

Hurley Reformed Church
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
October 2, 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 and marvelous are your deeds, Lord God Almighty!

All: Just and true are your ways, King of the ages.

Leader: Who will not fear you, O Lord, and bring glory to your name?

All: For you alone are holy. All nations will come and worship you!

*HYMN OF APPROACH: **#596 "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy Lord, we come seeking forgiveness for the sins which we have committed by our actions and our inaction. These sins burden us and at times overwhelm us. We must confess that while we seek your forgiveness we have struggled to forgive and to love others. These burdens weigh us down and wear us out. Forgive us Lord, but also help us to forgive one another and ourselves. In your name we pray, Amen.

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

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS AND SUMMARY OF GOD'S LAW

*RESPONSIVE READING: Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;**

**And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.**

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven,

and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,

the holy catholic Church*,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

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

THE WORD OF GOD

*HYMN OF PREPARATION: **#436 "The Solid Rock"**

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: Lamentations 3:19-26 (pg.660)

New Testament: Luke 16:19-31 (pg. 846)

SERMON:

"A Distance Between"

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

OFFERING

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

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

THANKSGIVING AFTER COMMUNION

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (debt/debtors)

*HYMN OF CONSECRATION: **#102 "Precious Lord, Take my Hand"**

*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 Glenn Decker and Bill Baldinger.

Please join us in Schadewald Hall after worship for refreshments! Thank you to Ron Chrisey for providing them.

Flowers on the Alter are providing by Frieda Constant.

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); Marie Dressel. 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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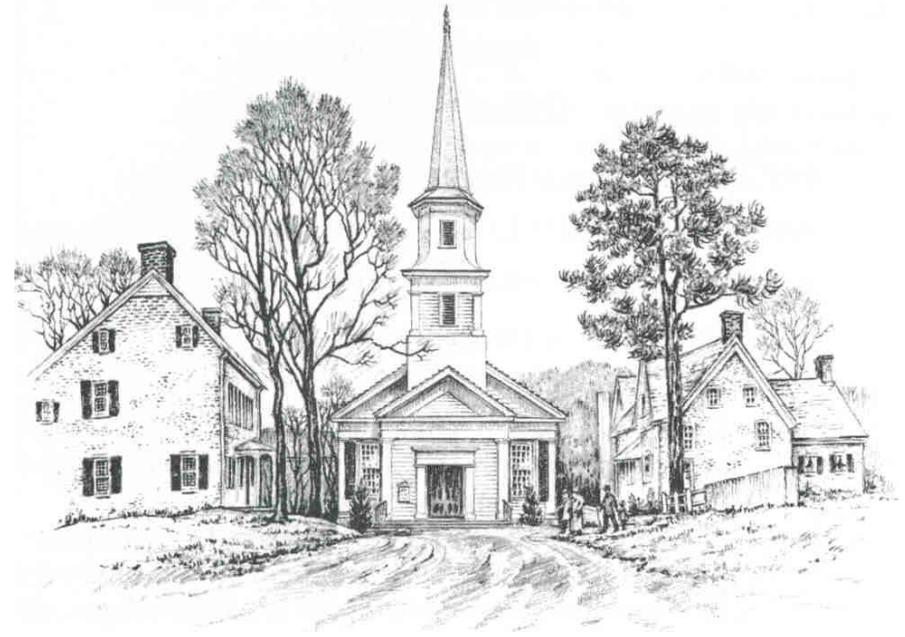
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Stickley Gardens Columbarium . . . A sacred place of beauty and contemplation.
(Located on the south lawn of the church.)

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

#596 Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

What a fellowship, what a joy divine,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!

Refrain:
Leaning, leaning,
Safe and secure from all alarms;
Leaning, leaning,
Leaning on the everlasting arms.

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!
O how bright the path grows from day to day,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!

Refrain

What have I to dread, what have I to fear,
Leaning on the everlasting arms?
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near,
Leaning on the everlasting arms!

Refrain:

#436 The Solid Rock

My hope is built on nothing less
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

Refrain:
On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand;
All other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand.

When darkness seems to hide His face,
I rest on His unchanging grace.
In every high and stormy gale,
My anchor holds within the veil.

Refrain:

His oath, His covenant, His blood,
Support me in the whelming flood.
When all around my soul gives way,
He then is all my Hope and Stay.

Refrain:

When He shall come with trumpet sound,
O may I then in Him be found!
Dressed in His righteousness alone,
Faultless to stand before the throne!

Refrain:

#102 Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Precious Lord, take my hand, Lead me on, help me
stand I am tired, I am weak, I am worn. Thro' the
storm thro' the night, Lead me on to the light.
Take my hand, precious Lord; Lead me home.

When my way grows drear, Precious Lord, linger
near- When my life is almost gone. Hear my cry,
hear my call, Hold my hand lest I fall. Take my hand,
precious Lord: lead me home.

When the darkness appears And the night draws near,
And the day is past and gone, At the river I stand;
Guide my feet, hold my hand. Take my hand, precious Lord;
Lead me home.

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