

AN ORDER OF WORSHIP

We gather in prayer and praise...

Prelude and Pouring of Baptismal Water

(Please listen quietly to the prelude as the community prepares for worship)

Call to Worship

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever.

People: Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, those he redeemed from trouble and gathered in from the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

Leader: Let them thank the Lord for his steadfast love, for his wonderful works to humankind.

People: For he satisfies the thirsty, and the hungry he fills with good things.

Leader: For the Lord is good, his steadfast love endures forever.

People: Let us worship God!

+Hymn #2172

“We Are Called”

WE ARE CALLED

...to come before God with honest humility...

Prayer of Confession

O Gracious Lord, we confess that we set our minds on things of this world rather than of yours. We pursue earthly desires, selfish passions, and greed. We speak anger, malice, and slander because we do not get what we think we deserve. God of grace, help us to strip off our old self and practices and cloth ourselves with a new self, renewed in the knowledge that you created us in your image and that all of us are your children and by your grace are justified through faith. In Christ’s name. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

+A Doxology #579

“Glory Be to the Father”

GLORIA PATRI

+The Peace of Christ

The peace of Christ be with you. / **And also with you.**

Welcome

...to listen for the Word of God...

Prayer for Understanding and Lessons from the Scriptures

Hosea 11:1–11

The Lord mourns Israel

Colossians 3:1–11

Seek the things that are above

Luke 12:13–21

The Rich Fool

Sermon

“Aim High”

+Hymn #344

“Christ of the Upward Way”

SURSUM CORDA

...to come to the table in faith and thanksgiving...

Life in the Church, Joys, and Concerns

Offering Our Gifts and Our Lives to God

+A Doxology *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDREDTH

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

(The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 13)

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.

Your kingdom come.

Your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us today the bread for today.

Forgive us our sins, as we are forgiving those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil,

for the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

The Story of Christ’s Table

Communion in the Bread and Cup

Please wait to partake of the bread until all have been served, the cup as you are served.

Prayer of Dedication

...and to go out to serve in the name of Christ.

+Hymn #2241

“The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve”

LAND OF REST

+Charge and Benediction

+Postlude

WELCOME to the worship of God at Stone Presbyterian Church, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in the Presbytery of Utica.

A **REST ROOM** (wheelchair accessible) is located off the narthex to your left as you enter the church. More restrooms may be found downstairs in the hall that parallels Williams Street.

FAIR TRADE SHOPPE: You are invited to visit our Fair Trade Shoppe, located downstairs, to see our wonderful selection of Fair Trade teas, coffees, chocolates, soups, and clothes which are all for sale. Our shop is open second Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in addition to our regular Thursday hours of 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Look for us Thursdays at the Farmers Market.

PRAYER CHAIN: If you would like to add someone to our prayer list or would like to receive the prayer list for daily prayer, please go to our website www.stonepres.org and click on "Prayer Request" or call the church office at 315-853-2933.

HOPE HOUSE WISH LIST: This month's wish list includes the following: **Coffee, Sugar, Breakfast Cereal, Diced Tomatoes & Crushed Tomatoes.**

One of their most frequent purchases is something essential in most households: milk. Hope House uses anywhere from 28-40 gallons of milk each week! Any donation that you designate for milk will help them to meet these needs. Please leave items in the narthex. Questions? Contact Ceil Gilbert.

THE COUNTRY PANTRY is preparing for the traditional **summer kids packs** give-away during June, July and August. With summer vacation, the children qualifying for school meals need extra kid preferred food items. Each month the pantry serves around 200 - 250 children. If the pantry had to buy these items it would cost around \$3000.00 per month. Therefore, the community is asked to help provide the following items:

GRANOLA BARS, CEREAL, FRUIT CUPS, PUDDING CUPS, CANNED SOUP, RAMEN NOODLES, COLORING BOOKS, STORY BOOKS AND CRAYONS. The items may be dropped off at church or directly to the pantry. Also, please note that loose change collected in worship on the **third Sunday** of each month is given the Country Pantry. Can't shop? Monetary donations are always accepted. Please make checks payable to the Country Pantry. Questions? See Judy LaGasse.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE 2019
9:30 a.m. Sundays, June 23 through August 25

LABOR DAY WEEKEND ECUMENICAL SERVICE
ON THE GREEN

9:30 a.m. Sunday, September 2
(Bring a lawn chair—or two!)

An Order of Worship for the Lord's Day **Stone Presbyterian Church ~ Clinton, New York** **A Welcoming and Affirming Congregation**

Summer Service

August 4, 2019 ~ 9:30 a.m.



Scott Leonard, Commissioned Lay Pastor
G. Roberts Kolb, Director of Music
Gerald G. Platz, Pastor Emeritus
Janice LeFrois, Office Administrator
Jesse Miller, Sexton

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THE CALENDAR



Wednesday – 8/07/19:	All Day	Office Closed
Thursday – 8/08/19:	10:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m.	Fair Trade Shoppe
Saturday – 8/10/19:	10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	Fair Trade Shoppe
Sunday – 8/11/19:	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service Music by- Nancy Ketz

Want to see what else is on the calendar? Go to our Web page – stonepres.org & click on the “CALENDAR ICON”



GREETER: Jim Gavett

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Prayer Request:

Tiffany Heintz
Christine Tuttle
Sue Raitt
Dorothy Alberico
Sue Riggles
Anna Gogel
David Harris
Debra LaFont
Lora Schilder & Family

Members/Friends of the Week:

Scott & Helen Leonard
Cynthia Crossley
Pam & Jack Denison

