

Sunday, March 3, 2024  
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 9:11**

**SENTENCES**

**Psalm 19**

**(with Congregational Response)**

The heavens are telling the glory of God; and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

**Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.**

There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard; yet their voice goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world. In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun,

**which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy, and like a strong man runs its course with joy.**

Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them; and nothing is hid from its heat.

**The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple; the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes; the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.**

More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold;

sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.

**Moreover by them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward.**

But who can detect their errors? Clear me from hidden faults. Keep back your servant also from the insolent; do not let them have dominion over me. Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

**Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.**

### **SALUTATION**

### **1 Corinthians 1:18-25**

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart." Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength..... Grace Mercy and Peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

**\*Hymn #458 "Gentle Shepherd"**

**Responsive Reading:**

**Exodus 20:1-17**

Then God spoke all these words:

**I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land**

of Egypt, out of the house of slavery;  
you shall have no other gods before me.

**You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.**

You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me,

**but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.**

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

**Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy.**

Six days you shall labor and do all your work.

**But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work--you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns.**

For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it.

**Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.**

You shall not murder.

**You shall not commit adultery.**

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

**You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI #622**

**PRAYER (in Unison):**

God of the covenant, in the glory of the cross your Son embraced the power of death and broke its hold over your people. In this time of repentance, draw all people to yourself, that we who confess Jesus as Lord may put aside the deeds of death and accept the life of your kingdom. Amen.

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

**\*HYMN #335 "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"**

**\*OFFERING**

**\*OFFERTORY**

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

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

***CHILDREN'S MESSAGE***

**THE WORD OF GOD**

**SCRIPTURE: John 2:13-22**

**Message: "Zeal For Your House..."**

**\*HYMN #270 "Wonderful Words Of Life"**

**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**

Loose Change Sunday  
Food, Family, Fun after Service

**Today's Greeter:**

Will Shippey

**COMING UP AT AMITY**

<b><u>Wednesday, March 6, 2024</u></b>	Bible Study & Prayer	6:00 PM
<b><u>Wednesday, March 13, 2024</u></b>	ARC Angels MTG	10:30 AM
<b><u>Thursday, March 27, 2024</u></b>	Maudy Thursday Service	7:00 PM
<b><u>Sunday, March 31, 2024</u></b>	Sunrise Service	7:00 AM
	Sunday Service	10:00 AM

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

\*\*\*\* Current Elders; Dan Cargill, Jean Hill, Patty Knowlton & Barb Sauter.

\*\*\*\* Current Deacons; Debbie Bango, Jane Cargill, Carolyn Lansing & Will Shippey

Boy Scout Troop 30 meets every Wed. @ 6:30 pm in Chapel Hall  
Girl Scouts meet on Thurs. @ 6:30 in Chapel Hall

**FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE DEACONS****Offering from February 25, 2024**

Program	<b>\$823.00</b>
Special Income	<b>\$75.30</b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$898.30</b>

**Monthly Mission:**  
**Campusone80 Ministries**  
**Caleb & Haley Fisher**  
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Caleb grew up in a Christian home attending church services every Sunday. Though this was the case, he never cared for church and paid no attention to the services. Then, in his junior year of high school, he attended a Younglife camp at Lake Champion. There, he heard the true Gospel for the first time and began questioning if there was something to it. Over the next year, he tried to change and overcome his hidden, sinful lifestyle by his own strength, with no success. Then, in his senior year, he truly heard the Gospel at camp, and his heart was changed. On the last day of camp, he stood up before the crowd declaring "My name is Caleb Fisher and I gave my life to Christ this week." Since then, he has been growing in his faith and knowledge of God in the Scriptures. He attends a church in Brockport, NY, where he has served in ministries at all levels. He has helped teach the young students during Sunday morning service, older students on Sunday evenings, and college students in Bible studies on Friday nights. Through these service opportunities, he discovered his heart for college ministry and walking with these students in life. He began in Campus One80, seeing it as an opportunity to serve in this way. For this reason, he has set aside schooling for physical therapy to make this ministry his life's work. He now resides with his wife, Haley, in Brockport, NY, as he ministers on SUNY Brockport campus. As a part of the only Christian ministry on this campus, he seeks to meet as many students as he can, share the Gospel with them, and disciple them in a life-giving relationship with Jesus Christ.

[www.campusone80.com/caleb-fisher/](http://www.campusone80.com/caleb-fisher/)

**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, Mike & Kathy Whitehead, Doug Gould, Johnny Cranfield, Miss Millie, Tammy, Dave Pettis, Joe & Donna Flynn, The Cargills, The Shippey Family, Georgia Beatty, Zoey Lansing, Unspoken, World Unrest, Our Military & 1<sup>st</sup> Responders**