Hurley Reformed Church Tenth Sunday after Pentecost August 9, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

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

MORNING WORSHIP

OUR APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

- Leader: This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
- All: Again today we come together to worship the God of creation, of salvation, of time and eternity; the God of all peoples, of all nations, of all conditions of people everywhere.
- Leader: Praise the Lord. All that is within me, praise God's holy name.
- All: Praise the Lord and remember all God's kindnesses: in forgiving sins; in curing our diseases; in saving us from destruction; in surrounding us with love.
- Leader: The Lord is full of mercy and compassion. The Lord is slow to anger and willing to give us gifts of love. Praise the Lord! Oh, all that is within me, praise the Lord.

*HYMN OF APPROACH: #460 "Be Thou My Vision"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we come to you. With heavy hearts or songs of joy, we come before you. Through good and bad times you are always there with us. But too often we have put our trust in other things, and have tried to forge our own way. Forgive us, Lord. And may we forever put our faith and trust not in the things of this world but in you, our loving and compassionate God. Amen.

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

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND SUMMARY OF GOD'S LAW

*RESPONSIVE READING: see insert

THE WORD OF GOD

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: #554, "It is Well with My Soul"

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: 1Kings 19:9-18 New Testament: Matthew 14:22-33

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON: "The Courage to Get Out of the Boat"

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

OFFERING

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

MORNING PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (debt/debtors)

*HYMN OF CONSECRATION: #453, "Nothing but the Blood"

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able

Welcome to Hurley Reformed Church this morning. With pleasure we greet and welcome all who have gathered at this time of worship. May God's presence be real, meeting us at our point of need. Wave hello to everyone. Say hello to Rev. Bill.

Ushers assisting in the service are David Kent and Russ Glass. Tune your car radio to 94.9 FM for the service. Please stay in your car and wave your hellos!

Activities:

Tuesday

9:00 am Bible Study by Zoom

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

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

Doug Constant is recuperating at home; Linda Cook is home; Gene Groelle is in rehab at Woodland Ponds; Jim and Sheila Craven are home; Alice Presti is at Thompson House; Bev Roosa is at the Terraces at Brookmeade; MaryLou Vogt is in Hudson Valley Senior Residence; Shirley Ruth is in Mountain Valley Manor; Fred Horvers at TenBroeck; Lori Pinkham in Wingate at Ulster; Anthony DiPietro (son of MaryAnn DiPietro), Marie Dressel; Philip Greer.
Audio recordings of the weekly sermon are available on our website,

HurleyReformedChurch.org.

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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

INSERT:

*RESPONSIVE READING:

- Leader: May Christ dwell in our hearts through faith; may we experience Christ's love, which surpasses all knowledge; may we attain to the fullness of God.
- All: Happy are those whose hearts are set upon the pilgrimage! The Lord withholds no good things from those who walk in sincerity.
- Leader: May Christ dwell in our hearts through faith; may we experience Christ's love, which surpasses all knowledge; may we attain to the fullness of God.
- All: Obey the commandments of the Lord, love God, walk in God's ways. Heed the Lord's voice and hold fast to him.
- Leader: May Christ dwell in our hearts through faith; may we experience Christ's love, which surpasses all knowledge; may we attain to the fullness of God.
- All: Your light shall break forth like the dawn, your wound shall quickly be healed. You shall cry for help and the Lord will answer. He will renew your strength and you shall be like a spring whose water never fails.
- Leader: May Christ dwell in our hearts through faith; may we experience Christ's love, which surpasses all knowledge; may we attain to the fullness of God.
- All: Bring glad tidings to the poor, proclaim liberty to the captives, restore sight to the blind, release the prisoners, announce a year of favor from the Lord.
- Leader: May Christ dwell in our hearts through faith; may we experience Christ's love, which surpasses all knowledge; may we attain to the fullness of God.
- All: They will come from the east and the west, the north and the south and will take their place at the feast in the kingdom of God.
- Leader: May Christ dwell in our hearts through faith; may we experience Christ's love, which surpasses all knowledge; may we attain to the fullness of God.

HYMNS:

Be Thou My Vision

- Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart; Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art – Thou my best thought, by day or by night, Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.
- Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord; Thou my great Father, I Thy true son, Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.
- Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou mine Inheritance, now and always; Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of Heaven, my Treasure Thou art.
- High King of Heaven, my victory won, May I reach Heaven's joys, O bright Heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

It is Well With My Soul

- When peace like a river attendeth my way, When sorrows like sea billows roll, Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say, "It is well, it is well with my soul."
 - Refrain:
 It is well with my soul,
 It is well, it is well with my soul.
- Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, Let this blest assurance control, That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate, And hath shed His own blood for my soul.
- My sin—oh, the bliss of this glorious thought!— My sin – not in part but the whole – Is nailed to His cross, and I bear it no more! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
- And Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled back as a scroll; The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, Even so, it is well with my soul.

Nothing but the Blood

- What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus. What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
 - Refrain:

O precious is the flow That makes me white as snow. No other fount I know – Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

- For my pardon, this I see Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
 For my cleansing this my plea --Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
- Nothing can for sin atone --Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
 Naught of good that I have done --Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
- This is all my hope and peace --Nothing but the blood of Jesus. This is all my righteousness --Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR August 9, 2020

- **Rev Bill will be** available for visits (with social distancing protocols). Contact the church to request a visit.
- **Thank you:** Thank you for all the prayers and cards for both my husband, Jerry Wyncoop, and my daughter Linda Wolven Eppard. Greatly appreciated. Dolores Wyncoop
- Pecans: Pre-Orders are going on now for our annual pecans. Please contact Sandy via email DSKCE12402@aol.com or call her at 845-687-4006 to place your order. Pecans sold out last year in no time & they will this year as well. Get your order in ASAP as I only ordered so many of Plain, Milk Chocolate, Dark Chocolate & Clusters. The cost this year will be \$12 per bag. Thank you for your support!! – Sandy Emrich
- **Brooks BBQ:** This will be held on 9/15 from 4 pm till 6:30 pm. This is a BBQ Chicken dinner for \$14 per meal. This is a drive up & take out event. Please call Sandy at 845-687-4006 to place your order or email her at DSKCE12402@aol.com. Last year we sold 600 meals & we need to go above & beyond that figure. So, please help spread the word. Delivery maybe available if the order is 10 or more dinners. Thank you for your support. – Sandy Emrich
- The mission of the month for August is the Water Mission. This year the Hurley Church will be the starting off point for the Hudson Valley Walk for Water to be held September 19 at 10 am. (Virtual walk plans are also being made, in case) The goal is to support water purification systems for communities along the Amazon River in Peru. Despite living near the Amazon River, these communities have extremely limited access to safe drinking water. The proceeds to help these communities will be donated to the Water Mission of Charleston, SC, where we have given in the past. Donations can be made through your mission envelope or the day of the walk. If you would like to join the walk in Team **Hurley H2Oers** or help out the morning of the walk contact Rebecca Masters at 338-3556, rebamast@ gmail.com
- **Deacon of the month is** Roberta Falatyn. Contact her at 845-532-8421 if you need a deacon's assistance.
- **By order of the Consistory, Hurley Reformed Church's building is** closed for the duration of the Coronavirus State of Emergency. Only essential workers (as defined by the state of emergency) are allowed in the building. Apologies for the inconvenience. Your safety and health are the greatest priority. Be safe.



Outdoor Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1:00 to 2:00 P.M. Starting August 11 & 13, 2020. TWICE a week for eight weeks. Marbletown Park, 350 Tongore Road, Kingston, NY. (Under the Pavilion). We ask that you be willing to make the commitment to be at this class twice a week for all eight weeks. This is a program that builds on each class. Space is limited. R.S.V.P. by calling 845-340-3456. (Office of the Aging) Socially distancing guidelines will be followed. Please wear a mask and bring a Pen.