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### Sunday, July 7, 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 SENTENCES

Psalms 98:1-2 Psalm 123

### (with Congregational Response)

To you I lift up my eyes, O you who are enthroned in the heavens!

As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, as the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, until he has mercy upon us.

Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us, for we have had more than enough of contempt.

Our soul has had more than its fill of the scorn of those who are at ease, of the contempt of the proud.

# SALUTATION

## 2 Corinthians 12:6-10

But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong....... Grace Mercy and Peace be with you from God the Father and our Lord Jesus Christ.

# \*Hymn #576 "The Star Spangled Banner"

# **Responsive Reading:**

Mark 6:7-13

He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. **He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts;** but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. **He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place.** 

If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent.

They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

## \*GLORIA PATRI #622

## PRAYER (in Unison):

God of salvation, who sent your Son to seek out and save what is lost, hear our prayers on behalf of those who are lost in our day, receiving these petitions and thanksgivings with your unending compassion. Heal our lives, that we may acknowledge your wonderful deeds and offer you thanks from generation to generation through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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

\*HYMN #306 "Jesus Saves!"

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

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

## THE WORD OF GOD

- SCRIPTURE: Ezekial 2:1-5
- Message: "Speak!"
- \*HYMN #571 "My Country Tis Of Thee"

## **DEPARTING TO SERVE**

\*BENEDICTION \*POSTLUDE

<u>AMITY REFORMED CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT</u> "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." Page **4** of **5** 

#### TODAY AT AMITY

Loose Change Sunday

#### Today's Greeter:

**Fred Stevens** 

#### **COMING UP AT AMITY**

Monday, July 8, 2024<br/>Monday, July 8, 2024Elders & Deacons Mtg6:00 PMMonday, July 8, 2024<br/>The week of July 8th - 12th<br/>Monday, July 18, 2024Consistory Mtg7:00 PMMonday, July 8th - 12th<br/>PAM - 1 PMArt Camp in Chapel Hall<br/>9 AM - 1 PM9 AM - 1 PMThursday, July 18, 2024Ice Cream Social6:00 - 8:00 PM

& Movie Night "How To Train Your Dragon" 8:00 PM

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. @ 6:45 pm in Chapel Hall Girl Scouts meet on Thurs. @ 6:30 in Chapel Hall

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FROM THE DEACONS

| Offering from June 30, 2024 |            |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Program                     | \$741.00   |
| Benevolence                 | \$40.00    |
| Rental Income               | \$30.00    |
| Special Income              | \$250.00   |
| Total:                      | \$2,231.30 |

### <u>Monthly Mission:</u> Things of My Very Own, Inc. 249 Green Street Schenectady, NY 12305 (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 nonabusive 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

<u>This Week's Prayer List</u> (Please have prayer requests sent to the office no later than Thursday to be added to the list)

The Lee Family, Mike & Kathy Whitehead, Doug Gould, Johnny & Judy Cranfield, Miss Millie, Maggie, Moriah, Bob Shippey, Brittany Hernandez, Joe & Donna Flynn, Emily & Family, Georgia Beatty, Bill LaRose, Carolyn & Zoey Lansing, Pastor Kent, Pastor Heather, Unspoken, World Unrest, Our Military & 1<sup>st</sup> Responders