

∞ Order of Worship ∞

November 15, 2020

10:30 a.m.

PRELUDE "Treasure" by Steven Chapman and Matt Bronleewe

CALL TO WORSHIP (paraphrased from Psalm 78):

Leader: Listen, dear friends, to God's truth;

People: We will bend our ears to what God tells us.

Leader: We can not keep this to ourselves

**People: we're passing it along to the next
Generation - God's fame and fortune.**

PRAISE SONG "What the Lord Has Done in Me" v.1
by Reuben Morgan

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

**Loving God, Both we and our ancestors have
sinned, have done wickedly. We have chosen to follow
false gods like our ego and our desires. Help us, Lord, to
be more on following You and be more loving in all we
say, think and do. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Even as we all have sinned

**People: You, Lord, continue to love all creation and bring
us to Your Sabbath.**

Leader: You, Lord, continue to forgive us and hold us in Your
loving family,

People: And lead us as we confess and repent.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Judges 4:1-7

CHILDREN'S TIME

SPECIAL MUSIC Doug Barton

SERMON "It's a Weird World"

PRAYER TIME-THANKSGIVING AND PASTORAL

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.**

HYMN No. 124 "Come, thou Long-Expected Jesus"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Response" by Couperin

What the Lord Has Done in Me

Verse 1: (2x)

Let the weak say, "I am strong."
Let the poor say, "I am rich."
Let the blind say, "I can see."
It's what the Lord has done in me.

Refrain: (2x)

Hosanna, Hosanna to the Lamb that was slain.
Hosanna, Hosanna. Jesus died and rose again.

Coda: (2x)

Jesus died and rose again.

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Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus

Verse 2:

Born Thy people to deliver,
Born a Child and yet a King,
Born to reign in us forever,
Now Thy gracious kingdom bring.
By Thine own eternal Spirit
Rule in all our hearts alone;
By Thine all-sufficient merit,
Raise us to Thy glorious throne.

Text: Charles Wesley

Music: *Hyfrydol* by Rowland H. Prichard, arr by Robert Harkness

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A Note of Thanks

“A friend is like a rainbow, always there for you after a storm.” – this is an Amish Proverb that has meant a lot to us. Evan’s accident was not a surprise to God, I know this because he has prepared us to weather this storm. All of the comforting thoughts, cards and especially prayers from our church family have been the rainbow, and we can see beauty even through this storm. Evan is healing well and eager to get back to work.

Thank you, friends. Brenda and Evan Carpenter

Advent Devotional Study

Please join us (virtually) for an Advent Devotional Bible Study! Pastor Dale and Brenda will facilitate a discussion and conversation on the week’s readings – December 2, 9, 16, and 23rd from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. The devotional is called “A Child, A Son, A Savior: The Wonders of His Love”. We will be mailing the devotional to members who regularly attend the zoom and in-person service. If you want to be sure to receive one, just let Brenda know. We hope you will join us starting Wednesday, December 2, 7:00 p.m. using the same zoom link for the Sunday morning service.

Request for Volunteers

If you would like to volunteer to work with the Nominations Committee please contact Dale or Jack.

If you would like to volunteer to be an elder please contact Dale or Jack.

Thanksgiving Baskets

Please consider supporting the Thanksgiving Basket project this year with a financial donation. Make your check payable to the “Dryden Presbyterian Church” and put “Thanksgiving Baskets” in the memo. All proceeds will be given to the Kitchen Cupboard to purchase the items needed. Thank you for your support.

Dryden Christmas Family Program

Prior to COVID 19, many churches, organizations and individuals would contact the Dryden schools to get the information on families in need. The groups would then shop for an assigned family and the groups or school would deliver the gifts. This year the school is partnering with the Salvation Army in order to limit the number of personal contacts. If you are interested in adopting and shopping for a Dryden family or making a financial contribution to go towards a Dryden family please contact Stacy McNeil at 273-2400 for more information. If you would like to send a check please write the check out to the Salvation Army Dryden Service Unit with **Dryden Christmas Family** in the memo line. The checks can be mailed to the Salvation Army, % Stacy McNeil, 150 N. Albany St., Ithaca, NY 14850. If you have additional questions, please feel free to contact Mary Hicks, school social worker, at 844-8694 ext. 1444.

Dryden Service Unit of Salvation Army Bell Ringing Program

We realize that the necessary restrictions that have been necessitated by Covid-19 will make our annual bell ringing program more difficult. We also recognize that the greater level of need will continue into 2021. We have established a goal of \$6,500 for the upcoming bell ringing season which will provide us with \$5,800 for support of our local community.

OPTION 1 - Ring the bell outdoors at Clark’s. If you feel that you would be able to “ring the bell” for an hour on a given day, please contact Charlie Hart at cwhartjr@gmail.com or at 844-8796.

OPTION 2 - We have created an option to “Text” a donation. You simply send a text to **41444** with “**DRYDENKETTLE**” in the message line and you will be sent a simple form to donate on your phone.

OPTION 3 - Consider participating in our new “**Virtual Bell Ringing Program**” by sponsoring the bell with a check at the following levels – ♦ Gold” Sponsorship of \$500 which will provide 150 meals ♦ Silver” Sponsorship of \$250 which will provide 75 meals ♦ Bronze” Sponsorship of \$100 which will provide 30 meals. Checks should be made out to The Salvation Army (with **Dryden Service Unit** noted on the memo line) and can be mailed to Charlie at 31 Lee Road, Dryden, NY 13053.