

# WYCKOFF REFORMED CHURCH

Worshiping God, Making Disciples of Jesus, Living Missionally

February 27, 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 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.

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

Infants and children (birth-3 years old) may be taken to the nursery in the blue room of our Education Building upon your arrival and before heading to the sanctuary for worship. Once in the sanctuary, families should check in their children using our iPad check-in system before taking a seat. At the beginning of the service, children ages 3 years old through 8th grade will be escorted by their teachers to their classroom in the Education Building. Masks will be recommended for teachers and children, especially those who are at risk. Parents will pick up their child from their classrooms following worship.

Bold sections will be read aloud together.

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

## GATHERED BY GOD

GATHERING MUSIC

"LITTLE THINGS WITH GREAT LOVE"

By: Porter's Gate

#### WELCOME

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

Grace to you and peace from God our father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

#### INVITATION TO WORSHIP

PSALM 103:1-5 CEB

Let my whole being bless the Lord!
Let everything inside me bless his holy name!
Let my whole being bless the Lord
and never forget all his good deeds:
how God forgives all your sins,
heals all your sickness,
saves your life from the pit,
crowns you with faithful love and compassion,
and satisfies you with plenty of good things!

#### **\*SONG OF PRAISE**

"LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING" #351 VV. 1-3

#### PRAYER FOR RENEWAL

Awesome and compassionate God, You have loved us with unfailing, self-giving mercy, But we have not loved you.

You constantly call us, but we struggle to listen. You ask us to love, but we are too busy, Wrapped in our own concerns.

You as us to serve, but we doubt that you've equipped us. As you come to the lost sheep, as you come to the sin-sick, come to us and have compassion. We repent in spirit and in truth, admit our sin, acknowledge our need, and gratefully receive your forgiveness.

In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

#### PROMISE OF GRACE

PSALM 103:8-12 CEB

"The Lord is compassionate and merciful,
very patient, and full of faithful love.
God won't always play the judge;
he won't be angry forever.
He doesn't deal with us according to our sin
or repay us according to our wrongdoing,
because as high as heaven is above the earth,
that's how large God's faithful love is for those who honor him.

As far as east is from west—
that's how far God has removed our sin from us."

#### 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 <a href="www.wyckoffreformed.org/give">www.wyckoffreformed.org/give</a> or feel free to mail your offering.

#### \*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 MATTHEW 9:35-10:16

SERMON Rev. Andy Kadzban

**SERMON NOTES** 

## RESPONDING TO GOD

#### \*SONG OF RESPONSE

"LORD OF THE HARVEST, HEAR"

Lord of the harvest, hear Your needy servants' cry; Answer our faith's effectual prayer, And all our needs supply.

On You we humbly wait, Our wants are in Your view, The harvest, truly, Lord, is great, The laborers are few.

Amen, amen Amen, amen

Anoint and send forth more Into Your fields abroad And let them speak Your Word of Pow'r As workers with their God.

Oh, let them spread Your name, Their mission fully prove, Your universal grace proclaim, Your all-redeeming love!

Amen, amen Amen, amen Amen, amen Amen, amen

**CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM** 

Gavin Ross Badia Son of Michael and Carlie Badia

#### \*APOSTLES' CREED

We join our voices together with Christians throughout the ages and across the world 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.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

"GRANT US PEACE"

By: Michael Scott

#### 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**

"LORD, WHOSE LOVE IN HUMBLE SERVICE" #928

\*SENT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

NUMBERS 6:24-26

**POSTLUDE** 

"YOUR LABOR IS NOT IN VAIN"

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#### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

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DEAR WRC - Thank you for praying for me in Sunday's (20th) service. Today (21st) marks the 12th anniversary of my cerebral hemorrhage. I survived being in a coma and being artificially ventilated and afterwards learned how to speak and walk again - just like a baby - and managed to graduate with an A. I think it is fair to say that it was a miracle. God gave me a second chance in my life which is why my family and I celebrate this day as my "second birthday". Still it is a day which gives me some mixed feelings. God is so good!
-Michael Trautmann from Germany

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

DISCOVERY CLASS - Interested in learning more about WRC and getting connected to all that's going on? Join us for our next Discovery Class! We'll meet again on Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:45am. Contact Pastor Andy (andyk@wyckoffreformed.org) for more info.

ASH WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 2022 - The sanctuary will be open for prayer, reflection and imposition of ashes from 8 AM -10 AM. Also, we welcome you to join us at Abundant Life Reformed Church in Wyckoff at 7:30 PM as we join with Abundant Life and First Reformed Church of Hawthorne for an Ash Wednesday service. Pastor Andy will be preaching on Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18.

NEW HOPE OPPORTUNITY - New Hope Community Ministries in Prospect Park has a volunteer opportunity that WRC can get help with. They are a host location for the United Way of Passaic County VITA program which assists people in completing their tax returns. This is being done on Saturdays February 5th - April 2nd, from 9-2 at their location. You can volunteer as a greeter assisting with sign-up from 9-12:30 and/or 12:30-2. New Hope Community Ministries is located at 331 North 11th St, Prospect Park. If you are interested in helping, please contact Morgan directly at morgan@newhopecmnj.org or 973-942-4059 & press 0 for the main office.

#### FAMILY PROMISE 50/50 SUPER RAFFLE

Start your year off with this fun, exciting way to support Family Promise of Bergen County while also giving yourself a chance to win big when the drawing takes place on St. Patrick's Day –Thursday, March 17! The Grand Prize winner will receive 25% of the proceeds – up to \$25,000! Family Promise provides temporary, safe shelter to working families experiencing homelessness as well as offering life-changing skills and personalized support that will lead them to become permanently self-sufficient. Tickets are \$100 each and can be purchased by visiting their website at https://www.bergenfamilypromise.org/events/raffle/ or by calling their office at 201-833-8009.

#### **WEEKLY EVENTS**

Morning Prayers will be held in the sanctuary at 10am on Tuesdays and on Zoom.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83734077031?pwd=WXdQTDUybmJvV24yM1BTV 3hHNHhuZz09

Bible study on Zoom 10am on Wednesdays to discuss the upcoming sermon text.

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

Evening Prayers will be held at 7:30pm on Thursdays on Zoom only. https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83734077031?pwd=WXdQTDUybmJvV24yM1BTV 3hHNHhuZz09

#### FAMILY MINISTRY UPCOMING EVENTS

#### FAMILY LENTEN BREAKFAST

Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> after 9:30 service please join us for light snacks in Heneveld Hall. We will have resources and activities for you and your family to make and take home for the Lenten season.

#### LENTEN FORT NIGHTS

Starting Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> and every subsequent Wednesday in Lent we invite you to join us via Zoom for Lenten Fort Nights @ 7pm. Just like in Advent, come cozy up and hear a collection of Easter stories! Please contact Sara Christie for the Zoom link.

#### ADULT DISCIPLESHIP

#### LENTEN 2022 STUDY

The Adult Discipleship Committee invites you to join a five-week Zoom Lenten study, "24 Hours That Changed the World" by Adam Hamilton.

When: Monday nights at 7:00pm through 8:45pm, beginning March 14thst and running through April 11th.

Description: No single event in human history has received more attention than the suffering and crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth. In this Lenten journey, Adam Hamilton guides us through the last twenty-four hours of Jesus' life.

In 24 Hours That Changed the World, each lesson begins with a short DVD video as Adam Hamilton retraces the last 24 hours of Jesus' life walking around Jerusalem. From the Last Supper to the Resurrection, the imagery is incredibly powerful and the information he delivers is so vital and helpful for us as we learn who Jesus was and what his last days on earth were like.

Suggested requirement: "24 Hours That Changed the World, Expanded Paperback Edition" by Adam Hamilton. For the study, please make sure to order the book and not the leader's guide or devotional. Available from ChristianBooks.com, Thriftbooks.com, or Amazon.com. There will be a small number of books available in the church office for a requested small donation of \$10.

Format: Each study begins with a 10-12 minute video. Next is discussion session, followed by wrap-up and closing prayer.

Leader: Frank Castellvi

Any questions please reach out to Frank at fcastellvi@comreginc.com or 201-446-4207.

### CALENDAR

Sunday, February 27

9:30 AM Worship

9:30 AM Sunday School

7:30 PM Youth Group at Pond's

Reformed Church

Tuesday, March 1

10:00 AM Morning Prayers

Wednesday, March 2

8:00 - 10:00 AM Imposition of Ashes in

Sanctuary

10:00 AM Zoom Bible Study

7:30 PM Ash Wednesday Service at

Abundant Life

Thursday, March 3

7:30 PM Evening Prayers

Sunday, March 6

9:30 AM Worship

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Family Lenten Breakfast in HH

7:30 PM Youth Group

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