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#### Sunday, August 4, 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

Psalm 100:1-2 Psalm 78:23-28

## (with Congregational Response)

Yet he commanded the skies above and opened the doors of heaven;

# he rained down on them manna to eat and gave them the grain of heaven.

Mortals ate of the bread of angels; he sent them food in abundance.

# He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens, and by his power he led out the south wind;

he rained flesh upon them like dust, winged birds like the sand of the seas;

he let them fall within their camp, all around their dwellings.

# SALUTATION

# Exodus 16:11-15

The LORD spoke to Moses, "I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning, you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.'" In the 

## \*Hymn #294 "Set My Soul Afire"

## **Responsive Reading:**

John 6:30-35

So they said to him, "What sign are you going to give us, then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing?

Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" Then Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always." Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

# \*GLORIA PATRI #622

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

O God, sustain us in the complexity of our humanity as you sustained David- playing the harp of youth, throwing stones at giant problems, loving our friends beyond wisdom, dancing worship, mourning children, breaking our hearts in psalms, and longing for warmth in our old bones. Amen.

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

\*HYMN #42 "Seek Ye First"

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

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

# THE WORD OF GOD

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 51:1-12

Message: "Have Mercy on Us Oh Lord"

\*HYMN #203 "And Can It Be" vs 1&2

Preparing our Hearts: #668

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

\*HYMN #203 vs 3&4

## **DEPARTING TO SERVE**

#### \*BENEDICTION \*POSTLUDE

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

#### Today's Greeter:

Ellen Shippey

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

Thursday, August 15, 2024	ARC Angels MTG	10:00 AM
Thursday, August 22, 2024	Ice Cream Social	6:00-8:00 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 Jul	<u>y 28, 2024</u>
Program	\$828.00
Total:	\$828.00

## Monthly Mission: Bob & Amy Abel RCA Global (616-541-0835)

Book a dinner reservation, text a friend, say a prayer—these are all things you can do in 30 seconds. In that same amount of time, two children are sold for the first time into sex slavery. That adds up to 3,300 per day and 1.2 million sold each year. The only way to combat those numbers is through prevention. Remember Nhu provides freedom for children around the world by ending the supply of vulnerable children for the sex trade. Through the gospel. the children also receive freedom for eternity. Bob Abel provides direction for Remember Nhu missionary staff, including pastoral care, new missionary transition, discipleship support, and leadership development. Remember Nhu currently operates in 16 countries through 100 homes for children, preventing 2,000 children from entering the sex trade. donate@rca.org

## This Week's Prayer List

(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