

# AN ORDER OF WORSHIP

*We gather in prayer and praise...*

**Prelude**                    “Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”                    June Nixon  
*(Please listen quietly to the prelude as the community prepares for worship)*

## INTROIT & POURING OF BAPTISMAL WATER

### Call to Worship

Leader: In you, O Lord, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame.

**People: In your righteousness deliver me and rescue me; incline your ear to me and save me.**

Leader: Be to me a rock of refuge, a strong fortress, to save me, for you are my rock and my fortress.

**People: For you, O Lord, are my hope, my trust, O Lord, from my youth.**

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

**People: Let us worship God!**

+Hymn #462                    “Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies”                    RATISBON

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

### Prayer of Confession

**O merciful God, we confess that we do not trust in you.**

**In times of trouble we turn to ourselves and justify our wants and fears as right.**

**Our tongues are like a sharp razor that cut others so we might benefit.**

**We love evil more than good and lying more than speaking the truth.**

**We trample on the needy, and bring to ruin those who are poor.**

**We plot the destruction of others in the name of safety and security for ourselves.**

**Gracious God, forgive us for our fear and anger.**

**Help us to be reconciled to you and to securely establish our steadfastness in the faith without shifting from the hope promised by the Good News revealed to us by our Lord Jesus Christ. 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

**Jeremiah 1:4-10**

*The Lord calls Jeremiah*

**Hebrews 12:18-29**

*We are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken*

### Musical Reflection

“For All Creation”

Bob Turner

Soloist – Bob Turner

**Luke 13:10–17**

*Jesus heals a woman on the sabbath*

### Sermon

“What Shall I Call You?”

+Hymn #2158

“Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

CLOSER WALK

### +Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles’ Creed

(Ecumenical Version, The Presbyterian Hymnal, p. 14)

### Life in the Church, Joys, and Concerns

#### Prayers of the People and 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.

#### Offering Our Gifts and Our Lives to God

#### Offertory

“Our Blessings Come in Many Ways”

Bob Turner

+A Doxology #592

“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

OLD 100th

#### +Prayer of Dedication

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

+Hymn #517

“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”

REGENT SQUARE

#### +Charge and Benediction and 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](http://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

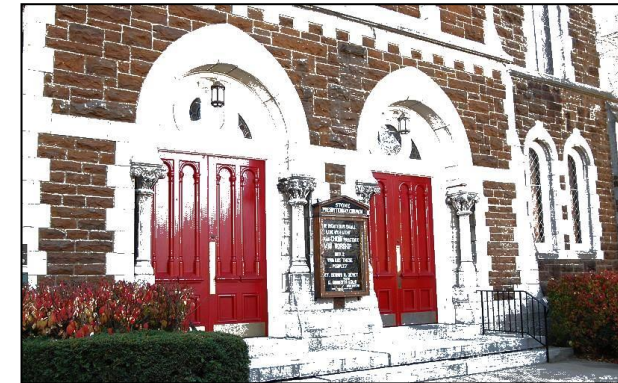
**LABOR DAY WEEKEND ECUMENICAL SERVICE**  
**ON THE GREEN**

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 25, 2019 ~ 9:30 a.m.**



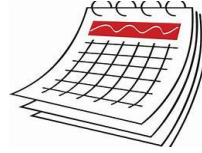
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## THE CALENDAR



Monday – **8/26/19:**

3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Hope House

Thursday – **8/22/19:**

10:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

Fair Trade Shoppe

Sunday – **8/25/19:**

9:30 a.m.

Worship

**Want to see what else is on the calendar? Go to our Web page – [stonepres.org](http://stonepres.org) & click on the “CALENDAR ICON”**



**GREETER:** Helen Leonard

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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:**

Bev Miller  
Roberta Ferris  
Matt Fletcher

