

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

Order of Worship, October 29, 2023

**Please rise in body or spirit*

- Call to Worship:
- Silent Prayer
- *God's Greeting
- *Opening Hymn LUYH # 5 **Let All Things Now Living**
- God's Will: Ephesians 4:1-13
- Hymn of Response LUYH # 257 **Blest Be The Tie That Binds (1, 2, 3, 6)**
- Children's Message
- Congregation Prayer
- Offertory Prayer
- General Offering & **Special Offering: Memorial Park Cemetery**
- *Doxology
- Scripture & Sermon: Psalm 55 "Strife in The City"
- *Hymn LUYH # 695 **And Can It Be**
- *Benediction
- *Doxology LUYH # 959 **Glory Be to The Father**

Today

Nursery: Melanie
God's Will: Phyllis
Greeters: Jeanette
Offering: Memorial Park Cemetery

Next Sunday

Nursery: Bobbi
God's Will: Melanie
Greeters: Dale and Phyllis
Offering: Hope Haven

Notice: Adult and children Sunday School classes will be at 11:00.

THIS WEEK:180: The High School group 180 meets Sunday 6 - 8 pm at the Student Connection building in Aplington.

Early Herd: 3:30-5:30. Herd: 6:00-8:00.

AWANA: Wednesday at 6:15

Thursday: Men's Bible Study Thursday at 7pm.

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.
- **Bridal Shower** for Nicole May will be Saturday, November 17 at 1:30pm.
- **Christmas Party:** The church Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 9th. Further details coming.
- **Student Connection Banquet** will be held Saturday evening, November 17th. Please contact Cindy Kannegieter if you would like to attend.
- **Bethel Reformed Church:** Cafe Retreat from November 3-4 at Lakeview Retreat Center in Aplington. More information on the bulletin board.
- **The Austinville Historical Society** invites you to their Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, November 4, serving from 7:30 to 9:00 am here at the church. Pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, coffee, juice and milk will be served. Come out and support the Historical Society and say Hi to your Austinville friends!
- **Change your clocks:** A reminder that we set our clocks back one hour next week.
- **Council** will be meeting Sunday, November 5th. Please speak to an elder, Pastor Stewart, or one of the deacons if you have any needs or concerns for our attention.
- **The Aplington Baptist Church** is having a **men's prayer fellowship breakfast** on Saturday, November 4th starting promptly at 8:00 AM. Our guest speaker is Pastor Stewart de Jong from the Austinville Christian Reformed Church. Your young men are also invited. For your advance planning, the event should conclude by 9:30. The event will be held in the church's fellowship hall located in the lower level.

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- Prayers for Dennis and Evelyn concerning their health issues.
- Praise for Phyllis' great report.
- Prayers for Derek Wiers (Rick and Melanie's son-in-law) with his recovery from a stroke and issues with insurance, and successful heart surgery.
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- Prayers for Kathy Koop and her recovery from surgery.
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