

Sunday, November 13, 2022  
ORDER OF WORSHIP 10:00 AM

**Mr. Timothy Flynn \* Pastor**

**Carolyn Lansing \* Organist & Choir Director**

(\*People Stand If Able)

Please mute your cell phones

**PRELUDE** (*Time for quiet reflection & meditation*)

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INTROIT**

**COME, LET US WORSHIP**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**Psalm 111:4**

**SENTENCES**

**Psalm 98**

**(with Congregational Response)**

O sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things. His right hand and his holy arm have gotten him victory.

**The LORD has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.**

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

**Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises.**

Sing praises to the LORD with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody.

**With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the King, the LORD.**

Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; the world and those who live in it.

**Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing together for joy at the presence of the LORD, for he is coming to judge the earth. He will judge the world with**

righteousness, and the peoples with equity.

**SALUTATION:**

**Isaiah 12**

You will say in that day: I will give thanks to you, O LORD, for though you were angry with me, your anger turned away, and you comforted me. Surely God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid, for the LORD GOD is my strength and my might; he has become my salvation. With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation. And you will say in that day: Give thanks to the LORD, call on his name; make known his deeds among the nations; proclaim that his name is exalted. Sing praises to the LORD, for he has done gloriously; let this be known in all the earth.

Shout aloud and sing for joy, O royal Zion, for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel..... Grace mercy and peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

**\*Hymn #569 "Battle Hymn of the Republic"**

**Responsive Reading:**

**Luke 21:8-19**

And he said, "Beware that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and, 'The time is near!' Do not go after them.

**"When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end will not follow immediately."**

Then he said to them, "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom;

**there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven.**

"But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and

prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name.

**This will give you an opportunity to testify.**

**So make up your minds not to prepare your defense in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict.**

You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death.

**You will be hated by all because of my name.**

But not a hair of your head will perish.

**By your endurance you will gain your souls.**

### **\*GLORIA PATRI #622**

#### **PRAYER (in Unison):**

God of faithful surprises, throughout the ages you have made known your love and power in unexpected ways and places. May we daily perceive the joy and wonder of your abiding presence and offer our lives in gratitude for our redemption. God of life, we praise you for your abiding presence from generation to generation, blessing your people, strengthening us to lives of service, empowering us to bear witness to your goodness. Amen.

#### **OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD**

#### **JOYS AND CONCERNS**

#### **PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

#### **\*HYMN #561 "We Gather Together"**

#### **\*OFFERING**

**\*OFFERTORY**

**\*DOXOLOGY #625** (found in the back of the hymnal)

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

### **THE WORD OF GOD**

**SCRIPTURE:** Malachi 4

**Message:** "Soldier On"

**\*HYMN #479** "Onward Christian Soldiers"

### **DEPARTING TO SERVE**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

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#### **AMITY REFORMED CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT**

*"Our mission is to grow into the people God created us to be in Jesus Christ through Worship, Service and Fellowship within our congregation and our community."*

#### **TODAY AT AMITY**

**Operation Christmas Child Collection**

**Stewardship Sunday**

**Today's Greeter:**

Sue Howard

**COMING UP AT AMITY**

**Monday, November 14, 2022** Elders & Deacons Mtg 6:00 PM  
**Monday, November 14, 2022** Consistory Mtg 7:00 PM  
**Wednesday, November 16, 2022** Bible Study & Prayer 6:00 PM  
**Saturday, November 19, 2022** Holly Berry & Bake Sale 9 – 3  
**Sunday, December 11, 2022** Congregational Mtg After Sevice

\*\*\* **Guardian House** is in need of: wash cloths, towels, personal hygiene products, cleaning products and paper products. These are items not covered by food stamps. Envelopes for cash donations will be available on December 4<sup>th</sup> and due on December 11<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in make a donation of these items please contact:

**Georgia Beatty at 518-371-2568**

***Pastor Tim is available for pastoral calls. You can contact him at (518) 334-0408.***

Boy Scout Troop 30 meets every Wed. @ 6:30 pm in Chapel Hall  
Girl Scouts meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays in Chapel Hall

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**FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE DEACONS**

**Offering from November 6, 2022**

Program	\$2,314.00
Benevolence	\$180.00
Rental Income	\$60.00
Special Income	\$16.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$2,570.00</b>

**Monthly Mission**

**VCHC Veterans & Community Housing  
Coalition VetHelp Program**

20 Prospect Street, Building 2 Suite 313, Ballston  
Spa, NY 12020

We believe the words homeless and Veteran should never be used in the same sentence. Our mission is to ensure that all Veterans in the Counties that we serve have safe, decent, affordable housing. We provide support services, advocacy, financial assistance and transitional and permanent housing to help our Veterans achieve that goal.

[www.vhcny.org](http://www.vhcny.org)