# New Sermon Series - Starting Next Sunday!



#### **CCMS The Anchor Food Pantry** 518-732-4120

Mon. 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm1<sup>st</sup> Sat. 10:00 am – 12:30 pm 90 N. Main Street, Castleton, NY 12033 Director - Paula Sancomb

Tue. & Thu. 9:00 am - 1:30 pm

# Let us remember those at home, in nursing homes & hospitals:

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Nancy Wasson c/o Joy Dalaba 17 Cabot Way, Clifton Park, NY 12065

#### "Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die"

The Golden Memory Book reflects these loved ones and friends:

Gerrit Roozeboom, Jr. Aug. 31, 1984 Harry N. Dorn Sept. 1, 1929 John Kerker Sept. 1, 1993 Katherine M. Dusenbery Sept. 3, 1984 August Lebrecht Sr. Sept. 3, 1923

A final witness to your faith can be found in your will. Have you remembered your church in your estate planning?

#### **Emmanuel Reformed Church**

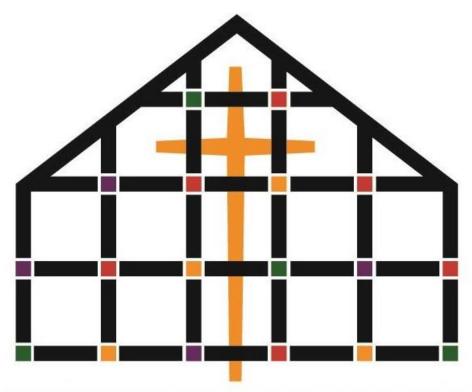
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#### **CONSISTORY MEMBERS**

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WORSHIP GOD ENGAGE PEOPLE FOLLOW JESUS

# **EMMANUEL** REFORMED **CHURCH**

# **WORSHIP THE LORD!**

**SEPTEMBER 3, 2023** 

#### Welcome

Agnus Dei #2 Awesome God #5 Arise My Soul Arise #4

#### **Confession & Assurance**

Kids' Time

**Scripture** 

John 18-21

# Message

That We May have Life
Pastor Dirk Gieser

My Jesus I Love Thee #24

#### Communion

# Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer - Our Father . . .

# **Engagement Opportunities**

Goodness of God #12

**Benediction** 

# **OFFERINGS**

Make your donation to ERC in the collection plate at the back

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Give online at: www.encounterERC.com/donate

### CHILD CARE

Nursery for infants – 3 yr. is available downstairs in our staffed nursery room.

## **KID'S CONNECTION**

Children up through 3rd grade are dismissed to the Fellowship Hall after the Kids' Time.

# **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

will resume again on September 17, with a picnic and kids fun time Next Sunday.

#### THE LORD'S TABLE

Communion is served the first Sunday of the month and is open to everyone who is seeking Jesus as Lord and Savior. A gluten-free option is available and grape juice is served so all may come to the table.

# Operation Christmas Child

Packing Shoe Boxes for Samaritan's Purse will happen in the fall. But right now is a great time to get school supplies as great prices! **WELCOME** – Emmanuel Reformed Church is a spiritual community where we invite everyone to focus their attention on God, engage in what God is doing in the world, and in every aspect of their life follow Jesus Christ. It is good that you are here today, and we hope you know that this is a place for you. If you have any questions or need help, ask a greeter or reach out to Pastor Dirk.

**ENGAGE FORM** – Please fill out the Engage Form and place it in the collection plate after worship. If you are a visitor, we'd love to know how we can stay in touch. Prayer requests are collected and prayed over each week. On the back are ways you can actively engage in the life, joy and work of the church.

**CHURCH PICNIC** – Next Sunday after worship we will be having a picnic. Bring a side or dessert to share. See the Engage Form

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** – Classes for pre-schoolers to teens will be held after worship starting September 17. On Sunday, Sept 10, we will have a kick-off picnic and God Squad fun & games after worship.

**BACKYARD CAMPFIRE** – We are going to try some fall campfire nights. Come to the Gieser's backyard, Saturday, September 9, 7pm.

**FAMILIES** – **God Squad** will be meeting on the first Thursday of the month starting October 5<sup>th</sup>. **Family Movie Nights?** Are you interested in family fun on the third Thursdays? Talk to Jashton.

**CHILE MISSION TRIP** – Planning has begun for a trip to support orphans in a desperately poor community in Chile - April 1-8, 2024. Learn more www.encounterERC.com/chile Apply by October 1<sup>st</sup>

**ANCHOR GARAGE SALE** – The thrift store of the Anchor will be participating in the village garage sale on Sept 16 – help will be needed on Friday from 12-3pm, and the day of 9am-3pm. Questions? Contact Karen Longworth – 716-395-5997

**JOB POSTING -** Ministry Assistant to support the programmatic side of our church's work, learn more: <a href="https://www.encounterERC.com/job-search">www.encounterERC.com/job-search</a>