

First Presbyterian Church of Dryden

Established 1808

Sunday, July 16, 2023



*We proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ,
feed the hungry, welcome the stranger,
and love our neighbors as ourselves.*

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AND THE HOLY SPIRIT GIVES EACH ONE A GIFT SO THAT ALL PEOPLE MAY BE HELPED.

1 CORINTHIANS 12:7 WE

PRELUDE "Fugue on Ein Feste Berg" by James Denton

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & GATHERING PRAYER

GATHERING SCRIPTURE Psalm 100 KJV

Call: Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands.

Response: *Serve the LORD with gladness:
come before His presence with singing.*

Call: Know ye that the LORD, He is God:

Response: *it is He that hath made us, and not we ourselves;
we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.*

Call: Enter into His gates with thanksgiving,
and into His courts with praise:

Response: *be thankful unto Him, and bless His name.*

Call: For the LORD is good; His mercy is everlasting;

Response: *and His truth endures to all generations.*

HYMN OF PRAISE "How Great Thou Art" #4

TALKING WITH THE YOUTH "The Trees of the Field Dance" #244 (Sing 3 times)

WELCOME FRIENDS AT HOME

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC "We Will Dance" by David Ruis, (sung by Scott Miller)

MOMENT OF SILENCE

SCRIPTURE from Exodus 35 & 36 NLT

MESSAGE In the Image of the Creator

Gifts of Creating:
Art, Design, Building, Crafts, Music, Dance, Writing, Drama

GIVING OUR GIFTS "Pastorale" by Douglas E. Wagner

SANCTUS

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

#262, v. 4

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & DEDICATION

SONG TO SEND OUT THE LIGHT

"The Trees of the Field"

#244,(Sing 2 times)

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

"Come and See"

arranged by James Denton

Welcome to our Church Today!

Thank you for worshipping with us. If you are a visitor, we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card, which you will find in the pew rack. You can place the card in the offering plate. Let us know if we can assist you.

Church Calendar

Sun. July 16 10:00 a.m. Worship
Mon. July 17 11:00 a.m. Kitchen Cupboard
Wed. July 19 5:00 p.m. Kitchen Cupboard
Fri. July 21 11:00 a.m. Kitchen Cupboard
Sun. July 23 10:00 a.m. Worship/Jim Hicks, Guest Preacher

Pastor Nancy will be on vacation July 17 – 30, 2023

For Prayer

Dave Gross, Sarah Wilkins Kulas, Ethan Boardman, Steve Kotula,
Thomas Stone & Barb Davidson, Nicole (last name unknown)

WEB Snack for July: Hot cocoa (individual packets)

Dryden Central School is in need of hygiene items to be discreetly provided to students. Items requested, in order of need, are: deodorant, shampoo, toothbrushes, hair brushes, hair ties, body wash, conditioner, and toothpaste. There is a basket in the Fellowship Hall for donations. Let's respond to our call to Christian witness by aiding local youth in need. Kitchen Cupboard could use some of the same. The Missions Committee.

Parking Lot & Driveway Repair Drive - The cost for repair work to the driveway and parking lot is \$20,960. Session is asking for financial help from our church family. Please give/pledge any contributions with a note, "Parking Lot Drive". Any support is greatly appreciated.

Sunday Servants

<u>Ushering:</u>	Joyce Day	<u>AV System:</u>	Tim & Dave Parsons
<u>Music Director:</u>	Scott Miller	<u>Organist</u>	Michael Singbusch
<u>Preacher:</u>	Nancy Didway	<u>Flowers:</u>	Joyce Day

All for the glory of God.

How Great Thou Art

Verse 1:

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed.

Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee:
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

Verse 2:

When thro' the woods and forest glades I wander
And hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees,
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur,
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze.

Refrain

Verse 3:

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin.

Refrain

Verse 4:

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art.

Refrain

Text and Music: *How Great Thou Art* by Stuart K. Hine

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The Trees of the Field

You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace;
The mountains and the hills will break forth before you.
There'll be shouts of joy, and all the trees of the field
Will clap, will clap their hands.

And all the trees of the field will clap their hands, (clap, clap)
The trees of the field will clap their hands, (clap, clap)
The trees of the field will clap their hands, (clap, clap)
While you go out with joy.

Text: Steffi Geiser Rubin; based on Isaiah 55:12

Music: The Trees of the Field, Stuart Dauermann

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Holy, Holy, Holy

Verse 4:

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;

Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!

God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Amen.

Text: Reginald Heber

Music: *Nicaea*, John B. Dykes