

**Welcome.** On this day, long ago, our Lord entered Jerusalem to glad shouts of "Hosanna!" On the threshold of his last week on earth, we invite you to share with us this foretaste of his final triumph. Welcome to our celebration. Please join us after worship in the social hall so we may welcome you personally.

**Greeting today** are Jim and Barbara Mayfield. **Ushers** assisting in the service are Greg Laib and Sandy Emrich.

**Sanctuary flowers** are placed by Terry and Christa Conlin – Happy Birthday, Mark.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR March 25, 2018

### Activities this week:

*After Worship: Easter Egg Hunt*

Monday: 1:15 pm Tai Chi Class

Tuesday: 9:00 Bible Study

11:00 am Balance for Life

1:00 pm Women's Bible Study

Wednesday: 1:15 Tai Chi Class

Thursday: 9:30 am Badminton

7:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service: Communion and Tenebrae

Saturday: 9:00 am Flower arrangement for Easter Sunday

**Join us in Schadewald Hall** for fellowship hour with refreshments provided by Christa Conlin and Barbara Sartorius. We love all goodies—homemade or store bought. Please sign up for refreshments for fellowship hour. There is a signup sheet posted in Schadewald Hall. DATES ARE AVAILABLE.

**Condolences** to Jay Burgess on the passing of his mother, Barbara Lebhar. Barbara passed away peacefully in her home in Florida on March 14, 2018.

**Sympathies** are extended to the TenEyck family and friends on the passing of Matthew TenEyck. Calling hours are on March 28, 4:00-7:00 pm with service at 7:00 pm at Keyser Funeral Home, Albany Ave, Kingston  
"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted." Matthew 5:4.

**Soup Day returns at the Hurley Town Hall!** The last soup of the season will be available on Wednesday, March 28. Serving time: 11:30 – 1:00.

**Easter flower arrangement:** All are welcome to help arrange flowers in the sanctuary for Easter. Be there at 9:00 am on March 31. See Doris Alden.

**The Women's Bible Study** will meet at our next regularly scheduled date of: March 27, 2018. This will be our Movie Matinee. Time: 1-3 PM

**Easter Egg Hunt** outside Hurley Reformed Church at 11:30 am today. See Ellen Richards.

**Thank you** to everyone that helped out with the Lenten Fish Fry on Saturday.

**Sanctuary Flowers needed.** Several dates in the coming months are available. Please see or call Kathy Jansen 331-2695.

**Contribution Statements** for 2017 are available in the office. Contact Dorothy.

**Deacon of the month** is Chris Decker. Call Chris at 518-669-1512 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 the Reformed Dutch Church in Hyde Park, New York.

**Save the Date:** Rev. Bill's Installation by Classis to the our pulpit is scheduled for April 8, 2018 at 4:00 pm. Plan on joining the celebration. Reception to follow the service.

**Bakers Needed** to help with preparations for the reception after installation. Please talk with Barbara Kindt.

**Looking Ahead:** Spring Cleanup Day is scheduled for April 28 at 9:00 am.  
Stay tuned for more information.

**Classis fellowship opportunities:** Check the bulletin board in Schadewald Hall if interested:

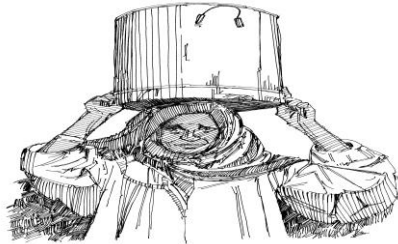
- Maundy Thursday Breakfast, Fair Street Reformed Church, March 29, 9:30 am
- Plattekill Reformed Church in Mt. Marion will sponsor a bus trip to Lancaster, PA to see the production of "Jesus" at Sight and Sound Theater. The bus will leave from the Plattekill Church parking lot on Thurs., October 11 and return on Fri., October 12. The cost will include the round trip bus, lodging, breakfast, dinner, the show, a bus tour of the Amish countryside and all taxes and gratuities. The prices range from \$177/person with 4 people in a room to \$278 for a single. Reservations with a deposit of \$125/person must be in by March 28. Call Nancy Griggs at 382-2168 for more information or until March 9, call June Vanderlaan at 876-3322.

If you happen to have a good quality **high chair and/or a booster seat** that you aren't using anymore and would like to donate it to the church, please see Sandy Emrich.

**Reach out to those who need your support in their day today needs:**

Dolores McGoldrick is at home; Stephen Bliss is home; Dick Shook is home; Roger and MaryLou Vogt are in Hudson Valley Senior Residence; Clarence Jansen and Shirley Ruth are in Mountain Valley Manor; Bud Dussol at Golden Hill; Don Kent at the Terraces at Brookmeade; Betty Pirro, Bev Chrisey, Friedel Borst, Audrey Hornbeck and Fred Horvers at TenBroeck; Wayne Waligurski; Charlotte Gill; Tony Peralta (Julie Provenzano's son-in-law); Esther Keator; Lori Pinkham in Wingate at Ulster, Peter Jackson from Hurley, England; William Wiacek (Cathy McGraw's brother).

**Mission of the month:** March and April's mission is Walk for Water.



**JOIN OUR TEAM** on the annual Walk for Water. This year's walk is going to support water purification systems for 9 communities in North Sumatra Indonesia. Proceeds go to Water Mission of Charleston, SC.

It is a one mile loop, and you carry one gallon of water. One gallon weighs over 8 pounds, so keep that in mind when signing up. The donation is \$25 /person or \$50 per family, which you can get by asking for sponsors.

The event will kick off Saturday April 14 at 10:00am at Grace Church in Lake Katrine.

See Rebecca Masters after church: March 18, 25 or April 8th or email rebamast @gmail.com, or call 338-3556 if you would like to join us!