

Hurley Reformed Church
Second Sunday after Pentecost
June 22, 2025; 10:00am
Rev. William Appleyard-Pekich, Pastor

MORNING WORSHIP
OUR APPROACH TO GOD

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/GREETING ONE ANOTHER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O send out your light and your truth;

All: let them lead me; let them bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling.

Leader: Then I will go to the altar of God, to God my exceeding joy,
and I will praise you with the harp, O God, my God.

All: Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

Leader: Hope in God, for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

All: Praise the Lord!

*HYMN OF APPROACH: **#36 “To God Be the Glory”**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Gracious God, we come to you praising all that you have done are doing and will accomplish in and through us. But we also must acknowledge that we have at times tried to go our own way. We have actively and in-actively disobeyed you by the choices we have made and the actions we have taken. Forgive us Lord. May your grace both overwhelm us but also lead us, to serve you and your people. 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: As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you,
O God.

All: My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and behold the face of God?

Leader: My tears have been my food day and night, while people say to me continually, "Where is your God?"

All: These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I went with the throng and led them in procession to the house of God, with glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving, a multitude keeping festival.

Leader: Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God, for I shall again praise him, my help

All: and my God. My soul is cast down within me; therefore I remember you from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar.

Leader: Deep calls to deep at the thunder of your torrents; all your waves and your billows have gone over me.

All: By day the LORD commands his steadfast love, and at night his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

Leader: I say to God, my rock, "Why have you forgotten me? Why must I walk about mournfully because the enemy oppresses me?"

All: As with a deadly wound in my body, my adversaries taunt me, while they say to me continually, "Where is your God?"

Leader: Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God, for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

*GLORIA PATRI [Words and music found on inside cover of hymnal.]
CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

THE WORD OF GOD

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: **“On Eagles Wings”** (insert)

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: 1 Kings 19:1-4,(5-7) 8-15a (pg.291)

New Testament: Luke 8:26-39 (pg. 836)

SERMON: “The Wrong Place at the Right Time”

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: **#442 “Blessed Assurance”**

*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)

Assisting with Liturgy today is Jim Sass

Ushers assisting in the service are Allan Dumas and Terry Gaffken

Please join us in Schadewald Hall after worship for refreshments! Thank you to The Helsley Family for providing them.

Flowers on the altar are provided by The Kindt Family.

Leading us in song is Joy Pollard

Mission of the month will be Family of Woodstock and lunchbox items for People's Place

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

Judy Bell (Terry Gaffken's mom) needs prayers; Bev Roosa is at the Terraces at Brookmeade; Lori Pinkham is in Wingate at Ulster; Terry Conlin;

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

#36 To God Be the Glory

To God be the glory Great things He has done: So loved He the world that He gave us His Son, Who yielded His life an atonement for sin, And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Refrain:

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice!

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!

*O come to the Father Thro' Jesus, the Son, And give Him the glory-
great things He hath done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood- To ev-'ry believer,
the promise of God! The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

Refrain:

Great things He hath taught us, great things He hath done,
And great our rejoicing thro' Jesus, the Son! But purer and higher
and greater will be Our wonder, our transport when Jesus we see!

Refrain:

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You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord,
who abide in his shadow for life,
say to the Lord: "My refuge, my rock in whom I trust!"

Refrain:

*And he will raise you up on eagle's wings,
bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun,
and hold you in the palm of his hand.*

The snare of the fowler will never capture you,
and famine will bring you no fear:
under his wings your refuge, his faithfulness your shield.

Refrain

You need not fear the terror of the night,
nor the arrow that flies by day;

though thousands fall about you,
near you it shall not come.

Refrain

For to his angels he's given a command
to guard you in all of your ways;
upon their hands they will bear you up,
lest you dash your foot against a stone.

#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

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