## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR March 4, 2018**

Welcome to the house and table of our Lord Jesus Christ. He is our host. In

sharing Holy Communion, we remember how he gave his life for us and how he wants us to respond to his gift. We invite you to his table, and hope to meet you after worship.

- **Greeting today** are Debbie and Glenn Decker. **Ushers** assisting in the service are Jim Pirro and Chris Decker.
- Sanctuary flowers are placed by Ron and Shirley burns in memory of her niece, Jean Vandemark.
- **Correction:** Last week's flowers information should have said: Sanctuary flowers are placed by the congregation in honor of Rev. Bill and his family. Welcome."

There is a Nursery available for toddlers and infants in Room 7 and is staffed by an experienced caregiver.

## Activities this week:

After Worship:Everybody's Birthday PartyMonday:1:15 pm Tai Chi ClassTuesday:11:00 am Balance for LifeWednesday:7:30 am Bible Study1:15 Tai Chi ClassThursday:9:30 am Badminton7:00 pm Choir Practice

- **STONES:** Jesus forgave many people ... ranging from those closest to Him, to those who crucified him. During this season of Lent, may we be reminded that we have all sinned, and that Jesus calls us to forgive others. In John 8, Jesus tells the teachers of the Law and the Pharisees, *"let he who is without sin, cast the first stone."* You are welcomed to take a stone from the altar or from the table in the Narthex and carry it with you as a constant reminder that we are called to forgive.
- Join us in Schadewald Hall for our birthday celebration. It's Everybody's Birthday!!! Find out who is born the same month as you! 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.
- Contribution Statements for 2017 are available in the office. Contact Dorothy.
- The Social Solos: Next Lunch date: March 14, at 12 Noon. Place: AppleBees
- There will be no Prayer Chain Meeting today due to Everybody's Birthday Event.
- **Movies with Meaning** returns March 16. Potluck Dinner at 5:30; Movie at 6:30 pm. Now Showing "The Shack." Sign up after church. Bring a dish to share & your place setting. Or if you can't make the pot luck just come for the movie. This is a great evening of fellowship & movie will make you think & will touch in differently each time you see it. Any questions please see Sandy Emrich or Kathy Jansen. Hope to see you there!!

Mission of the month: This month's mission is Walk for Water.

- Thank you for your support of the Brooks BBQ Chicken dinner. Thank you to everyone that helped spread the word about this dinner, setup tables, serve the food, collected money, bussed tables & cleaned up at the end of the night. It took a lot of folks to make this the success that it was!! Thank you!!!
- Soup Day returns at the Hurley Town Hall! Soup will be available this winter on Wednesdays, March 14 and March 28. Serving time: 11:30 1:00.
- Sanctuary Flowers needed. Several dates in the coming months are available. Please see or call Kathy Jansen 331-2695. 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 Rochester Reformed Church, in Accord, New York.
- Address for the Marrus Family: Sympathy cards for the Marrus family can be sent to Glenn Marrus, 9 Far Horizon Drive, Wallingford, CT 06492
- Address for Rockwells: Sympathy cards for the Rockwell family can be sent to Angie Rockwell, 911 Landmark Trail, Payson, AZ 85541

Lorraine Denis has a new address: 318 W. Cooperative Center Drive, Apt A9, Newaygo, Michigan 49337

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

- "A New York Lamentation" a play about slavery in New York. Christ Episcopal Church, Poughkeepsie, March 4, 3:00 pm.
- Taconic Men's Retreat 18 March 9-11
- International Women's Day Dinner Celebration March 7

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

Stephen Bliss is in Westchester Medical Center; Dick Shook is home; Bill Welch fell and broke ribs. Jim Pirro is home; Roger and MaryLou Vogt are in Hudson Valley Senior Residence; Lorraine Denis is home (see new address); Clarence Jansen and

Shirley Ruth are in Mountain Valley Manor; Bud Dussol at Golden HIII; 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; Dolores McGoldrick at Ferncliff; Lori Pinkham in Wingate at Ulster, Peter Jackson from Hurley, England; William Wiacek (Cathy McGraw's brother).

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We encourage you to take your flowers home. The church garden and the rail trail berm are getting full.

Please make checks payable to: HRC Women's Guild. Mail or give your order by March 18.2018 to:

> Doris Alden 236 East Drive Hurley NY 12443