

Advent Series starting November 26

Sermon and a daily devotional guide to enrich your countdown to Christmas.

CCMS The Anchor Food Pantry 518-732-4120

Mon. 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm1st Sat. 10:00 am - 12:30 pm 90 N. Main Street, Castleton, NY 12033 Manager - Paula Sancomb

Tue. & Thu. 9:00 am - 1:30 pm

Let us remember those at home, in nursing homes & hospitals:

Ginny Hempstead Red Unit Rm #445 180 Washington Ave Ext. Albany, NY 12203 Stan Hotaling 56 Scott Ave. Castleton, NY 12033

Nancy Wasson c/o Joy Dalaba 17 Cabot Way, Clifton Park, NY 12065

"Whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die"

The Golden Memory Book reflects these loved ones and friends:

Jennie VandeWal Johnson	Nov. 12, 1941	Derickus Van de Wal	Nov. 12, 1947
James Gillis Barr	Nov. 13, 1954	Charles William Dufur	Nov. 13, 1953
Gerardus F. Schouten	Nov. 13, 1980	Frances C. Schouten	Nov. 13, 2015
Mary Helen Austin	Nov. 14, 1978	Louis J. Pincher	Nov. 14, 1980
Mildred C. Schulte	Nov. 16, 1957	Carl W. Lemka	Nov. 16, 1966
Henry Bult	Nov. 17, 1942	Virginia Grogan	Nov. 17, 2016
Genevieve Peter Kane	Nov. 18, 1942		

A final witness to your faith can be found in your will.

Emmanuel Reformed Church

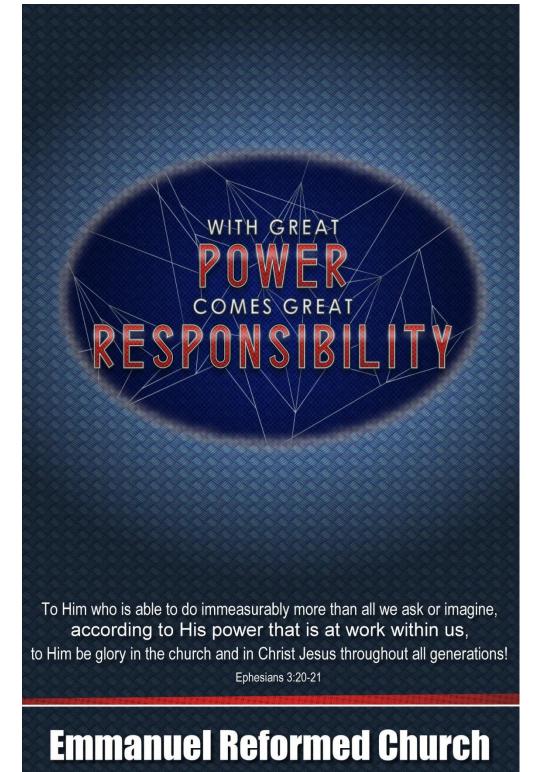
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CONSISTORY MEMBERS

ELDERS David Ewert **Roland Ferris** Judy Rappold Rhonda Van De Wal Candy Shyer Wes Van Ort **Zachary Warner**

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WORSHIP THE LORD!

NOVEMBER 12, 2023

Gratitude

Welcome

Amazing Grace
I Will Follow

Confession & Assurance

Kids' Time

Micah 6:8

Scripture

1 Peter 4:8-11

Message

Blessing of Grace Pastor Dirk Gieser

Engagement Opportunities

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer - Our Father . . .

Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me

Benediction

OFFERINGS

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CHILD CARE

Nursery for infants – 3 yr. is available downstairs in our staffed nursery room.

KID'S CONNECTION

Children up through 3rd grade are dismissed to the Fellowship Hall after the Kids' Time.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

is held for children after worship, ages 3 to high school.

THE LORD'S TABLE

Communion is served the first Sunday of the month and is open to everyone who is seeking Jesus as Lord and Savior. A glutenfree option is available and grape juice is served so all may come to the table.

UPCOMING

Wednesday
Music Rehearsal 6pm
Thursday
Dinner & Movie 5:30
Saturday
Roast Pork Dinner 4:30
6:00

WELCOME – Emmanuel Reformed Church is a spiritual community where we invite everyone to focus their attention on God, engage in what God is doing in the world, and in every aspect of their life follow Jesus Christ. It is good that you are here today, and we hope you know that this is a place for you. If you have any questions or need help, ask a greeter or Pastor Dirk.

ENGAGE FORM – Please fill out the Engage Form and place it in the collection plate after worship. If you are a visitor, we'd love to know how we can stay in touch. Prayer requests are collected and prayed over each week. On the back are ways you can engage.

SHOEBOX COLLECTION – TODAY! (If you forgot, you still have one week before they are all shipped out.)

MOVIE NIGHT – Thursday (11/16), 5:30pm. We will enjoy a kid friendly dinner and watch **Frozen!** Friends and neighbors are welcome.

ROAST PORK DINNER – SATURDAY – Invite friends, family and neighbors – Make reservations to have a seat at either 4:30 or 6:00pm Engage form or 518-732-7766, Price: \$15 adults, \$5 for 6-12yrs

ST. PAUL'S CENTER FAMILY GIFTS – The Christmas tree in the narthex is covered with tag ornaments. Each tag has a gift requested by kids or moms at St. Paul's in Rensselaer. Select a tag, go shopping, and return the wrapped gift by December 17.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING AND ADVENT WREATH MAKING

In two weeks (Nov 26) we will be decorating for Christmas after Sunday School. There will also be supplies and instruction to make Advent wreaths for you to take home. Want to make some chili to share? Let us know on the Engage form.

BACKYARD CAMPFIRE GATHERING

We had a wonderful season of song, prayer and fun around the campfire!
Starting Nov 25, it will move inside the Gieser's home.

