New Hackensack Reformed Church 1580 Route 376 Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 (845)462-0810 www.nhrc-church.org Rev. Keith W. Tamlyn, Senior Pastor







~ SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP / SUNDAY SCHOOL ~ 10:00 A.M. (ALL SERVICES ON LINE AND IN PERSON) Facebook ~ YouTube ~ NHRC website <u>http://nhrc-church.org/index.html</u>

April 7th

COMMUNION Scripture: Psalm 145: 1-9 John 20: 19-31 Message: "Easter Joy Continues with Praise and Thanksgiving" *Rev. Keith Tamlyn*

April 14th

GET ACQUAINTED WITH OUR CHURCH – GATHERING AFTER CHURCH Scripture: Luke 24: 36-48 Message: "Witnesses" *Rev. Keith Tamlyn*

April 21st

NEW MEMBERS CLASS Scripture: Psalm 23 John 10: 11-18 Message: "All Sufficient Shepherd" *Rev. Keith Tamlyn*

April 28th

NEW MEMBERS JOIN Scripture: Mark 8: 27-30, 34-38 Message: "What it means to be a Christian in a non Christian World" *Rev. Keith Tamlyn*

Get Acquainted with New Hackensack Reformed Church



Are you interested in learning more about New Hackensack Reformed Church and what we have to offer? We will have a getacquainted session following church, **Sunday, April 14**th. Grab a cup of coffee and join Rev. Tamlyn for an informal meeting in the Library, adjacent to the Gathering Area. Please join us or call the office for more information.



A Message from Miss Tina

As the warmer weather becomes more and more present, I can't help but get excited about the flowers that are eagerly popping through the soil. They don't know that the cold weather may not be done for the season. They don't care that the wind may still come and bring inclement weather.

They keep looking up, feeling the warmth of the sun, and instinctively follow it for growth and survival. We could learn a lot from these persistent flowers in times of stress, strain and discomfort. Keep looking up to the warmth, love and promises of Jesus for true growth, and He will allow you too, to prosper and live when the world around you is less than optimal. Blessings,

Tina Brent Interim Christian Ed Director

Nursery Care for Children Under 3



Our nursery is staffed by professionals that love children! Kaylin Ernano works at a local Day Care center, and Chelsea Bender is our new Youth Group Leader. They would love to care for your children or grandchildren during our worship service. Stop by the nursery in the education wing, and see what fun they are having!

Sunday School, & Children and Worship



The Children and Worship program is available for ages 3 to 2nd grade. Children should be dropped off at room 9, at 10 am or before. Parents may stay if they wish or go to the 10 am Worship service. Sunday School is available for youth (grades 3-8). They are dismissed during Worship to attend Sunday School in the Youth Room.

Piggy Bank Bazaar

Happy Spring



Wilbur is so excited to feel Spring in the air. As the weather warms up, we continue to have our Wednesday Workshops. Some of the items we are looking for are: Plastic Storage Bins, Gift Wrap Paper Storage Bins and Jewelry Displays. For the month of April there will be weekly workshops.

A special thank you for all the donations that have been dropped off. We appreciate your generosity and support. We continue to accept donations throughout the year.

Hoping you enjoy this new season of Spring. Be on the lookout for Crocus and Daffodils peeking through the soil ③

Wink, *Wilbur*

Outreach Council



2024 Mission of the Months

January: Hope on a Mission - \$505 February: The Lunch Box - \$342 March: Hudson River Housing & Rural & Migrant Ministry April: Meals on Wheels of Wappingers -May: Community Action Partnership June: Hudson Valley Hospice July: August: September: October: ALS Foundation -November: Food Bank of the Hudson Valley -December:

2023 Easter Special Offering: HRH & RMM 2023 Thanksgiving Special Offering: Food Bank of the Hudson Valley -2023 Christmas Special Offering:

Clothing Donation Bin: \$505 (January & February)

PRAYER SHAWLS – over 50 shawls have been given to those who are going through rough times due to illness or emotional concerns. We sent 2 more shawls out in March.

LIBERTY STATION DELIVERIES – Deliveries continue to be made to our Veterans. Bins are located in the Gathering Area as well as outside the Pastor's office. Any and all non-perishable foods are accepted.

HOMELESS SHELTER MEAL – At this time we will still be feeding the homeless folks at the shelter PODs until September. We still need volunteers for July and August. If you are interested in preparing a meal for up to 100 homeless guests,

please sign up at the Information Table in the Gathering Area. If you would like to donate financially towards one of those two months, make out a check to NHRC and MEMO: Homeless Shelter Meal

The latest update we have at this time is the PODs will be removed in September and the guests will be relocated to the old Dutchess County Jail until such time that the Oakley Street building is completed. Once the guests are moved into the Jail, the meal volunteers, as we were told, will no longer be needed. But, that could change at any time.

Interesting story to show the Power of God. Franca Petrillo delivered the shelter meal on Sunday afternoon. After the food was carried in to the shelter, a gentleman came out to Franca and asked if she had any clothes. She told him "as a matter of fact I do". She had a few bags of clothing in her back seat that was slated for the bin. She handed one of the bags to the gentleman and he was so grateful. Franca went to Jail for Jesus (PODs behind the jail) and ended up reaching out to someone in need. Well done Franca.

Safe Haven Pet Food Pantry: We are collecting pet food of all kinds. Safe Haven distributes needed pet food to low income families. The bin is located at the base of the stairs leading to the Pastors office.

Childrens Books: Bin is located on the Education Table. All books will be donated to FOR FAMILIES OF NEW PALTZ. It's to encourage young children to read instead of video games and computers.

Blood Drives: The blood drive on April 2nd was a big success, netting 30 units. The next blood drive is May 28th from 1pm until 6pm in Fellowship Hall



FLOWERS FOR SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

If you would like to share flowers on a Sunday, please call Franca Petrillo or the church office. Franca will help you pick a Sunday and provide instructions. Your dedication will be shared in the morning announcements.



I would like to express my deepest appreciation for all of the prayers, cards, phone calls, visits, and well wishes during my recent illness. That and God's love as demonstrated by our congregation has been an enormous help in my recovery. I am overjoyed to be back among you worshiping and leading.

Roger Eddy

Please join us for Worship and Fellowship this Spring. See you in church or online!

