

Hurley Reformed Church  
Third Sunday after the Epiphany  
January 26, 2025; 10:00am  
Rev. William Appleyard-Pekich, Pastor

**MORNING WORSHIP**  
**OUR APPROACH TO GOD**

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/GREETING ONE ANOTHER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

**All: Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your judgments are like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O Lord.**

Leader: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

**All: They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

Leader: For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

**All: O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation to the upright of heart!**

\*HYMN OF APPROACH: #65 “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

**Loving God, we come to you with hearts weighed down with the burden of our sins. We cry to you that we are in need of your grace. Your grace comforts us, strengthens us, and frees us; without it we are lost. Forgive us Lord for those ways we have transgressed, help us to cling to your grace and let it transform us. As your grace abounded at the wedding in Cana, we pray that it may abound in and throughout our lives. In your holy name, Amen.**

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

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS AND SUMMARY OF GOD’S LAW

\*RESPONSIVE READING

Leader: God, you have made yourself known, but in a most amazing way, coming in weakness, in a tiny baby; you covered your glory and hid your greatness.

**All: God of mystery and surprise, we praise you.**

Leader: God, you have made yourself known, but in a most amazing way, in a dirty poor stable no one else wanted; you hid your wealth and infinite riches.

**All: God of mystery and surprise, we praise you.**

Leader: God, you have made yourself known, but in a most amazing way, born to humble working people, hidden in a simple life, and yet announced in the stars of heaven and visited by kings.

**All: God of mystery and surprise, we praise you. Amen.**

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

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

**THE WORD OF GOD**

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION: #717 “We Are One in Mission”

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Old Testament: Psalm 19 (pg441)

New Testament: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a (pg.930)

SERMON: “What Part Am I, What Part Are You?”

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD**

OFFERING

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

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER (debt/debtors)

\*HYMN OF CONSECRATION: #685 “For All the Saints”

\*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 Allan Dumas and Terry Gaffken

**Please join us** in Schadewald Hall after worship for refreshments! Thank you to The Voightlaender Family for providing them.

**Flowers on the altar** are provided by The Voightlaender Family

**Leading us in song** is Joy Pollard

**Mission of the month will be** Josh Bode and Bread of Life Food Pantry

**Reach out to those who need your support in their day to day needs:**

Judy Bell (Terry Gaffken's mom) needs prayers; Bev Roosa is at the Terraces at Brookmeade; Lori Pinkham is in Wingate at Ulster; Terry Conlin; Shirley Burns

**Audio recordings** of the weekly sermon are available on our website, [HurleyReformedChurch.org](http://HurleyReformedChurch.org).

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### Hurley Reformed Church

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### Consistory 2025

#### Elders

Dennis Croswell, *Senior Elder*  
Marilyn More  
Walter Cook  
Christopher Decker, *IT*  
Margaret Sass  
Bill Baldinger

#### Deacons

Allan Dumas, *Finance*  
Russ Voightlaender, *Property & Maintenance*  
Jeanne Quenzer, *Program & Activities*  
Aileen Helsley, *Youth Ministry*  
Dino Sumerano, *Worship*  
Terri Gaffken, *Missions*

Rev. Charles E. Stickle, *Pastor Emeritus*

**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*

## #65 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
Almighty, victorious- Thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might;  
Thy justice, like mountains, high soaring above  
Thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all, life thou givest- to both great and small;  
In all life Thou livest- the true Life of all.  
Thy wisdom so boundless, Thy mercy so free,  
Eternal Thy goodness, for naught changeth Thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,  
Thine angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight.  
All laud we would render- O help us to see  
'Tis only the splendor of light hideth thee.

## #717 We All Are One in Mission

We all are one in mission;  
We all are one in call,  
Our varied gifts united  
By Christ, the Lord of all.  
A single, great commission  
Compels us from above  
To plan and work together  
That all may know Christ's love.

We all are called for service  
To witness in God's name.  
Our ministries are diff'rent;  
Our purpose is the same:  
To touch the lives of others  
By God's surprising grace  
So ev'ry folk and nation  
May feel God's warm embrace.

Now let us be united  
And let our song be heard.  
Now let us be a vessel  
For God's redeeming word.  
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## #685 For All the Saints

For all the saints who from their labors rest,  
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed;  
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress, and their Might;  
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;  
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true Light.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

O may Thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,  
Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,  
And win with them the victor's crown of gold.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

O blest communion, fellowship divine!  
We feebly struggle; they in glory shine.  
Yet all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;  
The saints triumphant rise in bright array;  
The King of glory passes on His way.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,  
Thro' gates of pearl streams in the countless host,  
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

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4:00pm - 6:00pm

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