

Abbe Reformed Church

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost
October 20, 2013 – 10:15 AM

GATHERING IN WORSHIP

Prelude

Call to Worship

*Chorus

*How Majestic Is Your Name
The Family of God*

see insert

*Prayer of Confession

*Loving God, you teach us, you lead us,
you protect us, you forgive us.
In life and in death we belong to you.*

**We long for your Holy Spirit
to strengthen us in our walk with you.
Give us joy, peace, and patience
as we learn, more and more,
to place our full trust in you. Amen.**

*Words of Assurance

Psalm 25:8-10, 14

*Hymn

Pass It On

#309

*Sharing in the Peace of Christ

Greeting and Announcements

Children's Time

Pastor Kristen

**He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands,
He's got the whole world in his hands!**

Choir Anthem

THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Reading

Psalm 133

p. 474

Message

The Family of God—What a Family!

Roy Miller

OUR GRATEFUL RESPONSE

Offering

Offertory

*Doxology

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn

Go, Make of All Disciples

see insert

*Benediction

*Closing Song:

**Remember now your promise to come again in might
to take away all sorrow, to all things to right.
O God, show us your glory; turn evil into good
until your love and justice reach every neighborhood.**

Postlude

Roy Miller, Preaching
Pastors Noah & Kristen Livingston
Jennifer Schruers, Music Director
Eric Legters, Pianist

**Congregation please stand as able*

2013 Consistory

Elders

Scott Bensink - Vice President (2015)
Duane Williams - Clerk (2014)
Quentin Bensink (2015)
Willis Koren (2013)
Nelson TeCrony (2014)
Norvel Willink (2013)

Deacons

(2013) Head Deacon - Steve Holthouse
(2014) Benevolent Treasurer - Mike Einink
(2015) Eric Dunnewold
(2015) Brian Jantzi
(2013) Esther Nickerson
(2014) Garret Willink

"In the name of Christ, we welcome you to the fellowship of Abbe Church, its work and worship, its instruction and service, and to its comfort and blessing."

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Prayer Concerns and Celebrations: Please continue to keep all those who are confined to nursing homes and all those who have ongoing physical problems in your thoughts and prayers, including: *Melissa Brumagin, Alice Edwards, Kevin Fardink, Lucas Gibbons, Mary Jane Griffith, Carol Hunink, Skylar MacDonald, Lisa Mulligan, Denise Neckers, John and Carol Neckers, Rose Neckers, Karen Nyweide, Leann Rhodes, Mary Schruers, Paul and Josie TenHuisen, Rake TeWinkle, Kathy Whalen, Bill Wiggers, and Ken Wiggers.*

Remember *Bill Deuink* as he continues to recover from this week's surgery of a lung transplant.

Also continue to keep each of the older members of our congregation in your prayers.

Pray again this week for our congregation and our community as a whole. Remember *our Pastors, the Consistory, our Sunday School, the Teens On Fire Youth Group, Awana, REACH Ministry, MOPS, Release Time, and Wee Care Preschool.*

Continue to pray again this week for our country, for our President, as well as our national, state and local leaders.

Continue to pray faithfully for the safety of our armed forces in and returning home from various combat zones and for the cause of peace in our world.

Remember again this week to pray for each of our missionaries and mission projects, especially remembering *Dick and Carolyn Otterness*, in Hungary, as we ask that God will continue to bless their efforts as they reach out to others in Jesus' name.

HELP NEEDED: Awana will be having a Fall Carnival Night during club on October 23rd from 6:15-7:30. We are in need of individuals or groups that would like to set up and run a game booth. Those interested, please see, call (355-2510) or email Louann sheslink@stny.rr.com

We are pleased to welcome *Roy Miller* back to Abbe this morning to share with us about his recent trip to Uganda. There will also be a question and answer time together after the service.

It's the 3rd Sunday of the month...please join us in the heritage room after the service to have your blood pressure checked today. Be sure to enjoy a healthy snack as well!

Women's Ministries Notice – Change of time and date for our October meeting – We will be enjoying lunch at Alfies Restaurant in Jamestown. This will be this Wednesday, October 23rd. We will meet at the Church at 11:30am and drive over together. If you are planning on going, please call Phyllis at 782-3821 for reservations.

Singing at the Corry Manor

We will be having another song and communion service at the Corry Manor on Saturday October 26th at 1:30pm. Mark your calendars and plan on joining us. All are welcome! See Lucinda Legters for more information.

College Care Packages:

The REACH team is preparing to send care packages to our college students later this Fall. You can participate in this outreach by donating items to put in the boxes, such as granola bars, cliff bars, fruit snacks, cheese & crackers, gum, hard candy, candy bars, hot chocolate packs, individual drink mixes, highlighters, pens, post-it notes, an encouraging note, etc. We will also be accepting cash donations to use to purchase gift cards.

Donations can be placed in the totes located in the fellowship hall at Abbe or the back of the church at Clymer Hill. Boxes will be packed today, October 20th. Following are the students we have on our list. If you know of anyone we've missed, please give their name and address to Carrie Shampoe or Lucinda Legters. Be sure to remember these young people in your prayers! Thank you!

Tyler Babcock	Kaeli Einink	Meagan Legters	Kelsey Neckers
Lee Barczyk	Alyssa Fardink	Andrea Lictus	Chandell Nichols
Sydney Bennink	Tom Heiser	Dan Lictus	Katrina Nickerson
Jocelyn Bensink	Anna Holthouse	Katie Marbach	Danielle Reinwald
Mallory Deuink			

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Suggestion..... Markers, crayons, colored pencils, sharpeners, notebooks, etc are all great ideas to include in your Operation Christmas Child Shoebox. Teens On Fire will be collecting boxes November 1st - 15th this year.

Community Christmas Cantata

Interested in being part of the Community Christmas Cantata? Practice will begin on Thursday, October 24th at 7:00pm at Findley Lake United Methodist Church. All are welcome to join. The Cantata will take place on December 15th at Camp Findley. Call Dave Calvert for more information 716-769-6659.

Today:

10:15 AM - Morning Worship

11:30 AM - Sunday School

7:00 PM - Bible Study

This Week:

Monday - 2:00 PM - Pray for Release Time

Wednesday - 11:30 AM - Women's Ministries Lunch at Alfies

6:15 PM - Awana

6:30 PM - Dwelling in the Word

7:30 PM - Bell Choir Practice

Thursday - 1:30 PM - Ladies Ecumenical Bible Study in Fellowship Hall

SERVING THE LORD AND US THIS WEEK

Acolytes Holly Neckers and Brant Willink

Ushers Tracy and Laurie TeWinkle

Greeters Judy Bensink and Dianne Einink

Greeting Elder Scott Bensink

Nursery Gene and Alicia Blakeslee

Cameraperson Evan Legters

Pianist Eric Legters

SERVING THE LORD AND US NEXT WEEK

Acolytes Mikala Einink and Karlen Honey

Ushers Steve Holthouse and Larry McCray

Greeters Eric and Anndrea Dunnewold

Greeting Elder Norvel Willink

Nursery Brian and Mary Jantzi

Cameraperson Andrew Heil

Pianist Eric Legters

Shut in of the Week: John Neckers at Corry Manor

Missionaries of the Week: Dick and Carolyn Otterness, in Hungary

Newsletter – Anything that needs to be included in the November/December Newsletter should be turned in to the Church Office by Monday, October 28th.

Hey Teens On Fire, friends and family!

Have you heard about the awesome youth retreat being planned for Saturday November 2nd?? Super "J" will be held at the Abbe Reformed Church. It starts Saturday morning at 8:30 and ends at 8:30 that same night. The day will be jam packed with praise and worship, speakers, activities, food, a band and a whole lot of fun!!

Registration information will be handed out in school on Thursday. See Libby Heil or stop by Mrs. King's room and pick one up. Don't delay.....we need these back ASAP!! Grab one for yourself and hand one to a friend.

We have also attached the flyer, registration envelope and permission slip to this email. Print it out, fill in the blanks and return it to Mrs. King by this Friday if possible.

Who is YOUR super hero???

Don't miss this.....get signed up today!

Deacons report for October 13, 2013

General Fund \$ 3,300.00

Benevolent 820.00

Major Projects 100.00

Total Offering \$ 4,220.00

Attendance 116

Sunday School 80

Needed per Sunday to meet our Budget in 2013 is \$3,123.00 in the General Fund and \$923.00 in the Benevolent Fund. Needed to date in General is \$128,043.00 and \$37,843.00 in Benevolent.

Received for 41 Sundays is \$112,527.68 in the General Fund and \$35,508.00 in the Benevolent Fund.

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PO Box 272
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Dear Friends at Abbe,
Leanna brought us two lovely prayer shawls today. They are wonderful, and the best part is that they were prayed over by many of you.
Leanna has been a real support to us over the last several months. We have received so many cards with personal messages on them that have been a comfort to us.
We have appreciated Pastor Kristen's help as well. We have no idea what it would be like not to have the prayers that have been given in our behalf, as well as those for Dana and the children. There are still many financial problems that she has to face, and we would ask for your continued prayers in her behalf.
Thank you all for being the wonderful congregation that you are.

Paul and Josie TenHuisen

Abbe Reformed Church REACH Team,
Thank you for the gift you sent me. It was a really great surprise. It was nice of you to think of me as I make this new journey. Sincerely, Anna Holthouse

Dear friends,
Thank you so much for the wonderful quilt. I feel more secure knowing that many people prayed over it for me! Ryan See

Dear Abbe Reformed Church,
I cannot express to you how much it warmed my heart knowing that you all were praying for me. The quilt you made for me is beautiful and knowing each knot is a prayer for me makes me feel less alone. I will always treasure it and every time I look at it will remind me that I am loved and people care. Thank you from the bottom of my heart. I know with your prayers and the Lord's hands I will be alright. As long as I have God in my heart I can face whatever comes my way. Thank you again and God bless.
Sincerely,
Lisa Mulligan

A HUGE thank you to all of the REACH Fall Yard Work Day Volunteers!! Your time and energy allowed us to bless 8 individuals. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus.

I just want to thank the REACH ministry for the help with cutting and carting off the plants in my yard and helping to move all the flower boxes. Really do appreciate it. Thanks and GOD Bless you all. *Madalene Edwards*

How Majestic Is Your Name

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth.
O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the earth.

O Lord, we praise Your name. O Lord, we magnify Your name:
Prince of Peace, Mighty God; O Lord God Almighty!

The Family of God

I'm so glad that I'm part of the family of God
I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,
For I'm part of the family, the family of God.

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That comes from Thee our Father
In Thy eternal Word
Inspire our ways of learning
Through earnest fervent prayer
And let our daily living
Reveal Thee everywhere

Verse 2 Go make of all disciples
 Baptizing in the name
 Of Father Son and Spirit
 From age to age the same
 We call each new disciple
 To follow Thee O Lord
 Redeeming soul and body
 By water and the Word

Verse 3 Go make of all disciples
 We at Thy feet would stay
 Until each life's vocation
 Accents Thy holy way
 We cultivate the nature
 God plants in every heart
 Revealing in our witness
 The Master Teacher's art

Verse 4 Go make of all disciples
 We welcome Thy command
 Lo I am with you always
 We take Thy guiding hand
 The task looms large before us
 We follow without fear
 In heaven and earth Thy power
 Shall bring God's kingdom here

Go, Make of All Disciples

Verse 1 Go make of all disciples
 We hear the call O Lord