

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR October 21, 2018

Welcome to all who worship today. May our singing, our fellowship with Christ and with one another, our prayers, our hearing and our studying of God's Word all be blessed by him. Visitors, please fill out a visitor's card, and join us in Schadewald Hall for coffee hour.

Greeting this week are Jeff and Alyson Rafferty. Ushers assisting in the service are Greg Laib and Kathy Jansen. Acolytes are Teagan Helsley and Daniella Helsley.

Sanctuary flowers are placed by Bob and Doris Alden in memory of their son, Robert.

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

Join us after worship in Schadewald Hall for fellowship and refreshments provided by Marilyn Lowe.

Activities this week

Tuesday:

9:00 am Bible Study
11:00 am Balance Class

Wednesday: 10 am Social Solos Road Trip

Thursday: 9:30 am Badminton

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday Hurley Heritage Society Ghostwalk

Saturday: 9:00 am Fall Clean Up Day

10:00 am Confirmation Class
Youth Group Meeting

Soup!!!! The soup elves begin their winter by bringing us "Corn Chowder" today after worship. \$8 a quart.

Pecans . . . get your pecans. . . It is that time of year again for ordering pecans. You can choose from plain, milk or dark chocolate and clusters. They will be \$11 a bag. Quantities are limited this year so pre-ordering is strongly suggested. If you don't receive a call to place your order in the next week or so please see or give Shirley Burns, Pat Baker, or Sandy Emrich a call to place an order. The pecans should arrive for pickup on November 4. Thank you for your support.

Condolences to the family of Esther Keator. Memorial Service is today at 1:00 pm at Hurley Reformed Church. Luncheon to follow.

Mark the Day - Fall Clean Up – Saturday, Oct. 27, 9:00 am – 12. Jobs for all abilities, indoors and out . . . rake, wash, weed whack. With lots of help we can be done in 3 hours! See Jim Pirro for more details.

Pre Election Day Dinner is Saturday, November 3, 2018. Volunteers for all jobs needed. Pies and desserts needed. Tickets on sale today. See Dennis Crosswell to sign up for helping and for tickets.

Operation Christmas Child: Shoeboxes can be returned to the church anytime but November 4 is the deadline.

If anyone lost a golf club at the church golf tournament, please speak to Sonnie Howe, 338-8442.

Women's Bible Study: we will be meeting on October 30th at 1 pm in the Dutch Room.

Social Solos will be going on their Road Trip to Colonie Mall for shopping and lunch at the Cheesecake Factory on October 24th. 10 am leaving from the park and ride in Kingston by the Thruway.

Watch for new windows: In the next few weeks storm windows will be installed in the sanctuary. Recently we (HRC) applied for and received a grant to help fund these new windows, however the grant only covers part of the cost. We need to raise roughly \$11,000. If you are able, please consider a gift to the church to help cover the cost of the windows and their installation.

Mission of the month: Our mission for October will be Doctors Without Borders, one of our outreach projects. The immense impact this organization has had on the physical well-being of those caught up in international turmoil providing emergency medical services cannot be measured. Please give generously from the heart. Thank you so much.

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.

Events at area churches

- 10/27 Women's Breakfast; Arlington Reformed Church
- 11/3 PreElection Day Dinner; Hurley Reformed Church

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

Terry Conlin is in Golden Hill; Darrel Nicholas is home; Helen Sgroi is recovering at home; Bob Williams is in Ivy Lodge; Dolores McGoldrick is at Ferncliff; MaryLou Vogt is 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; Bev Chrisey, Friedel Borst, Audrey Hornbeck and Fred Horvers at TenBroeck; Tony Peralta (Julie Provenzano's son-in-law); William Wiacek (Cathy McGraw's brother), Anthony DePietro (son of MaryAnn DiPietro).