

Hurley Reformed Church  
Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost  
August 28, 2022, 10:00 a.m.

Rev. William Appleyard-Pekich, Pastor  
Jane Barsumian, Organist and Choir Director

## **MORNING WORSHIP**

### **OUR APPROACH TO GOD**

PRELUDE  
WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/GREETING ONE ANOTHER  
CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

**All: Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.**

Leader: Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us and we are his.

**All: We are his people, the sheep of his pasture.**

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

**All: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues to all generations.**

\*HYMN OF APPROACH: **#298 "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of our many blessings, we come to you with penitent and contrite hearts. We have sinned against you, and our neighbors. In our daily lives we have done our own will and not yours. We have disliked and even hated our neighbor. Forgive us Lord, and help us. Help us to live free from sins and the many temptations which we face in our lives. Guide our steps and strengthen our will to serve you. In your name we pray, Amen.**

KYRIE ELEISON [Words and music found on the inside cover of hymnal.]

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS AND SUMMARY OF GOD'S LAW

\*RESPONSIVE READING:

Leader: Praise the LORD!

**All: Happy are those who fear the LORD, who greatly delight in his commandments.**

Leader: Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the

upright will be blessed.

**All: Their righteousness endures forever.**

Leader: They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright; they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

**All: It is well with those who deal generously and lend, who conduct their affairs with justice.**

Leader: For the righteous will never be moved; they will be remembered forever.

**All: They are not afraid of evil tidings; their hearts are firm, secure in the LORD.**

Leader: Their hearts are steady, they will not be afraid; in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.

**All: They have distributed freely, they have given to the poor; their righteousness endures forever; their horn is exalted in honor.**

\*GLORIA PATRI [Words and music found on inside cover of hymnal.]

### **THE WORD OF GOD**

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION: **#677 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"**

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: Proverbs 25:6-7(pg.528)  
New Testament: Luke 14:1, 7-14 (pg. 844)

SERMON:

"More than Just Manners"

### **OUR RESPONSE TO GOD**

OFFERING

\*DOXOLOGY [Words and music found on inside cover of hymnal.]  
PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debt/debtors)

\*HYMN OF CONSECRATION: **#124 "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name "**

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

*\*Please stand if you are able*

## Welcome to Hurley Reformed Church!

With joy we welcome your presence among us today. Let the words of the psalmist set the tone of our worship: "Sing praises to the LORD, O you faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name--joy comes with the morning" (Psalm 30:4-5 NSRV)

**In Person and Zoom Worship** happens at 10am!

**Ushers assisting in the service** are Glenn Decker and Bill Baldinger.

**Please join us** in Schadewald Hall after worship for refreshments! Thank you to The Dockery's for providing them this week!

**Flowers on the Alter** are provided by Marilyn More.

**Mission of the month-** School Supplies.

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

Judy Bell (Terry Gaffken's mom) needs prayers; Shirley Ruth is in Golden Hill; Bev Roosa is at the Terraces at Brookmeade; Lori Pinkham is in Wingate at Ulster; Anthony DiPietro (son of MaryAnn DiPietro); Marie Dressel. David Giles, Barbara Sartorius in New Hampshire, Terry Conlin

**Audio recordings** of the weekly sermon are available on our website, HurleyReformedChurch.org.



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### Consistory 2022

#### Elders

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**Stickley Gardens Columbarium . . .** A sacred place of beauty and contemplation.  
(Located on the south lawn of the church.)

The lone candle on the chancel is our Peace Candle. It represents this church's support for the men and women in military service, and our prayer that one day we will live in a world where their sacrifice is no longer needed.

## Hurley Reformed Church Hurley, New York

The Rev. William Appleyard-Pekich  
Minister of Word and Sacrament

*Welcome*

*May the doors of this church be wide enough  
to receive all who need human love and fellowship, and a Father's care;  
and narrow enough to shut out all envy and hate.*

*Enter to Worship*

*Depart to Serve*

## #298 Spirit of God, Descend upon my Heart

1. Spirit of God, descend upon my heart.  
Wean it from earth; through all its pulses move.  
Stoop to my weakness, mighty as Thou art,  
And make me love Thee as I ought to love.
2. Hast Thou not bid us love Thee, God and King?  
All, all Thine own- soul, heart and strength, and mind!  
I see Thy cross- there teach my heart to cling.  
O let me seek Thee, and O let me find!
3. Teach me to feel that Thou art always nigh.  
Teach me the struggles of the soul to bear,  
To check the rising doubt, the rebel sigh;  
Teach me the patience of unanswered prayer.
4. Teach me to love Thee as Thine angels love,  
One holy passion filling all my frame;  
The baptism of the heav'n-descended Dove-  
My heart an altar, and Thy love the flame.

## #677 Blest Be the Tie That Binds

1. Blest be the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love;  
The fellowship of kindred minds  
Is like to that above.

2. Before our Father's throne  
We pour our ardent prayers;  
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one,  
Our comforts and our cares.

3. We share our mutual woes,  
Our mutual burdens bear;  
And often for each other flows  
The sympathizing tear.

4. When we asunder part,

It gives us inward pain;  
But we shall still be joined in heart,  
And hope to meet again.

## #124 All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall.  
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all.  
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall.  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all.  
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all.

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe On this terrestrial ball  
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all.  
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng We at His feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all.  
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## Announcements- August 28, 2022

**Bible Study**-We would love to have you join us every Tuesday at 9am for Bible Study in the Dutch Room.

**Flower and Refreshments** sign-up sheets are on the wall in Shadewald Hall for anyone that would like to sign up for a date!

**Prayer Squares**-Prayer squares are available in a basket in the Narthex. Please take one if you know of someone in need of prayer. You may also carry one in your pocket as a reminder to pray for someone, you think needs prayer. The knitter has pray fully knitted it for you.

**Sunday School** starts on September 11<sup>th</sup>!

**Save the date!**

**Our Mission of the Month is School Supplies-** We are collecting school supplies to be distributed at Myer School and possibly another elementary school in Kingston. We will also purchase backpacks and fill them with supplies if there's a need. If you are able to help shop for any items on this list, please purchase the items and bring to the church by Sunday, August 28. If you have questions, please see either Jeanne Quenzer or Linda Moon. Thank you! **(please see reverse for the list of items we are looking for)**

**During Cofffee Hour** today there will be a recording of the Presentation "Ain't I A Woman", Sojourner Truth's famous speech. Anyone interested in doing some lines for it please join them in our downstairs classroom #6.

## School Supply Donation Needs

- Ticonderoga #2 pencils
- Crayola Crayons
- Crayola Washable Markers
- Crayola colored pencils
- Construction paper
- Post-it notes
- Glue sticks
- Highlighters
- Dry erase markers
- Elmer's glue (bottle)
- Play Doh
- Composition notebooks
- Spiral notebooks
- Folders
- Snacks (ex. Tub of pretzels)
- Water bottles
- Juice boxes
- Paper towel rolls
- Other

