



WYCKOFF

REFORMED CHURCH

Worshiping God,
Making Disciples of Jesus,
Living Missionally

October 2, 2022

Welcome in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit
to The Wyckoff Reformed Church!

HOSPITALITY NOTES

These resources are also available at www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides.
To participate in this service online, join us at wrlive.org or on Facebook Live.

If you need to use a restroom, they are available through the right-hand door at the front of the sanctuary.

A quiet room is available through the left-hand door as well.

Masks are recommended for all those in attendance.
Note that all those singing and leading from the front are fully vaccinated.

This is a Family Sunday. Infants and children (birth-3 years old) may be taken to the nursery in the blue room of our Education Building upon your arrival. All other children will begin the service with their families. There will be an interactive family moment during the service that all children will be invited to participate in and then kids in preschool through second grade will be walked over to their lesson in the Education building while older children will be invited to stay in the sanctuary with their families.

Bold sections will be read aloud together.

* Invites you to rise in body or in spirit.

Communion is served this morning by intinction and with prepackaged elements. Two lines will be formed down the center aisle. Join the line on the left (pulpit) side to receive by intinction. You will be offered bread to tear off a piece and a cup in which to dip the bread and then eat. Join the line on the right (lectern) side to receive prepackaged bread and juice that you can eat upon returning to your seat. The elders with prepackaged elements will make their way around the sanctuary to serve those in need of assistance after the others have been served.

Want to get connected, learn more, or grow in your faith?
Fill out the connection card at www.wyckoffreformed.org/connect.

“Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.”

-Collect for Purity, Common Book of Prayer

GATHERED BY GOD

GATHERING MUSIC

“ALL THY FULLNESS”

WELCOME

Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven and earth, **Amen.**

LIGHTING THE CANDLE

Jesus Christ

is the Light of the World.

The Light shines in the darkness,
and the darkness did not overcome it.

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

PSALM 138:1-4 CEB

I give thanks to you with all my heart, Lord.

I sing your praise before all other gods.

I bow toward your holy temple

and thank your name

for your loyal love and faithfulness

because you have made your name and word

greater than everything else.

On the day I cried out, you answered me.

You encouraged me with inner strength.

Let all the earth give thanks to you, Lord!

***SONG OF PRAISE**

“PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY” #575

PRAYER FOR RENEWAL

We sing praise to you, Lord God Almighty, who is generous with love and justice, with providence and care. Our praise is our hope, the practice of trusting your promise that you will be our God and we are your beloved children. But Lord your call for our lives is hard, to live as Christ lives in this world, to be a salt of the earth and a light to the nations, to our neighbors, to our enemies. If we are weary, if we are bitter, renew our hope and rebuild our trust in you. Where we are weighed down by sin, forgive us. By your mercy, may we live as you have called us with joy and perseverance. We pray with the power of your name, Christ. Amen.

PROMISE OF GRACE

“HE WILL HOLD ME FAST”

FAMILY MOMENT

Sara Christie

Children will be walked to their lesson at this time.

OFFERING

We respond to the love and grace of Jesus by giving back our whole lives to God in worship. In this offering, we give our financial gifts as a symbol that all we have comes from God and is to be used for God's glory. Please continue to support us! To give your gift online visit www.wyckoffreformed.org/give or feel free to mail your offering.

OFFERTORY

“PEACEFUL RIVER”

By: Mary Donnelly

Duet: Mary De Mona, Cathy Nalesnik

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him, all creatures here below
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

LISTENING TO GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

JEREMIAH 15:15-21

SERMON

“RUN WITH THE HORSES”
Rev. Andy Kadzban

SERMON NOTES

RESPONDING TO GOD

*APOSTLES' CREED

We join our voices together with Christians throughout the ages to proclaim these words:
I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION

Communion is served this morning by intinction and with prepackaged elements. Please join the line on the left for intinction, or the right for prepackaged elements. If you have any questions or need any assistance, please ask an usher. If you are joining us from home, please feel free to join in communion as well! This is the table of Christ, and he welcomes ALL who are trusting in him for their salvation. Come, drink deeply and eat heartily, the body and blood of Jesus Christ!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*SONG OF SENDING

"YOUR LABOR IS NOT IN VAIN"

POSTLUDE

FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Please join us after worship on the patio for coffee, cookies and fellowship!

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Donna, Teagan Christophersen,
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Michael Trautmann, Mike, Larry
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Dick Robbins, Ruth Grape, Pam
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WEEKLY EVENTS

RUN WITH THE HORSES BOOK DISCUSSION

Mondays at 7:00pm in our Family Ministries space (Third Floor of Education Building). 6 sessions, which started September 12. Sessions are Hybrid-In-Person/Zoom. Led by Pastor Andy. Register here:

<https://tinyurl.com/runwithhorses>

BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays at 9am on Zoom- Join us for 45-minute dive into each week's Scripture passage.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/91413616383?pwd=QmVKd3djNU5mdVYyQlNwQ3crbTNvQT09>

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUTDOOR WORSHIP OCTOBER 9

Please join us for outdoor worship on Sunday, October 9, meeting on the field behind the parking lot. Remember to bring a blanket or chair for comfort.

Q&A WITH MISSIONARY JOSH BODE

On Sunday, October 9, we will welcome Missionary Josh Bode. After worship, he will discuss and answer questions about his mission work in Muscat, Oman where he and his family serve the Christian community. He has been called to be the RCA shepherd to this diverse and international body of believers in Oman as they seek to build bridges and love their Muslim neighbors. All are welcome to attend.

WRCW MEETING

The WRC Women's Meeting on October 12 at 12:30PM is a 'Mock Auction'. We are asking you to bring one or two items from your home (that are in good condition and you no longer need) to be auctioned off at our meeting. No articles of clothing, just items such as hats, scarves, jewelry, bric a brac, etc. that you don't want anymore. We will provide the 'money'. It will be an afternoon of laughter and fellowship-and you get to take home a couple of items that you placed a bid on! Please don't miss the fun!

WRC BOOK CLUB

The book that has been chosen for October's book club meeting is *Run With The Horses: The Quest For Life At Its Best* by Eugene Peterson. This book is an excellent accompaniment to our current sermon series on Jeremiah. The book is available on Amazon (hard copy, Kindle and audiobook).

Our meeting date is set for Thursday, October 20 at 3:00 pm.

Our plan is to try a "hybrid" meeting. Those who are able will meet in person at WRC in the Memorial room. There will also be the option to connect via Zoom.

NORTHSIDE FOOD PANTRY THANK YOU

Last week, we partnered with Wyckoff ShopRite and the Inserra Family for a food drive to benefit Oasis, a haven for women and children. At the end of the week, there were 26 carts full of donated food, which ShopRite estimated to be an \$8,500 value. Thank you to all who came to help over the course of the week!

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

STAR OF HOPE "THANKSGIVING - BOX OF LOVE"

WRC is again partnering with Star of Hope Ministries in Paterson for their 2022 Thanksgiving "Box of Love". Their goal is to fill and distribute more than 2,000 boxes of food and give out frozen turkeys.

Star of Hope purchases ingredients in bulk directly from grocery distributors and fills the boxes at their warehouse facility in Glen Rock. During the month of October, we are asking for your support to make a financial donation to help cover the cost of this food purchase. The cost to fill a box of food is \$50 or the cost for a turkey is \$25. To make a contribution, go to Star of Hope's website at www.sohm.org/BOL2022. When you contribute, scroll down to the church/organization and note that you are from Wyckoff Reformed Church. Checks can also be mailed to Star of Hope Ministries, Inc, 34 Broadway, Paterson, NJ 07505. As soon as volunteer sessions for packing boxes are available we will post them. If you have any questions, contact Jeanne Sico at 201-790-4473 or jeane17623@aol.com.

OCTOBER 15 WALK-IN DINNER

The next walk-in dinner that Wyckoff Reformed Church will prepare and serve is on Saturday, October 15th. As usual, we will be needing a crew of 10+ people. Whether you have helped out in the past or haven't had the chance yet, you are invited to participate in this month's dinner.

* We have had feedback from Family Promise that the recent number of people they are serving has increased. In response to this we are increasing the amount of food which we are sending down to Hackensack. We are unable to cook all of the food in our Heneveld Hall kitchen, so please note that we have created extra slots on the signup sheet asking for people to volunteer to cook a tray of meatloaf and cook 5 lbs. of potatoes.

* If you want to sign up to help serve the food in Hackensack, we need to have those volunteers sign up quickly so we can let Family Promise know we will have servers. We need to know if you want to serve by Monday, October 3rd. Please see the Bellringer for further details. If you would like to help, you can do so by clicking on the following Signup Genius link and sign up for one of the available job slots: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0448AFA72CABFF2-volunteers6>. Or you can contact Karen Riether directly at kriether@gmail.com or 201-788-5674 with any questions or to volunteer.

FAMILY MINISTRY

YOUTH GROUP

Youth group meets again this Sunday at Wyckoff Reformed Church from 7:00-8:30pm in the Family Ministries space! We are walking through a series on King David's family and the kingdom that followed his reign. If you have a loved one in 6th-12th grade, we'd love to see them. Friends are always welcome too!

Also, don't forget to sign up for our youth fall retreat here at WRC, October 14-15, and our winter retreat at Spruce Lake from January 13-15. You can also sign up for our summer mission trip, July 16-23. Registration is online at: www.wyckoffreformed.org/trips.

FAMILY PUMPKIN PICKING

Families are invited to join us at Secor Farms in Mahwah on October 23 at 2:00pm. We will meet by the tables near the hayrides.

Please let us know if you're coming so we can look out for you, by contacting Sara at sarac@wyckoffreformed.org.

CALENDAR

Sunday, October 2

9:30 AM Sunday Worship
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Fellowship Hour
Sunday School Leader Training
7:00 PM Youth Group

Monday, October 3

7:00 PM Hybrid Book Discussion

Wednesday, October 5

9:00 AM Zoom Bible Study
6:30 PM Choir Practice

Sunday, October 9

9:30 AM Outdoor Sunday Worship
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Josh Bode Q&A
Fellowship Hour

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