sign up to bake cookies. See Sandy Emrich.

Condolences to the family of Delores Wolven. Delores went to glory on November 2, 2019. Those who remember her will remember her beautiful soprano voice in the choir. Her family contact is Sallie and Kevin Williams, 231 Windbrook Ct, Marc Island, FL 34145.

Envelopes for 2020 are available in Schadewald Hall after worship.

Deacon of the month is Linda Clarke-Dido. Contact Linda at 845-338-0100 if you need a deacon's assistance.

The Reformed Church is a connectional church. Our classis includes 33 congregations in the Mid-Hudson Valley. We pray for the strength and vision of the pastors and the revitalization of their members. Today we pray for St. Remy Reformed Church in Kingston, New York.

Our mission of the month: November's mission is Giving Tree which helps the community raise funds, winter clothing and providing local families with holiday dinners.

The Giving Tree is up if you haven't picked a tag please do so. We are asking that all gifts be returned and placed under the tree (unwrapped) by 12/8/19. We will be wrapping them as a group on 12/15/19. If you have any wrapping paper that you would like to donate please place it under the tree too. THANKS! Sandy & Lisa

Here are some notices regarding the Women's Ministries and the Social Solos:

1. Women's Ministries will not meet on December 8 due to the Cookie Walk.
2. Social Solos' rescheduled 3rd. Anniversary celebration will be on December 11th at Deising's at 12 Noon.

FUTURE:

1. There will be no Women's Bible Study on January 1, 2020. HAPPY NEW YEAR!
2. Social Solos will have their luncheon at Reginato's on January 8, 2020 at 12 Noon.

Thank you,
Rev. Deb

Poinsettia order forms are in today's bulletin. Please note the return date is December 8.

Rev Bill will be on vacation from November 25 to December 1. If you need anything contact Doug Constant.

Rev. Charles Stickle will be preaching December 1, the first Sunday in Advent.