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

The Mission Team is collecting the following items for the backpack program at Guilderland Food Pantry during the month of May. Donations can be left in the narthex or in food bins if the church is closed.

- Individual sized microwaveable Mac and cheese and raviolis.
- Individual sized bags of tuna (no cans).
- Individual sized cold cereals.

Summer Worship Services are <u>NOT</u> going to be moved to an earlier time this year. Consistory and the Worship Team have made the joint decision that service will continue to be held at 9:45 every Sunday, they hope this will also better accommodate volunteers throughout the year.

The Lynnwood Buildings and Properties Team is seeking people to fill the volunteer positions of "Superintendent of Buildings and Properties" and "Chair of the Buildings and Properties". Additional information, including job descriptions, is available by contacting Walt Cogswell at (518) 229-1947 or Mark Watson at (518) 992-8224.

Additional Messages from the Lynnwood Buildings and Property Team:

There are still two-week sign-up slots, starting in June, for mowing the church's 4+ acres of greenery. Must be at least 18 years old and have orientation on the zero-turn mower. Contact Walt Cogswell (518.229.1947) if interested or just curious.

Later Today Coffee Fellowship

Mon 5

Street Soldiers Meal Prep 11:30

Junk in the Trunk 2:00 Suburban Sounds 4:00 Youth Fellowship 5:30 Mission Team 6:30

Tue 6 Faith Formation 4:30

Building and Property 6:00

<Girl Scout Troop 5048> 6:00

Wed 7 Stretching with Friends 6:00

Worship Team 6:30

Choir 7:30

Thur 8 In His Presence 9:30

<Girl Scout Troop 5011> 5:45

Band Rehearsal 6:30

LYNNWOOD REFORMED CHURCH

JUNE 4th 2023



Psalm 23

"Psalms for the Road: The Good Shepherd and Green Pastures"

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GATHERED BY GOD *

June 04, 2023

Welcome

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Nancy LaPietro

We can trust God.

God is like the mountain: rock solid.

God loves all the people:

the poor, the disabled, the outcast, the stranger.

We can depend on God.

God feeds the hungry, heals the sick,

and restores relationships.

Praise our Loving God.

Hallelujah! Let us worship God!

*Song of Gathering "Open the Eyes of my Heart"

*Song of Praise "Ancient of Days"

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD *

A Prayer with the Children

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture "Psalm 23" Susan VanDerWende

Sermon "Psalms for the Road: The Good Shepherd and Green Pastures"

Choir Anthem "We Gather To Praise"

Sacrament of Communion Randy Mix

The Lord's Supper

Meaning and Invitation

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Now lift up your hearts. We lift them in praise.

O let us give thanks to the Lord. It is good and it is right,

our joy and our delight to give God praise at all times and in all ways!

Holy and right it is,... $\,\,$...we worship and adore your glorious name.

Oh, holy are you, Lord the God of power and might; the angels veil their sight! Earth is aflame with the glory of your name!

Hosanna! Blessed is he! Christ Jesus, who is come, the Lord's anointed one: He comes again! Hosanna, Lord, Amen.

Most righteous God,... ... Together we proclaim the mystery of the faith:

Your death, O Christ, we proclaim. Your rising celebrate!

Your coming we await, to make all things new. All glory unto you.

Send your Holy Spirit upon us, we pray,...

...Even so, come, Lord Jesus! Alleluia! Lord! Amen!

Even so, come, Lord Jesus! Alleluia! Lord! Amen!

The Story of the Meal $\,$

....These are the gifts of God, for us, the people of God!

"Congregational Response"

Sharing the Communion

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD *

Ministry Updates

The Offering

Prayer of Dedication

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

GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING *

*Song of Sending "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty"

*Benediction

Postlude

Choir Anthem

"We Gather Here to Praise"

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.

^{*}indicates standing for those able. **Bold type** indicates congregational response