

10:00 A.M.

October 18, 2020

Welcome to church today! Even as the seasons change, we know that God's love remains constant. May our time together provide a blessing to you!

Prelude Dan Chien, Organist

Call to Worship (from Psalm 99) Rev. Richard Dykstra

Leader: The Lord reigns;

People: Let the nations tremble.

Leader: Great is the Lord in Zion;

People: He is exalted over all the nations.

Leader: Let them praise your great and awesome name-

People: God is holy.

Leader: Exalt the Lord our God and worship him,

People: For the Lord our God is holy.

* Hymn (*Insert*) "O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

* Prayer of Invocation

* Greeting Time (*Please greet those around you*)

Announcements

Prayer of Confession (*Unison*)

Our intent is to be Christian, Heavenly Father; but our commitment to live the Christian life is not true to our intentions. We practice what we see more than what we say. Forgive us for our failure to demonstrate our convictions through our lifestyle. Strengthen us by your Spirit; that our faith, hope, and love may determine the way we live....(silent prayer) Amen.

Hymn: "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

Assurance of Pardon

The Law

* Hymn # 830 "Open My Eyes, That I May See"

Scripture: Matthew 22:15-22 Pastor Alisha Riepma

Sermon: "Who does it belong to?"

* Offertory Music

* Offertory Prayer & Doxology

Sharing of Concerns & Joys

Prayers of Intercession

* Hymn (*Insert*) "Once to Every Man and Nation"

* Benediction

Organ Postlude

Tuesday 3 p.m. Church School in the Carriage House. This will be our second session for the year. Please let Pastor Rich or one of the teachers know if your child is planning to attend. Our teachers are: Steve M., Laura O., and Stacey W. **We plan to wear masks and follow safety protocols.**

Thank you to everyone who helped with Friday night's Pot Roast Beef Dinner! A lot of hands made it happen, and we thank all of you for doing it! A special thank you to coordinators Nancy and Andrea.

There will be a Blood Drive tomorrow from 1 to 6 p.m. in the Carriage House. Please call 1-800-RedCross or visit redcrossblood.org to make your appointment!

The New York Landmarks Conservancy, through its Sacred Sites Fund, awarded us a matching grant of \$30,000 in its latest round of grants. The grant will be used to match the NYS grant of \$262,000 to repair the church.

Pastor Alisha will be in Iowa next week for her ordination. Please keep her in your prayers as she travels and through the time away with her family.

Information gathering for the RCW Birthday Calendar is underway. Those who have participated before will be contacted by their regular solicitor from the Women's Group. If you have questions regarding this project, email RCW@catskill.net!