

Hurley Reformed Church  
Sixth Sunday after Epiphany  
February 13, 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: Everything that happens on earth happens at the time God chooses.

Women: God sets the time for birth and the time for death,

Men: the time for sorrow and the time for joy,

Women: the time for teaching and the time for mending

Men: the time for scattering and the time for gathering,

Women: the time for seeking and the time for losing,

Men: the time for keeping silence and the time for speaking.

Leader: Everything that happens on earth

**All: Happens at the time God chooses.**

\*HYMN OF APPROACH: **#95 “Oh God, Our Help in Ages Past”**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious loving God, we come before you acknowledging our sins which we have committed both knowingly and unknowingly. When temptation has come we have said yes too often. We ask your forgiveness Lord for all those ways we have gone astray. Give us strength, so that we may say no to temptation and live as you have called. Grant that we may walk the path to the cross, instead of the path of ease. Hear this our prayer O Lord, 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: Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked,

**All: or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers;**

Leader: but their delight is in the law of the Lord,

**All: and on his law they meditate day and night.**

Leader: They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither.

**All: In all that they do, they will prosper**

Leader: The wicked are not so, but like chaff that the wind drives away.

**All: Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,**

Leader: nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;

**All: for the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.**

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

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

### **THE WORD OF GOD**

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION: **#442, “Blessed Assurance”**

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: Jeremiah 17:5-10 (pg.1201)

New Testament: Luke 6:17-26 (pg. 1600)

SERMON:

“Blessing and Not”

### **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)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THANKSGIVING AFTER COMMUNION

\*HYMN OF CONSECRATION: **#51 “Come Thou Font”**

\*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 Jeanne Quenzer and Linda Moon

**Mission of the month-** Angel Food East

**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; Fred Horvers is at TenBroeck; Lori Pinkham is in Wingate at Ulster; Anthony DiPietro (son of MaryAnn DiPietro); Marie Dressel. David Giles, Barbara Sartorius in New Hampshire

**Audio recordings** of the weekly sermon are available on our website, [HurleyReformedChurch.org](http://HurleyReformedChurch.org).



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### Hurley Reformed Church

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### Staff

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Hours: T,W,TH,F, 9-2  
Treasurer - Arlene Cotich

### Consistory 2022

#### Elders

Dennis Croswell, *Property & Maintenance*  
Christopher Decker, *Finance*  
Glenn Decker, *Senior Elder*  
Lisa Longto, *Clerk*  
Linda Moon, *Missions*  
Bill Baldinger

#### Deacons

Allan Dumas  
Lee Gable  
Jeanne Quenzer  
David Kent, *Youth Ministry*  
Dino Sumerano, *Worship*  
Robert Kindt

Rev. Charles E. Stickle, *Pastor Emeritus*

**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*

## #94 O God, Our Help in Ages Past

1 Our God, our Help in ages past,  
our Hope for years to come,  
our Shelter from the stormy blast,  
and our eternal Home.

2 Under the shadow of Thy throne  
Still may we dwell secure;  
sufficient is Thine arm alone,  
a our defense is sure.

3 Before the hills in order stood  
or earth received its frame,  
from everlasting Thou art God,  
to endless years the same.

4 A thousand ages in Thy sight  
are like an ev'ning gone,  
short as the watch that ends the night  
before the rising sun.

5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream,  
bears all its sons away;  
they fly forgotten, as a dream  
dies at the op'ning day.

6 Our God, our Help in ages past,  
our Hope for years to come,  
be Thou our Guide while life shall last,  
and our eternal Home!

## #442 Blessed Assurance

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood

*Chorus:*

This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long;  
This is my story, this is my song,  
Praising my Savior all the day long.

Perfect submission, perfect delight,  
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;  
Angels descending bring from above  
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.

*Chorus*

Perfect submission, all is at rest,  
I in my Savior am happy and blest,  
Watching and waiting, looking above,  
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

*Chorus*

## #51 Come Thou Font

Come Thou fount of every blessing  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace  
Streams of mercy never ceasing  
Call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet  
Sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it  
Mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer  
Here by Thy great help I've come  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure  
Safely to arrive at home  
Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wandering from the fold of God  
He to rescue me from danger  
Interposed His precious blood.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor  
Daily I'm constrained to be  
Let that grace, now like a fetter,  
Bind my yielded heart to Thee.  
Let me know Thee in Thy fullness;  
Guide me by Thy mighty hand  
Till, transformed, in Thine own image,  
In Thy presence I shall stand.

## Announcements- February 13, 2022

**Come and Join our Sit to Stand Class!** Monday's at 1pm, \$15/class, contact Ruth Beyl (845-688-2516)

**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.

**We are looking for** volunteers to help some of our members who aren't able to drive anymore get to worship. If you are willing to assist, not every week but on occasion, please let Rev Bill know.

**Church Committees**-As we begin a new year please consider helping/joining one of the committees of the church. If you are interested and/or willing please take the time to have a conversation with the committee chair about helping out.

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

**Save the Date!**



All proceeds benefit the Hurley Reformed Church, Main St, Hurley NY

Drive-Up Take-Out **Brook's** Drive-Up Take-Out  
Chicken BBQ from Oneonta, NY

**Feb. 22, 2022**  
4:00pm - 6:30pm

1/2 chicken, coleslaw, baked potato, dinner roll & dessert **\$14.00**

To Pre-Order Call: **845-687-4006**

