

Abbe Reformed Church

Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost
November 9, 2014 – 10:15 AM

GATHERING IN WORSHIP

*Call to Worship

*Gathering Hymn *O Worship the King* #10

*Prayer of Confession *Ephesians 5:1-7, Psalm 126:2*

*One: God, you call us to be like you,
 and live in love, as Christ loved us,
 and gave himself up for us.*

**Many: But we have been deceived.
 Instead of receiving your kingdom among us,
 We have practiced greed by always wanting more.
 We have forgotten that our bodies are your temple,
 and have not honored each other.
 We have spoken unwisely,
 allowing our words to destroy rather than give life.**

**Restore us, O Lord.
Fill our mouths with thanksgiving, our tongues with shouts of joy.**

*Words of Assurance *Ephesians 5:8, Psalm 126:3*

*Song of Hope *Mighty to Save* see insert

*Sharing in the Peace of Christ

Children's Time

Choir Anthem

THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Reading *Ephesians 5:8-20* p. 892

Message *Following Jesus: Music* Pastor Noah

OUR GRATEFUL RESPONSE

*Saying What We Believe *The Belgic Confession 2* see insert

*Song of Response *How Great Thou Art* #4

Offering

Offertory

*Doxology

Greeting and Announcements

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*Sending Song *Christ is Risen* see insert

*Benediction

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

**Congregation please stand as able*

2014 Consistory

Elders


Scott Bensink - Vice President (2015)
Duane Williams - Clerk (2014)
Quentin Bensink (2015)
Lucinda Legters (2016)
Harvey Oonk (2016)
Nelson TeCrony (2014)

Deacons

(2015) Head Deacon - Eric Dunnewold
(2014) Benevolent Treasurer - Mike Einink
(2016) Philip Beckerink
(2015) Brian Jantzi
(2016) Jason Stapels
(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: 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: *Paul Covey, Dave Crowell, Lucas Gibbons, Ernie Hinsdale, Charlene Willink Kidder, Sandy Koerselman, Eric Legters, Karlie Lehman, Skylar MacDonald, Carol Neckers, Carletta Russell, Zach See, Paul and Josie TenHuisen, Doug Whitmore and Roger Wiltsie.*

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, 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 *Ken and Pat Wiggers*, in Duncanville, Texas, as we ask that God will continue to bless their efforts as they reach out to others in Jesus' name.

It's SHOEBOX time!!!

Time to start packing your shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child! Teens On Fire are handing out boxes and instructions. Please pack your box(es) and bring them back to church on **Sunday November 9th or November 16th**. Contact Lucinda Legters with any questions.

What: Infant/Child/Adult CPR and AED Certification

When: Saturday, November 15th

Where: Abbe Reformed Church-Prayer Meeting Room

Time: 9:00am-12:00pm

Cost: \$18 (\$30 if you wish to purchase and keep the instruction book)

Class size is limited, so don't delay in signing up (at back of church). If there are a large number of people interested, we will consider hosting another class (possibly an evening). Questions: please call Leanna Willink @ 499-4163

Consistory Meeting: Agendas for Tuesday evening's Consistory Meeting are available in the Heritage Room this morning.

Nursery Signup:

Anyone who would like to sit in the nursery can sign up on the sheet on the table in the back of the sanctuary. If your name is currently on the list, you do not need to sign up again.

Should you have any questions, please contact Esther Nickerson. Thank you & God Bless.

The Upper Room Sunday School classes will be going Christmas caroling around Clymer on December 7th, weather permitting.

The Sunday School Christmas program is being planned for December 14th, during the Sunday School hour.

Calling all singers! Come one, come all!

The First Noel by Russ Mauldin, a combined church/community cantata.

We will perform the cantata at Camp Findley, Weaver Hall on Sunday, 12/14, at 7:00PM. Choir rehearses at 6:00PM on that date.

Choir rehearsals every Thursday evening at 7:00PM at the Findley Lake United Methodist Church. Any questions, please contact Dave Calvert at DCalvert@calvertagency.com

Take a moment and stop by the "**Care Note**" display in the Fellowship Hall. This is a great resource for kids, teens, and adults. There are LOTS of new titles and topics...take one and pass it on!

Clymer-French Creek Free Library is having Toddler Time, for children 18 months to 3 year olds, Wednesdays, November 12, & 19, at 5:00-5:30. Please register your child before November 5 by contacting the library at 355-8823 or cfcplibrary@stny.rr.com

The Clymer United Methodist Church invites all Senior Citizens to our Thanksgiving Luncheon **Wednesday, November 19th** in our Fellowship Hall. (Handicap accessible) Enjoy the fellowship, share the feast, invite your friends. NO CHARGE Please call to let us know you are coming. 355-2259 (Rose Sullivan) or 355-9950 (Sue Rhebergen)
Following lunch there will be a Medicare Options presentation (NOT a sales event)

Today:

10:15 AM - Morning Worship
11:30 AM - Sunday School
7:00 PM - Bible Study

This Week:

Tuesday - 7:30 PM - Consistory Meeting
Wednesday - 3:30-8:00 - Bible Study at Clymer UMC
6:15 PM - AWANA
7:30 PM - Bell Choir Practice
8:30 PM - Choir Practice
Thursday - 1:30 PM Ladies Bible Study

SERVING THE LORD AND US THIS WEEK

Acolytes Karlie Honey and Mikala Einink
Ushers Tracy and Laurie TeWinkle
Greeters Tim and Brenda Rater
Greeting Elder Scott Bensink
Nursery Brad and Katie Johnson
Cameraperson Daniel Gustafson

SERVING THE LORD AND US NEXT WEEK

Acolytes Brant Willink and Justin Massing
Ushers Steve Holthouse and Larry McCray
Greeters Judy Bensink and Dianne Einink
Greeting Elder Nelson TeCrony
Nursery Bryan and Esther Nickerson
Cameraperson Larry McCray

Shut in of the Week: Doris Michael at Corry Manor

Missionaries of the Week: Ken and Pat Wiggers, in Duncanville, Texas

Teens On Fire Fall Dates

November 12 – Bible Study at Clymer United Methodist - 3:30-8:00

Cell phone: A cell phone found in the Sanctuary this last week is on the desk in the Church Office.

Deacons report for November 2, 2014

General Fund \$ 3,977.00
Benevolent 1,110.00
Major Projects 280.00

Total Offering \$ 5,367.00

Attendance 120
Sunday School 82

Needed per Sunday to meet our Budget in 2014 is \$3,229.00 in the General Fund and \$925.00 in the Benevolent Fund. Needed to date in General is \$142,076.00 and \$40,700.00 in Benevolent.

Received for 44 Sundays is \$129,207.06 in the General Fund and \$40,645.00 in the Benevolent Fund.

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