## Hurley Reformed Church

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 16, 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: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;

All: there is no end to his greatness.

Leader: One generation shall praise your works to another

All: and shall declare your power.

Leader: All your works praise you, Lord,

All: and your faithful servants bless you.

Leader: They make known the glory of your kingdom

All: and speak of your power.

Leader: My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord:

All: Let all flesh bless his holy name for ever and ever.

\*HYMN OF APPROACH: #625 "What A Friend We Have"

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of Grace and love, we come before you today confessing our brokenness, our sinfulness. We also come with a deep desire that these no longer would control us. We desire reconciliation with our brothers and sisters, and with you. We desire to be the servant people that you call us to be. Through your Holy Spirit give us the guidance, grace, and wholeness we desire and crave. Help us to support one another through the times to come. In your holy name, 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: I lift up my eyes to the hills-- from where will my help come?

All: My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.

Leader: He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not

slumber.

All:

He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.

Leader: The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade at your right hand.

All: The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. Leader: The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.

All: The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this

time on and forevermore.

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

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
CHILDREN DISMISS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL

### THE WORD OF GOD

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION: #298 "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"

**SCRIPTURE LESSONS:** 

Old Testament: Genesis 32:22-31 (pg.26) New Testament: Luke 18:1-8 (pg. 848)

SERMON: "Don't Wear Down"

### **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)

In Person and Zoom Worship happens at 10am!

Ushers assisting in the service are Jeanne Quenzer and Dennis Croswell.

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

**Flowers on the Alter** are providing by The Appleyard-Pekich Family. **Mission of the month-** Teen Hygiene

## 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; Lori Pinkham is in Wingate at Ulster; Anthony DiPietro (son of MaryAnn DiPietro); David Giles, Barbara Sartorius in New Hampshire, Terry Conlin

**Audio recordings** of the weekly sermon are available on our website, HurleyReformedChurch.org.

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## Staff

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## Consistory 2022

<u>Elders</u>	<u>Deacons</u>
Dennis Croswell, Property & Maintenance	Allan Dumas
Christopher Decker, Finance	Lee Gable
Glenn Decker, Senior Elder	Jeanne Quenzer
Lisa Longto, Clerk	David Kent, Youth Ministry
Linda Moon, Missions	Dino Sumerano, Worship
Bill Baldinger	Robert Kindt, IT

Rev. Charles E. Stickley, 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

## #625 What A Friend We Have

What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear! What a privilege to carry Ev'ry-thing to God in prayer! O, what peace we often forfeit, O, what needless pain we bear, All because we do not carry Ev'rything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged;
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness;
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy laden, Cumbered with a load of care? Precious Savior, still our Refuge! Take it to the Lord in prayer. Do thy friends depise, for sake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer. In his arms He'll take the shield thee; Thou wilt find a solace there.

## #298 Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart

- Spirit of God, descend upon my heart.
   Wean it from earth; through all its pulses move.
   Stoop to my weakness, mighty as Thou art,
   And make me love Thee as I ought to love.
- 2. Hast Thou not bid us love Thee, God and King?
  All, all Thine own- soul, heart and strength, and mind!

I see Thy cross- there teach my heart to cling. O let me seek Thee, and O let me find!

- Teach me to feel that Thou art always nigh.
   Teach me the struggles of the soul to bear,
   To check the rising doubt, the rebel sigh;
   Teach me the patience of unanswered prayer.
- 4. Teach me to love Thee as Thine angels love, One holy passion filling all my frame; The baptism of the heav'n-descended Dove-My heart an altar, and Thy love the flame.

## **#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 blestWatching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.

#### Chorus

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- 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.
- The Mission for October will be Teen Hygiene. Any items collected will be donated to the High School for their pantry. Items needed include: Shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, body wash, toothpaste, toothbrush, women's hygiene products, laundry detergent (small size) etc. Any items donated can be brought the church and placed in the large basket at the top of the stairs. Thank you!

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