

Welcome to all who have joined us for worship today!
Please join us for fellowship time right after worship.

Order of Worship, July 23, 2023

**Please rise in body or spirit*

- Call to Worship **LUYH #81 Responsive Reading**
- Silent Prayer
- *God's Greeting
- *Hymn of Response LUYH #755 **Speak, O Lord**
- God's Will: Psalm 90:12-17
- Hymn of Response LUYH #574 **How Great Is Our God**
- Children's Message
- Congregational Prayer
- Offertory Prayer
- General Offering & **Special Offering: Maintenance Fund**
- *Doxology
- Scripture & Sermon: Exodus 8:20-9:12 "A Distinction"
- *Hymn LUYH #41 **When Israel Fled from Egypt Land (1,2)**
- *Benediction
- *Doxology LUYH #690 **I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace (2,3)**

Today

Nursery: Martha
God's Will: Carolyn
Greeters: Dale and Lynda

Next Sunday

Nursery: Marina
God's Will: Dale S.
Greeters: Hollis and Ardelle

Notice: Adult and children Sunday School classes will resume in September.

Shannon Ries will be giving a presentation of his mission work in the basement after the fellowship time. Please join us as we hear updates from him and his plans moving forward.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **BULLETIN:** If you need items in the bulletin, leave a message on Martha's cell phone (515) 681-4950, email at mkarsjens@agwsr.org or put items in her church mailbox.
- **Kid Quest:** Austinville church is without a Kid Quest representative. Please reach out to a council member about this opportunity to serve your church and community.
- **BASIC Bible Camp** this year will be Sunday, August 6th through Wednesday the 9th. If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering then please reach out to Travis Konig at 641-430-8343 or traviskonig@gmail.com or Lance Hillenga at 515-320-3875 or lancehillenga@gmail.com. You can also contact Mollie at 319-415-7714 or mollieabkes@gmail.com.
- **Vacation Bible School:** Four-year-olds through 5th grade will meet July 31 - Aug 3 from 6-8pm with drop off and pick up at the Presbyterian Church. To register go to Aplington VBS on Facebook.
- **Ice Cream Social:** The Ladies Society Ice Cream Social is scheduled for August 9. Schedules have been given out so if anyone has a conflict or would like to be placed on the schedule, please let Bobbi or Martha know. There is a pie sign-up sheet and donation envelope on the board.
- **Bibles and Bonfire** will be on July 26 for our final gathering for the summer. We will be beginning at 5:30. We will gather for fellowship, supper, and a brief Bible reading and discussion from Genesis 9. The Austinville historical society has offered to provide the meal and dessert for the evening. Please bring your Bible and a chair to sit in. Invite your friends and neighbors as well. **The Austinville Historical Society** will be providing all the food for the Bibles and Bonfires this Wednesday. This is a fundraiser for the Historical Society, so there will be a free will donation box. Beef Burgers, fruit salad, chips, drinks and desserts provided. Come out, support the Historical Society and enjoy the fellowship of the Bibles and Bonfire evening.
- A copy of the **General Fund financial report** will be displayed on the bulletin board each month after the Council has seen and approved it. The June report is on the board now. Copies of the 2022 Financial Report are finally available! You can find them on the table by the front entrance.
- **Build Your Burger** at Bethel Reformed Church Aplington to support my starving children, Saturday, August 5th from 5:00-7:30. See details on the bulletin board in the foyer.

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