

Hurley Reformed Church

Pentecost

May 23, 2021, 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: The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us;

All: **we dwell in God and God in us.**

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord and call upon God's name;

All: **Make known his deeds among the peoples.**

Leader: Sing to God, sing praises to God,

All: **And speak of all God's marvelous works.**

Leader: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God almighty,

All: **Who was and is and is to come!**

HYMN OF APPROACH: **#486, "I Surrender All"**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious Lord, today we celebrate that you have given us your Holy Spirit. Your Spirit guides us, and leads us to follow and serve you. But so often we have sought our own way and tried to stifle the voice of your spirit. Forgive us. Open our hearts and our ears Lord, to hear and listen to the guidance of your spirit. In your holy name, Amen.

KYRIE ELEISON

WORDS OF ASSURANCE AND SUMMARY OF GOD'S LAW

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH AND PROFESSION OF FAITH:

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1

Leader: What is your only comfort in life and death?

All: **That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ.**

Leader: He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil.

All: **He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven;**

Leader: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation.

All: **Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.**

GLORIA PATRI

CHILDREN'S SERMON

THE WORD OF GOD

HYMN OF PREPARATION: **#455, "Take My Life and Let It Be"**

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: Ezekiel 37:1-14

New Testament: Acts 2:1-21

SERMON: *"Once the Fire Burns"*

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debt/debtors)

HYMN OF CONSECRATION: **#442, "Blessed Assurance"**

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Welcome to Hurley Reformed Church! We are happy to greet you this morning and extend a cordial welcome to all as we worship and serve together. Say hello to Rev. Bill.

Ushers assisting in the service are David Kent and Lisa Longto.

Tune your car radio to 94.9 FM for the service.

Please stay in your car and wave your hellos.

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

Judy Bell (Terry Gaffken's mom) needs prayers; Rev. Bob VanderLaan is recuperating at home; Viola Updahl is in Tenbroeck Rehab; Carla Campuzano is at home recuperating from surgery; Shirley Ruth is in Golden Hill; Alice Presti has moved to North Carolina nearer her daughter; Bev Roosa is at the Terraces at Brookmeade; 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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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

#486, I Surrender All

1. All to Jesus I surrender;
All to Him I freely give.
I will ever love and trust Him,
In His presence daily live.
 - *Refrain:*
I surrender all.
I surrender all.
All to Thee, my blessed Savior,
I surrender all.
2. All to Jesus I surrender;
Humbly at His feet I bow,
Worldly pleasures all forsaken.
Take me, Jesus, take me now.
3. All to Jesus I surrender;
Make me, Savior, wholly Thine;
Let me feel the Holy Spirit,
Truly know that Thou art mine.
4. All to Jesus I surrender;
Lord, I give myself to Thee.
Fill me with Thy love and power;
Let Thy blessing fall on me.
5. All to Jesus I surrender;
Now I feel the sacred flame.
Oh, the joy of full salvation!
Glory, glory, to His Name!

#455, 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;
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;
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;
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;
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;
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;
Ever, only, all for Thee.

#442, Blessed Assurance

1. 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!
 - *Refrain:*
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.
2. Perfect submission, perfect delight!
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight!
Angels, descending, bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.
3. 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR May 23, 2021

Today is Pentecost.

A Gentle Reminder: Masks still need to be worn and social distancing needs to be maintained even if you are fully vaccinated. We have come so far; we can't let our guard down yet! Thanks for keeping us all safe.

Yard Sale: The church & church family yard sale on June 5, 2021 from 8 am till 3 pm. Spots available for \$15 (tables will not be available for rental). To rent a spot for the June yard sale please contact Kelly Maggiore at 845-532-2995. You can drop off donations in Rev. Bill's garage.

Do you have happy news you want to share? Coffee hour isn't available to us so we are all missing out on opportunities to catch up with each other -- good news or bad. If you have a happening that you want to share with your church family, let the office know. We can/will publish it in the Spire and/or in the bulletin. This can be a vital way to connect with each other.

Graduation: Something to celebrate? A graduation to announce? Please let the office know so that we can all celebrate with you. A list will be published in June.

Reopening Committee: If you want to be part of the planning for reopening, please contact Rev. Bill. Everyone and everyone's inputs are welcome.

The mission of the month of May is Family of Woodstock. Thank you for your generous donations.

Deacon of the month is Alan Dumas. Contact him at 845-339-4758 if you need a deacon's assistance.

In Person Worship happens today at 11:30 am. If you wish to worship in person next week, please call the office for reservations by the Wednesday.

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.

The bathroom is available during services for urgent situations only. If you use the bathroom, please sanitize with the Clorox wipes found in the unisex rest room.

Bulletin: If you need a bulletin mailed to you, please let Dorothy know by Tuesday. Include your address and other pertinent information.

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Chicken BBQ

from
Oneonta, NY

June 15, 2021

4:00pm - 6:30pm

1/2 chicken, coleslaw,
baked potato &
dinner roll

\$14.00

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