

Sunday, November 5, 2023  
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**

**Matthew 5:8**

**SENTENCES**

**Psalm 34:1-10**

**(with Congregational Response)**

I will bless the LORD at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

**My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad.**

O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.

**I sought the LORD, and he answered me, and delivered me from all my fears.**

Look to him, and be radiant; so your faces shall never be ashamed.

**This poor soul cried, and was heard by the LORD, and was saved from every trouble.**

The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.

**O taste and see that the LORD is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.**

O fear the LORD, you his holy ones, for those who fear him have no want.

**The young lions suffer want and hunger, but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.**

**SALUTATION**

**Revelation 7:9-12**

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."..... Grace mercy and peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

**\*Hymn #201 "Grace Greater than Our Sin"**

**Responsive Reading:**

**Matthew 5:1-12**

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him.

**Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:**

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

**"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.**

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

**"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.**

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

**"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.**

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called

children of God.

**"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

**"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI #622**

**PRAYER (in Unison):**

**God of the ages, your saints who lived in faithful service surround your throne and offer you praise and worship both night and day. May we, your saints on earth, join our voices with theirs to proclaim your rule of righteousness and peace, which comes to us through Jesus Christ now and forever. Amen.**

**OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD  
JOYS AND CONCERNS  
PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**\*HYMN #206 "There Is a Redeemer"**

**\*OFFERING**

**\*OFFERTORY**

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

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**THE WORD OF GOD**

**SCRIPTURE:** 1 John 3:1-10  
**Message:** “To Be Like Him...”  
**\*HYMN #202** “Amazing Grace”

**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**

***Today's Greeter:***

**COMING UP AT AMITY**

**Monday, November 13, 2023** Elders & Deacons Mtg 6:00 pm  
**Monday, November 13, 2023** Consistory Mtg 7:00 pm  
**Saturday, November 18, 2023** Holly Berry Sale 9:00 – 3:00 pm

The Scouts will be having a food drive at this event.

***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  
Girls Scouts meet every Thurs @ 6:30 pm in Chapel Hall

**FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE DEACONS**

**Offering from October 29, 2023**

Program	\$831.00
Special Income	\$52.40
<b>Total:</b>	<b><u>\$883.40</u></b>

**Monthly Mission:**

**Things of My Very Own, Inc.**

**1011 Cheyenne Rd., Scotia, NY 12302**

**(518) 630-5143**

Things of My Very Own, Inc. provides crisis intervention services to children impacted by extensive abuse and/or neglect. Our goal is to keep children together with non-abusive family members, and out of the foster care system, whenever possible. Legally a child must have their own bed, warm blankets, clothing, hygiene products and an adequate supply of food to remain with their non-abusive family members. We strive to ensure that these children are given everything they need from the first moment on and to help them know that what they have endured does not define who they grow up to be.

[thingsofmyveryown.org](http://thingsofmyveryown.org)

**This Week's Prayer List**

**(Please have prayer requests sent to the office no later than Thursday to be added to the list)**

**Jim Lee, Hester Male, Ginny Shippey, Pam Howard, Mike & Kathy Whitehead, Doug Gould, Johnny Cranfield, Miss Millie, Joe & Donna Flynn, Tristian's recovery, The Sauter Family, Georgia Beatty, Our Military & 1<sup>st</sup> Responders**