



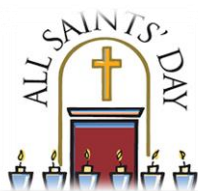
WELCOME TO THE ARLINGTON REFORMED CHURCH

Welcome! We are a community of believers in Jesus Christ that exists to glorify God by making disciples of Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit. We seek to fulfill this mission by loving God, loving one another, and loving our neighbors:

We are a church that seeks to love God with all our thoughts, feelings, and actions. We love our heavenly Father because he first loved us and sent his only Son to reconcile us to himself and to each other.

We are a church that seeks to love one another, just as Jesus loved us and gave himself for us—vulnerably, sacrificially, patiently, and honestly. We pray for, serve, and encourage one another in Christ.

We are a church that seeks to love our neighbors as ourselves. Following the Holy Spirit, we promote the welfare of our neighborhood and proclaim the good news about Jesus in our communities.



**WE ARE GLAD YOU JOINED
US THIS MORNING**

October 31, 2021

TODAY'S MINISTRY TEAM

Sermon:	Pastor Frank Gallo
Music:	Jerry Canaday, Sandra Cox, Rob and Debbie Grant
Readers:	Ann Veeder, Cynthia Canaday
Remembrance:	Dawn Kostenko
Greeters:	Sahawneh Family
Arlington First Steps:	Josie Sahawneh & Assistant
Arlington Kids:	Marlea Liguori

WEEKLY CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sunday

10:30am	Coffee and Tea Before Service
10:50am	Preservice Music for Reflection & Prayer
11:00am	Worship Service (Lord's Supper 1st Sunday) Arlingtonville Children's Ministries Arlington First Steps-Infant-Aged 5 Arlington Kids-Ages 6-11
12:00pm	Linger Longer Snack or Meal Fellowship

Wednesday

6:00pm	Four Week Bible Study and Meal starting October 27 th -November 17 th
6:00pm	3rd Wednesday of the month consistory meeting

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS!!!!

Daylight Saving Time ends at 2 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 7, 2021, when the clock will "fall back" one hour. But if you forget and come to church early, there is always coffee!



Stay for a pizza, salad, dessert and beverage fellowship lunch next Sunday. Be hospitable, invite a friend!



OUR SUNDAY MORNING

Please remember to silence your cellphone.

*Stand during singing if you wish. **Bold** words in the service welcome you to participate.*



10:30AM

START TOGETHER

Come early to the fellowship hall for coffee, tea & snack

10:50AM

PRESERVICE MUSIC

Instrumental music for reflection and prayer

11:00AM

GATHER AND DRAW NEAR

Welcome and Announcement

Gathering Prayer

Call to Worship

Psalm 92:1-4

Praise

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

Children Dismissed to Arlington Kids

Congregational Prayer/Silent Prayer/Special Music

All Saints' Day Remembrance

Worship

"Be Unto Your Name"

Worship

"Goodness of God"

Peace

HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading

Sermon

Prayer for Blessing



RESPOND

Prayers of Intercession w/Lord's Prayer

Sending Song

"How Great Thou Art"

Sending Benediction

12:00PM

LINGER LONGER

Stay for a snack and beverage fellowship if able

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## CHURCH INFORMATION



### OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> ARLINGTONVILLE KIDS ART CLASS AND PARTY

Ms. Marlea, owner of the Artist's Corner, a community-based art program, will be here to do a seasonal art project with the kids on Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup>.

Please plan on bringing some candy as the kids will do some "Treating" after service in the fellowship hall where you are seated as we all enjoy some cupcakes, coffee, and time together.

**The children are encouraged to wear their Halloween costumes to church on the 31<sup>st</sup> to entertain us!**

**OFFERINGS** The plates at the front of the sanctuary are for your financial offerings. The smooth running of the church and our outreach into the community depends on the financial offerings of the church family along with the building use income we receive. We appreciate your contributions.

**God bless you!**

### WEDNESDAY EVENING STUDY ON HOSPITALITY

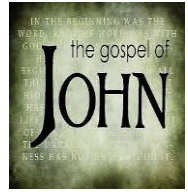
**OCT 27<sup>TH</sup>, NOV 3<sup>RD</sup>, 10<sup>TH</sup> & 17<sup>TH</sup>**  
6:00pm-7:30pm



A time of singing, a study and a light fellowship meal studying the Biblical principle of hospitably. The last Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, we will hospitably share a Thanksgiving meal together.

## SUNDAY MORNING STUDY

We are studying the Gospel of John together most Sunday mornings with Pastor Frank Gallo. Bring your Bible or use biblegateway.com on your smartphone.



Recorded messages of each week can be found on the arlingtonreformedchurch.org website under "The Gospel of John." Miss a week? Catch up!

**INTERCESSORY AND PERSONAL PRAYER TIME** Meet from 10:30-10:55 in the Conference Room if you would like to pray before the Sunday service.

**MEMORIAL DONATIONS**=Mary Lou Graves

\$580 to date has been given to the church in honor of Mary Lou Graves, a long-time beloved member of the Arlington Reformed Church. Mary Lou passed away on Sept. 26, 2021 at the age of 85. The church will thankfully use the donations for church ministry.



**NON PERISHABLE FOOD NEED**-There are grocery bags at the front of the sanctuary for non perishable food contributions for the local food pantry. Canned & boxed items are appreciated.



**BOTTLED WATER NEED**-Each month, we provide individual water bottles to Dutchess Outreach for their "Meals to Go" programs. If you can donate toward this monthly ministry, please use an offering envelope or mail in your donation labeled "Meals to Go."

Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people. (Galatians 6:10)

## 2020 CONSISTORY

|          |                 |              |
|----------|-----------------|--------------|
| Elders:  | Cynthia Canaday | 845-546-1634 |
|          | Dawn Kostenko   | 845-546-6093 |
|          | Ann Veeder      | 845-546-3286 |
| Deacons: | Jerry Canaday   | 845-444-0477 |
|          | Bruce Barnes    | 845-456-0134 |
|          | Shahla Tariq    | 845-224-1726 |

## **TAG SALES OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER**

To help raise funds for the church, Josie and Matt Sahawneh will sell any items you donate at Tag Sales out of the garage many Fridays and Saturdays in October and November, 9AM-4PM. Please see Josie if you have anything to donate. Stop by and shop, tell your friends.



## **PRAYER REQUESTS**

- Dottie Hanlon in Westchester Medical for observation
- Chet, Cindy and Chet Jr and their families for the loss of wife and mother, Mary Lou Graves
- Hugo Becker, Pat's dad with declining health
- Ehab Sahawneh, brother-in-law to Josie has been in the ICU 2 months with kidney failure and breathing problems
- The Mid-Hudson Classis of the RCA and its 30+ churches
- Changepoint Church, leaders, and congregation
- The Mission Church, leader, and congregation
- ARC and our ministries and outreaches to our church family and community

Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.(1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

## **ALL SAINTS' DAY REMEMBRANCES**

### **In Memory**

Marion Grant-April 10, 2020  
Carmine Sorci-May 5, 2020  
Stu Silvern-Oct 09, 2020  
Marcia Morse-Nov 20, 2020  
Eleanor MacIsaac-May 08, 2021  
Willy Kinney, 2021  
Virginia Nassar-Sept 01,2021  
Mary Lou Graves-Sept 26, 2021  
Katherine Ward-Sept 29, 2021  
Rosanna Speed-Oct 08, 2021  
Michael Shawn Painter-Oct 20, 2021  
Uncle Floyd, 2021  
Uncle Tony, 2021  
Uncle Leo, 2021

### **Candle Lighting**

Rob Grant  
Mary Ann Sorci  
Jim Grass  
John Morse  
Dawn Kostenko  
Rick Kinney  
Carol Barnes  
Cindy Graves  
Cara Green  
Nancy Plass  
Ann Veeder  
Sandra Cox

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. (Hebrews 12:1)

## **THANKSGIVING FOOD BAGS**



Each year the Arlington Reformed Church family and volunteers put together food bags for those in need during the holidays.

This year, we start taking up collections on Sunday, October 24<sup>th</sup> and we will end the collection Sunday, November 14<sup>th</sup>.

In addition to the food we purchase to put in the bag, we include a small gift card for meat, produce, bread, and/or dairy purchases.

On Friday, November 19<sup>th</sup> we assemble the bags and give them out or deliver them with the utmost of honor and safety to families in need. We will share a light meal together. What a blessing to be part of this giving during the holiday season.

If you would like to make a donation, it can be mailed or given on Sundays, labeled "Food Bags."

Bags are given out first come, first serve and given out as many as we are able to assemble with the contributions we receive.

***Arlington Reformed Church...loving God, each other and our community***

**GATHER AND DRAW NEAR**  
**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**GATHERING PRAYER**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

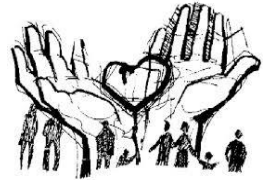
Psalm 92:1-4

It is good to praise the LORD and make music to your name, O Most High, proclaiming your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night. For you make me glad by your deeds, Lord; I sing for joy at what your hands have done.

**PRAISE**

“For the Beauty of the Earth”

**For the beauty of the earth,  
for the glory of the skies,  
for the love which from our birth  
over and around us lies.**



**Refrain**

**Christ, our Lord, to you we raise  
this, our hymn of grateful praise.**

**For the wonder of each hour  
of the day and of the night,  
hill and vale and tree and flower,  
sun and moon and stars of light. [Refrain]**

**For the joy of ear and eye,  
for the heart and mind's delight,  
for the mystic harmony  
linking sense to sound and sight. [Refrain]**

**For the joy of human love,  
brother, sister, parent, child,  
friends on earth, and friends above,  
for all gentle thoughts and mild. [Refrain]**



**For yourself, best gift divine, to the world so freely  
given, agent of God's grand design:  
peace on earth and joy in heaven. [Refrain]**

## **CHILDREN DISMISSED TO ARLINGTON KIDS**

### **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess  
our sinfulness, our shortcomings,  
and our offenses against you.  
You alone know how often we have sinned  
in wandering from your ways,  
in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love.  
Have mercy on us, O Lord, forgive our sins,  
and help us to live in your light  
and walk in your ways,  
for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

*Silent Prayer/Special Music*

## **ALL SAINTS' DAY REMEMBRANCE**

### **WORSHIP**

**"Be Unto Your Name"**

**We are a moment You are forever  
Lord of the ages God before time  
We are a vapor You are eternal  
Love everlasting reigning on high**

### **Chorus**

**Holy holy Lord God Almighty,  
worthy is the Lamb Who was slain  
Highest praises honor and glory  
Be unto Your name. Be unto Your name**

**We are the broken You are the healer  
Jesus Redeemer mighty to save  
You are the love song we'll sing forever  
Bowing before You blessing Your name**

**Chorus**

## **WORSHIP**

“Goodness of God”

**I love You Lord, Oh Your mercy never fails me  
All my days, I've been held in Your hands  
From the moment that I wake up,  
Until I lay my head  
I will sing of the goodness of God**

### **Chorus**

**All my life You have been faithful  
All my life You have been so so good  
With every breath that I am able  
I will sing of the goodness of God**



**I love Your voice,  
You have led me through the fire  
In darkest night, You are close like no other  
I've known You as a father,  
I've known You as a friend  
I have lived in the goodness of God**

**Your goodness is running after,  
it's running after me  
Your goodness is running after,  
it's running after me  
With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now  
I give You everything,  
Your goodness is running after,  
It's running after me**

## **PEACE GREETING**

### **HEAR GOD'S WORD**

### **SCRIPTURE READING**

### **SERMON**

### **PRAYER FOR BLESSING**

## **RESPOND**

### **PRAYER OF INTERCESSION W/LORD'S PRAYER**

**All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever, AMEN**

### **SENDING SONG:**

“How Great Thou Art”

**O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds, Thy hands have made  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder  
Thy power throughout, the universe displayed**

### **Chorus**

**Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee  
How great Thou art, how great Thou art**

**When Christ shall come,  
with shout of acclamation  
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart  
Then I shall bow, in humble adoration  
And there proclaim, my God how great Thou art**

### **Chorus**

### **SENDING BENEDICTION**

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

## LIFE AT ARLINGTON REFORMED CHURCH

[arlingtonreformedchurch.org](http://arlingtonreformedchurch.org)

**RELAX AND MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME:** Arlington Reformed Church is a diverse group of people, a congregation transformed and gathered by the grace of our loving Lord, offering new life and hope through the love of God and the life and teaching of Jesus.

**"ARLINGTONVILLE CHILDREN":** On Sundays, care is provided for children aged 5 years and under in the First Steps room. Children aged 6-11 are dismissed around 11:15 to the Arlington Kids class where they are engaged in activities that will help them learn to make wiser choices, build stronger relationships, and develop a deeper authentic faith.

**LET US KNOW YOU WERE HERE:** Fill out the Welcome Card (found in the pew rack in front of you). Drop it in the offering plate at the front of the sanctuary for us-we appreciate this. You can also send us an email through the website or leave us a call.

**LINGER LONGER:** We have snacks and beverages after service, and sometimes a meal. Hang around, get to know one another.

**COME BACK:** Grow in faith, connection, and in service to others.

**GET INVOLVED:** We have midweek studies and Saturday pancake breakfasts as advertised. We have other social and recreation events scheduled throughout the year-check out your bulletin, view the bulletin board for upcoming events or visit the website. You can also find us on social media.

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