

Hurley Reformed Church
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
Graduation Sunday
June 28, 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: Let us worship God, our light and our salvation.

All: **The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.**

Leader: We desire to live in God's house and to seek God in his holy temple.

All: **We have come with shouts of joy, to sing and to make music to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

All: **Teach us your ways and make straight our paths in this hour of worship and always.**

*HYMN OF APPROACH: **"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Mighty and wondrous Lord, we confess that we have not followed you and your commandments. Instead of living our lives giving glory to you we have given glory to others and other things. Forgive our waywardness Lord. Help us to remember who it is that created us, sustained us and redeemed us. Hear our prayer O Lord, Amen.

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

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND SUMMARY OF GOD'S LAW

*RESPONSIVE READING:

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, **let me sow love.**

Where there is injury, **pardon.**

Where there is doubt, **faith.**

Where there is despair, **hope.**

Where there is darkness, **light.**

Where there is sadness, **joy.**

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled, to be understood, **as to understand;**

to be loved, **as to love.**

For it is in giving that we receive. It is in pardoning that we are pardoned, and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

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

THE WORD OF GOD

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: **"Take My Life and Let it Be"**

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: Jeremiah 28:1-9

New Testament: Matthew 10:40-42

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON: *"What a Welcome Means"*

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

OFFERING

[Please sign and pass the blue fellowship pads found at the end of each pew.]

*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: **"Make Me a Blessing"**

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

**Please stand if you are able*

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

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.

Bulletin Announcements on line: Check out the announcements from this week's bulletin on the church's website! Go to the church's website.

HurleyReformedChurch.org. Click on calendars under website navigation (on left side of page). They are listed in reverse date order (most recent first).

Audio recordings of the weekly sermon are available on our website, HurleyReformedChurch.org and on CDs which are on the table in the narthex



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Consistory 2020

Elders

Douglas Constant, *Senior Elder, Classis Delegate*
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Sandra Emrich, *Program & Activities*
Sandra Gregory, *Columbarium Liaison*
Kathleen Jansen, *Missions*
James Pirro, *Property & Maintenance*

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Linda Clarke-Dido, *Worship*
Christopher Decker, *Information Technology*
Robertta Falatyn, *Women's Ministries*
Russell Glass
David Kent, *Youth Ministries*
Lisa Longto, *Clerk*

Rev. Charles E. Stickle, *Pastor Emeritus*

Stickle 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

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

1. When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.
2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
Save in the death of Christ my God.
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to His blood.
3. See from His head, His hands, His feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down.
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
4. Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were a present far too small.
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all!

Take my Life and Let it Be

1. Take my life and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
*Take my moments and my days –
Let them flow in endless praise.
2. Take my hands and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee.
3. Take my voice and let me sing,
Always, only for my King.
Take my lips and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee.
4. Take my silver and my gold –
Not a mite would I withhold.
Take my intellect and use
Every pow'r as Thou shalt choose.
5. Take my will and make it Thine –
It shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is Thine own;
It shall be Thy royal throne.
6. Take my love – my Lord, I pour
At Thy feet its treasure store.
Take myself – and I will be
Ever, only, all for Thee.

Make me a blessing

1. Out in the highways and byways of life,
Many are weary and sad.
Carry the sunshine where darkness is rife,
Making the sorrowing glad.

Refrain:

Make me a blessing,
Make me a blessing,
Out of my life
May Jesus shine.

Make me a blessing, O savior, I pray.
Make me a blessing to someone today.

2. Tell the sweet story of Christ and His love;
Tell of His pow'r to forgive,
Others will trust Him if only you prove
true ev'ry moment you live.

Refrain:

3. Give as 'twas given to you in your need;
Love as the Master loved you.
Be to the helpless a helper indeed;
Unto your mission be true.

Refrain:

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR June 28, 2020

Welcome to Hurley Reformed Church this morning. You're warmly welcomed to our church. We love to see you here. We want you to know the love of God and feel His presence near. For you are so special to the Lord and special to us, too. Your life has significance, and there's purpose in what you do. Say hello to Rev. Bill.

Ushers assisting in the service are Dave 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 using Zoom

Graduation Sunday: Congratulations to all our graduates. You have bright futures!

- Shirley Ruth and Kathy Jansen proudly announce the graduation of granddaughter and niece **Veronica Ruth** from Seton Hall University.
- Shirley Ruth and Kathy Jansen proudly announce the graduation of grandson and nephew **Collin Ruth** from high school, Christian Brothers Academy.
- Wendy Helsley proudly announces the graduation of her daughter **Daniella Helsley** from Kingston High School and BOCES Career and Tech Center. She also finishing her education with Hurley Reformed Church Sunday School.
- **William Gaffken**, son of John and Terry Gaffken graduated from SUNY Delhi with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration.

The mission of the month for June is American Cancer Society.

Deacon of the month is David Kent. Contact him if you need a deacon's assistance.

Dorothy is physically in the office on Tuesday mornings. If you need to get in touch with her, please write an email to admin@hurleyreformedchurch.org. She will get back to you.

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.

Did someone say bar-be-que?

Drive-Up Take-Out

Hurley Reformed Church
Main St, Hurley NY

Drive-Up Take-Out

BBQ
July 11, 2020
4:00pm - 6:30pm

FOLLOWING ALL COVID19 REQUIREMENTS!

All proceeds benefit the Hurley Reformed Church

Includes: **BBQ chicken, pasta salad, baked beans & watermelon**

\$11.00

For Tickets Call: **845-687-4006**

On July 11 from 4 pm till 6:30 pm we will be holding a Chicken BBQ dinner served with pasta salad, baked beans & watermelon. The cost of this will be \$11.

Please call Sandy Emrich at 845-687-4006 for tickets.

Please help spread the word about this fund raiser.

We need all the support that we can receive since we had to cancel so much the beginning half of the year.