**Pastor**: R. Garret Szantner **Director of Church Music**: Jean LaCrosse **Office Manager**: Emily Conti

The Mission Team would like to thank you all for the donations that were made to supply Daily Word Devotionals to the summer camp at Schenectady City Mission. Due to your generosity, Lynnwood was able to raise a total of \$848 and supply the word of the Lord to many children in our community!

A Brooks' BBQ will be held at Lynnwood on August 24th 2023. Volunteer sign-ups are available in the Narthex for day-of volunteers and brownie bakers. Thank you in advance for your help!

Pastor Garret will be on vacation from Friday, July 28th - Saturday, August 12th. He will return from Sunday, August 13th - Thursday, August 17th and leave again from August 18th - August 26th. Additionally, Pastor Garret will be unavailable and out of the office Monday, August 28th until Tuesday, September 5th for continuing education. He will not be in attendance for service on Sunday, September 3rd.

A Gospel Music Sing will be held on Wednesday August 16th, 2023 from 6:00 - 7:00. It will be a fun time together learning and singing these great old songs!! Delicious lemonade and light summer treats will be served!! All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Contact Jean LaCrosse at <a href="mailto:jlacrosse2@nycap.rr.com">jlacrosse2@nycap.rr.com</a> for more info!

The Buildings and Properties Team is seeking referrals for commercial painting contractors to paint our church exterior. If you are aware of qualified contractors, please send their name and a brief description of your experience with them to Mark Watson at <a href="mailto:mwatson204@verizon.net">mwatson204@verizon.net</a> Thanks!

Later Today Coffee Fellowship

Street Soldiers Meal Prep 11:30

Mon 07 Mission Team Meets 6:30

Tue 08 Prayer Shawl 12:00
Thur 10 In His Presence 9:30

Worship Band 6:30 Consistory Reports Due!

Sat 12 Maria's Prayer Group 10:00

### LYNNWOOD

## REFORMED CHURCH

August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023



# Psalm 34 "Psalms for the Road: Delivered From My Fears"

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#### GATHERED BY GOD

#### AUGUST 6TH, 2023

Welcome Mary Chew

Prelude

\*Call to Worship Amanda Wilber

Let everyone in the world fear the Lord, and let everyone stand in awe of him.

All who live in the world honor God.

Our souls are waiting for God.

Only God is our help and our shield.

In Him, our hearts rejoice,

for we trust in God's holy name.

May your unfailing love surround us, O God,

for our hope is in you alone

\*Song of Gathering

"Praise My Soul, The King of Heaven"

#### Prayer of Praise

Let the godly sing for joy to the Lord; It is fitting for the upright to praise him.

Sing a new song of praise to him;

play skillfully and sing with joy.

For the word of the Lord holds true,

and we can trust everything he does.

He loves whatever is just and good;

the unfailing love of the Lord fills the earth.

Let the whole world fear the Lord,

and let everyone stand in awe of him.

For when he spoke, the world began!

It appeared at his command.

The Lord's plans stand firm forever;

his intentions can never be shaken.

The Lord watches over those who fear him,

those who rely on his unfailing love.

We put our hope in the Lord.

He is our help and our shield.

In him our hearts rejoice,

for we trust in his holy name.

Let your unfailing love surround us, Lord,

for our hope is in you alone.

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God" Jerry Oliver

#### Receiving God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading "Psalm 34" Karen Messercola

Sermon "Psalms for the Road: Delivered From My Fears" Tom McCrossan

#### RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

\*Song of Response

"Be Still My Soul"

Ministry Updates

The Offering

Prayer of Dedication

Shannon Comparetta

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors) Daniele Reuckert

#### GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

\*Song of Sending

"Be Thou My Vision"

\*Benediction

**Postlude** 

\*indicates standing for those able. Bold type indicates congregational response

At Lynnwood Reformed Church, we affirm the great diversity of God's creation in our communities. This diversity includes persons from various economic, ethnic, and cultural backgrounds, gender expressions and sexual identities, and gifted with a variety of abilities. We also believe that God's unconditional love, as demonstrated through Jesus Christ, is intended for all. As such, all people are welcome to participate fully in the life of the church.

<sup>\*</sup>Song of Praise
A Prayer with the Children