Personal Milestones

October 1- Hazel and Jeff Puhalka

Prayer Concerns Prayer family: Jenie and James Drake Prayer young person: Evan Dutra Prayer theme for young adults: general welfare All medical professionals, emergency responders & those serving in hospitals, nursing homes & care facilities Military folks & family - the USA & all those in leadership S-VE School Board members, administrators, teachers & others North Spencer Christian Academy Church Finances Spencer Food Cupboard North Van Etten Church

A note about offering - all we have is a gift from God. We are invited weekly (and honestly at all times) to respond to God & joyfully give some of what we've been trusted with. For financial giving please place in an offering plate when arriving/leaving or mail to:

939 Danby Rd, Spencer NY 14883 -OR- PO Box 367, Spencer, NY. 14883

Calendar

Monday -- 6PM AA Wednesday -- 11AM Adult Study Friday -- 11AM Women's Bible Study Sunday - Adult Study 10:00 AM - Worship 11:00 AM



Scripture Psalm 34: 1-8

Faith and Engagement



"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" No. 53 (Red Praise)





Prayers of the Pastor and the People with Praise and Thanksgiving

share briefly names & situations to lift to God in prayer – we know God is more than able to hold all we offer & God knows the details! Lord in Your mercy...**Hear our prayer**

Blessing



"Halle, Halle, Halle-Iujah (X3) Hallelujah, Hal-Ie-Iu-jah!"

Communion Liturgy:

Eat this Bread *Communaute de Taize, adapted by Robert J. Batastini (1984)

Eat this bread, drink this cup, Come to me and never be hungry. Eat this bread, drink this cup, Trust in me and you will not thirst.

The LORD be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the LORD. Let us give thanks to the LORD our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise!

(prayer of thanksgiving & praise -- ending with the LORD's prayer)

...he took bread & after giving thanks to God he broke it & gave it to his disciples saying, **"Take, eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."**

And in the same way Jesus took the cup, saying:

"This cup is the new covenant sealed in my blood, shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

All who trust in Jesus Christ as Lord are welcome. As you receive the sacrament of communion consider the grace of what Jesus has done for us all and how much God loves you. After all receive, we pray:

God, thank You for accepting us as living members of Your Son & our Savior Jesus Christ. Thank you for feeding us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his body and blood. Send us into the world in peace, granting us strength and courage to love and serve You with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord.

3-fold Amen. (Amen, Amen, Amen!)

Christ the King Fellowship Presbyterian **#love** October 1, 2023 – 10:00 AM



Welcome

Prelude "Let Us Break Bread Together" Donna Huff

Call to Worship

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord With Gladness, Come into God's presence with singing!



(The 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 (Blue Hymnal No. 592)



"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" No.3 (Red Praise)

Confession (from BCW)

Holy and merciful God, in Your presence we confess our failure to be what You created us to be.

You alone know how often we have sinned in

wandering from Your ways, in wasting Your gifts,

In forgetting Your love. By your loving mercy, help us to live in Your light and abide in Your ways, For the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior.

> [silent prayer & reflection; let the Holy Spirit identify any sin that needs confessing - offer it to God & **let it go**]



Assurance of Pardon & Gloria Patri

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 (Blue No. 579)

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Joachim Neander

1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation! Come, all who hear; now to his temple draw near, join me in glad adoration.

2 Praise to the Lord, above all things so wondrously reigning; sheltering you under his wings, and so gently sustaining! Have you not seen all that is needful has been sent by his gracious ordaining?

3 Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you; surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you. Ponder anew what the Almighty can do, if with his love he befriends you.

4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him. Let the Amen sound from his people again; gladly forever adore him. "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" Henry Van Dyke

1 Joyful, joyful, we adore You, God of glory, Lord of love; Hearts unfold like flow'rs before You, Op'ning to the sun above. Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; Drive the dark of doubt away; Giver of immortal gladness, Fill us with the light of day!

2 All Your works with joy surround You, Earth and heav'n reflect Your rays, Stars and angels sing around You, Center of unbroken praise; Field and forest, vale and mountain, Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea, Chanting bird and flowing fountain Praising You eternally!

3 Always giving and forgiving, Ever blessing, ever blest, Well-spring of the joy of living, Ocean-depth of happy rest! Loving Father, Christ our Brother, Let Your light upon us shine; Teach us how to love each other, Lift us to the joy divine.

4 Mortals, join the mighty chorus, Which the morning stars began; God's own love is reigning o'er us, Joining people hand in hand. Ever singing, march we onward, Victors in the midst of strife; Joyful music leads us sunward In the triumph song of life.