



# WYCKOFF

## REFORMED CHURCH

Worshiping God,  
Making Disciples of Jesus,  
Living Missionally



January 21, 2024

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](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/worshipguides).  
To participate in this service online, join us at [wrclive.org](http://wrclive.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.

Prayer Cards are available in the backs of the pews and on the table as you enter. If you would like our community to be praying for something, please fill one out and place it in the offering plates in the middle of the service.

**Bold sections will be read aloud together.**

\* Invites you to rise in body or in spirit.

## NOTES FOR FAMILIES

Our classrooms are: Nursery (Birth-3), Kids (PreK-3rd grade), and Students (4th-7th grade). Nursery-aged children may be dropped off in the blue room of the Education Building before worship starts. Kids and Students will start the service with their family and be dismissed to their lessons after the Family Moment.

Guardians: please check in your children on the iPad upon arrival. You'll receive two stickers. Your child must wear their nametag. You will save the guardian receipt and turn that into your child's Sunday school teacher upon picking them up.

Please note that the doors to the Education Building will be closed from 9:30-10:30am for the safety of our students. A walkie-talkie is provided should you need to reach a teacher or director during this time.  
Thank You.

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

# GATHERED BY GOD

## GATHERING MUSIC

### 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 cannot overcome it.

### INVITATION TO WORSHIP

Sing to the LORD, praise his name;

With all of creation we proclaim his salvation day after day!

### \*SONG OF PRAISE

"PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY" #575

### PRAYER FOR RENEWAL

Holy and merciful God,

in your presence we confess  
our sinfulness, our shortcomings,  
and our offenses against you.

You alone know how often we have sinned  
in wandering from your ways,  
in wasting your gifts,  
in forgetting your love.

Have mercy on us, O Lord,  
for we are ashamed and sorry  
for all we have done to displease you.

Forgive our sins,  
and help us to live in your light  
and walk in your ways,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. **Amen.**

## **PROMISE OF GRACE**

1 JOHN 1:9

"If we confess our sins, he who is faithful and just will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

## **\*SONG OF GRACE**

"JESUS PAID IT ALL"

## **\*SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you! **And also with you.**

## **FAMILY MOMENT**

Sara Christie

## **OFFERING**

*Giving our offerings is an important action that symbolizes the gift of our whole lives to Christ in gratitude for all He has given us. We give cheerfully and joyously, not out of guilt or shame. You may give your offering by placing it in the plate as you receive it from your neighbor and pass it down your row. You may also give online at [www.wyckoffreformed.org/give](http://www.wyckoffreformed.org/give), or text an amount to 201-849-1436. If you give electronically, consider placing an electronic giving card in the plate as a symbol of your gift!*

## **OFFERTORY**

"HIS NAME IS WONDERFUL"

## **\*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**

PSALM 27

## **SERMON**

"One Thing"  
Rev. Andy Kadzban

## SERMON NOTES

# RESPONDING TO GOD

## SONG OF RESPONSE

"BETTER IS ONE DAY"

### \*APOSTLES' CREED

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.

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

"WE WAIT IN HOPE FOR THE LORD"

### 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

**\*SENT WITH GOD'S BLESSING**

NUMBERS 6:24-26

## POSTLUDE

### FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Please join us after worship in Heneveld Hall for coffee and fellowship.

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## **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Peggy Graham, John Corbett, Denise, Nick Asilo, Norma Leonhard, Anne, Travis, Arlene DiSabatino, Darlene DiSabatino, Michael and Carla Grant, Patti Geffinger, Dottie Morreale, John, Sheldon Platt, Joyce Wolff, Eileen Black, Rich Lynch, Susan Fox, Erika Bach, Janette Daehnke, Bruce Monroe, Chuck Austin, Brad Ritter, Cheryl, Larry, Rick, Melissa, Mike, David Murdock, Frank, Pam Ritter, Lauren, George, Jack Broderick, Donald Moore

## **WEEKLY EVENTS**

BIBLE STUDY, Wednesdays at 9:00 am

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

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **CONSISTORY OFFICERS 2024**

WRC's Consistory slate of officers for 2024 have recently been elected. Join us in thanking them for their service and let them know how they can best serve you.

All Consistory:

Vice President of Consistory - Robin Brickman

President of Board of Deacons - Rob Karklin

Chair of Personnel Committee - Jen Aug

Clerk of Consistory - Patty Baker

Elder Delegate to Classis - Joan Ralph

Clerk of Board of Elders - Glenn Dykstra

Clerk of Board of Deacons - Jenny DeRosa

Deacons' Fund of Trustees - Jeanne Sico, Sue Litt, Jeff Carlson



## CONGRATULATIONS TO REV. ANDY!

On January 9, Rev. Andy successfully defended his doctoral thesis. His formal graduation is in April. Be sure to congratulate him on this important accomplishment!

## LET'S CELEBRATE!

Join us this Friday, January 26 to celebrate our Nursery School's 50th Anniversary!! The event will be held at the Brickhouse, beginning at 6:30pm. There will be dinner, music, dancing and a cash bar. Grab some friends and fill a table! We would really love to have a big church turn out to celebrate one of our longest ministries! Tickets can be purchased here: <https://wrcns.org/50th-anniversary-party> Or, scan the QR code to go directly to the tickets sales. Email Chris Ward with any questions: [christward@gmail.com](mailto:christward@gmail.com).



## OPPORTUNITY INTERNATIONAL

Next Sunday, January 28, Lindsey Paulsen of Opportunity International will be visiting WRC. She will update us on how Opportunity International is continuing their global initiative of helping those in extreme poverty. She will speak for a few minutes during the service and will be available to chat during Fellowship Hour. This will kick off our yearly fundraiser. Come and hear what is being accomplished.

## FEBRUARY 3 WALK-IN DINNER

The next walk-in dinner that Wyckoff Reformed Church will prepare and serve is scheduled for Saturday, February 3rd. Through your support, we are able to continue this much needed ministry to those experiencing food insecurity. There are more than 200 people being fed on a daily basis. Pray for the people we serve; their needs are great.

We need at least 15 volunteers to assist with the food pick up, food preparation and the delivering and serving of the meal. The food pick-up and the salad prep will take place on Friday, February 2nd. The bulk of the food prep and serving in Hackensack is on Saturday, February 3rd.

We can now send six people, 16 & older to Hackensack, to serve (Effective immediately: masks are mandated for all volunteers serving at the homeless shelter).

If you would like to help, please sign up by using the link for the Signup Genius. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0448AFA72CABFF2-47102929-volunteers>, Or you can contact Karen Riether (cell 201-788-5674 or email: [kriether@gmail.com](mailto:kriether@gmail.com)) or Lorraine Perry (cell 201-264-4319 or email: [lpstreamer@gmail.com](mailto:lpstreamer@gmail.com)).

## WRC BOOK CLUB

The book selection for January is "These Precious Days" by Ann Patchett. This is a book of essays and is available in the library system. We will be meeting next Thursday, January 25, 2024 at 3:30 pm in the Memorial Room.

## ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

The sanctuary will be open for prayer, reflection and imposition of ashes from 8:00-10:00am.

## FAMILY MINISTRY

### AFTER-SCHOOL ENRICHMENT CLASSES

We loved our Lego and Baking Class last fall and hope you'll join us for more this winter and spring! Check out our all-star lineup of after school classes happening on Thursdays from 3:30-5:00pm. Each month is a different theme. You can register for more than one class by going back and adding another to your cart prior to checking out. Share with your friends and register soon before they sell out! <https://www.wyckoffreformed.org/kids-activities-registration/>

## YOUTH GROUP RETREAT

We are headed to Shiloh Retreat Center from March 8-10 with Grace Church of Ridgewood and Cornerstone Church of Wyckoff. This retreat is open to students in 6th-12th grade and is a time for fellowship and relationship building as we all grow in our faith in Jesus. We'll hear teachings, live worship, and play lots of fun games. Deadline to register is January 31! Cost = \$175. Scholarships are available. Don't miss out - sign up on our website!! <https://www.wyckoffreformed.org/trips/winterretreat>

## YOUTH MISSION TRIP

Registration is open for our June 30-July 5, 2024 youth mission trip! We can't wait to serve in Newark, NY. This trip is open to incoming 9th graders - college-aged students: <https://www.wyckoffreformed.org/trips/youthmissiontrip>

## SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERING

Starting in February, we will begin collecting an offering from our Sunday school classes. Students will learn and choose what organization we will support this year along with the Biblical importance of generous giving. Stay tuned for more information; you can begin collecting coins or money to donate!

# CALENDAR

Sunday, January 21

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

Tuesday, January 23

5:30PM Classis Meeting  
7:30PM Family Min. Volunteer Mtg.

Wednesday, January 24

9:00AM Zoom Bible Study  
6:30PM Choir Practice  
8:00PM Sr. High Girls Bible Study

Thursday, January 25

3:30PM WRC Book Club

Friday, January 26

6:30PM WRCNS 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Party at the Brickhouse

Sunday, January 28

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

# CONTACT US

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