



# Altamont Reformed Church

Trinity Sunday  
June 12, 2022

## WE GATHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD!

*Prelude*      “Verset de Procession sur l’ Adoro Te”      Leon Boellmann  
Audrey Daly, Organist

*Lighting of the Christ Candle*

*Welcome*

*Call to Worship*

We gather in the name of the living Christ to worship God.

**Surely, God is in this place and calls us to worship in spirit and in truth.**

God’s love is for you and for all people everywhere.

**May we be renewed in the refreshing Spirit of the living Christ, that we may share God’s love and life.**

The living Christ is with us.

**Praise the Lord.**

*\*Hymn*      “Holy, Holy, Holy”      (Purple) #1

*Prayer of Confession*

Lord Jesus, we confess that we don’t always listen well to Your teachings.

Lord, we confess that we have not always listened to you. We worry about trivial things and crowd out your cry. Lord, we confess that we’re not eager to hear what you have to say to us. We think we know a better way to do most everything. Lord, we confess that we’ve ignored your Holy Spirit more than

once today. Lord, we confess our faults and ask you to speak to us again. Send your Spirit of Truth and speak to all that is false within us. We will receive your words and follow your ways.

**This we humbly pray in your name, O Triune God – Creator, Savior, Sustainer. Amen.**

*Assurance of Pardon*

**Romans 5:1-5 CEV**

By faith we have been made acceptable to God.

**And now, because of our Lord Jesus Christ, we live at peace with God.**

Christ has also introduced us to God's undeserved kindness on which we take our stand.

**So we are happy, as we look forward to sharing in the glory of God.**

But that's not all! We gladly suffer, because we know that suffering helps us to endure.

**And endurance builds character, which gives us a hope that will never disappoint us.**

All of this happens because God has given us the Holy Spirit, who fills our hearts with his love.

**Thanks be to God! Amen.**

*The Law of God*

*\*Passing of the Peace*

The peace of Christ be with you!

**And also with you!**

*\*Gloria Patri*

**(Purple) #581**

**Glory be to the father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**



hand of God the Father almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## WE RESPOND WITH GRATITUDE

### *Announcements*

*Offering*

“Be Still, for the Presence”

David Evans

### *\*Doxology*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### *\*Prayer of Dedication*

### *Sharing of Joys and Concerns*

### *Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession*

### *The Lord's Prayer*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

### *\*Closing Hymn*

“Holy God, We Praise Your Name”

(Purple) #4

### *\*Choral Benediction*

### *\*Benediction*

*Postlude*

“Sleepers Wake, a Voice is Calling”

J.S. Bach

*\* Indicates the congregation stands, if able.*

**WELCOME** as we worship together in person or in our Zoom space.

**OUR WORSHIP LEADER THIS MORNING IS REV. ROGER KRUTZ**, a retired pastor in the Classis of Albany. Having served 28 of his 45+ years of ministry in the Classis of Albany, Roger began his ministry in the Hilltowns, serving in Westerlo from 1976-84. He most recently served as a Specialized Transition Minister from 2012 until his retirement in 2017. He currently provides pulpit supply for various churches in the area. Roger and his wife, Diane, who works as a Clinical Care Coordinator at St. Peter's Hospital, live in East Greenbush. Their son, Reuben, his wife Mary, and two year-old daughter Naomi live in Didcot, UK.

**SPECIAL THANK YOU TO RYAN BREWER** for sharing his special gift of music with us. Ryan arranged this week's anthem.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JUNE 12

### VOLUNTEERS TODAY

Greeters & Counters .....Jan Davis & Jeff Counterline  
 Side Door Greeter ..... Sallie Townsend  
 AV Support .....Tom Boink  
 Coffee Hour ..... Barb Sargent

### FUTURE VOLUNTEERS

	June 19	June 26	July 3
<b>Ushers &amp; Greeters</b>	Cheryl Ostrander & Rick Flaherty	Judi Dineen & Noreen Novak	Jim & Kristy Dame
<b>Offering Counters</b>	Rick Flaherty & Mike Gilman	Judi Dineen & Noreen Novak	Jim Dame & Stephanie Brewer
<b>AV Support</b>	Ryan Brewer	Mike Gilman	Mike Mayer
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	John & Natalie Drahzal	Julie & Dave Glass	<i>See you in the fall!</i>

## **COMING UP THIS WEEK**

Today	11:30 a.m.	Coffee hour in Fellowship Hall
Tues., June 14	7 p.m.	Congregational Life Committee meeting
Thurs., June 16	6 p.m.	Chancel Choir Pot Luck
	7 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Sun., June 12	9:30 a.m.	Chancel Choir rehearsal
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service/Choir Sunday in person and on Zoom
	11:30 a.m.	Special Coffee Hour in Fellowship Hall

## **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2022 GRADUATES**

Today we celebrate the graduations later this month of our ARC high school seniors. Our very best wishes go out to Julia Dame and Kim Riek.

## **WE CELEBRATE THE GIFT OF CHILDREN**

The Reformed Church celebrates Children's Day on the second Sunday in June. While we may not have many children in our church this year, we all have children we love. To celebrate them, we acknowledge today the flowers donated to our new flower bed being created in a space near the side sanctuary door. This flower bed will serve as a reminder of God's gift of children. Thank you.

## **"THE CARE NECESSITIES" JUNE COLLECTION**

During the month of June we will be collecting personal care and hygiene products for the Regional Food Bank of Northeastern New York. They have put out a special appeal for "The Care Necessities" that people need for day-to-day comfort and health but are not covered by SNAP (food stamp) benefits. The items we collect will be distributed to area food pantries. Bins will be provided in the sanctuary and outside the kitchen. Note: regular sizes needed, not samples or travel sizes. We invite you to pick up one or more of these items each time you shop this month and drop them off when you come to church.

Here's the list of requested items: bar soap, shower gel, shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes (individually packaged), toothpaste, men's or women's disposable razors, shaving cream, toilet paper, sanitary pads, tampons, diapers, baby wipes, hand & body lotion, deodorant.

## **NEXT WEEK IS CHOIR SUNDAY**

Next Sunday, June 19, is Choir Sunday. Please join us as we enjoy special music prepared by the chancel choir and celebrate the end of another successful choir year. Bring a friend!

## **NEW ADDRESS**

As of Wednesday, June 15, the new address for Ralph and Clara Lasselle is 325 King's Rd. Apt. #210, Schenectady, NY 12304.

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## **ALTAMONT REFORMED CHURCH**

### **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

The Altamont Reformed Church is a community of Christian believers called by God to be part of the living Body of Christ, to worship God our King and to obey Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. Enabled by the Holy Spirit, we pledge to study the Bible and live the Good News. We endeavor to serve and care for each other and to reach out to the world, sharing God's love and inviting all to join in joyful discipleship.

### **CONSISTORY**

#### **Rev. Matthew J. van Maastricht**

#### **Elders**

Bill Johnson  
Claudette Riek  
Steve Simmons  
Angie Stewart  
Laurie Warner

#### **Deacons**

Jan Davis  
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