

**ARLINGTON REFORMED CHURCH
AUG-DEC 2023 DATES TO REMEMBER**

22 Raymond Avenue
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AUGUST

06-Lord's Supper Sunday-Sliders/Salad Fellowship Meal
06-A S May School Supply Drive Begins
18-24 Hours of Praise Concert
20-National Senior Citizen Day

SEPTEMBER

03-Lord's Supper Sunday-Grill/Salads Fellowship Meal
03-A S May School Supply Drive Ends
10-Membership Sunday
National Grandparent's Day
16-Arlington Street Fair
22-People of Faith All Church Dinner Event

OCTOBER

01-Lord's Supper Sunday-Shepherd Pie Fellowship Meal
08-Pastor Appreciation Day
15-Collection for Thanksgiving Food Baskets Begins
29-Praise and Testimony Service-Arlington Kids Fall Party- Remembrance Day

NOVEMBER

05-Lord's Supper Sunday-Harvest Fellowship Meal-Daylight Saving Time!
12-Fall Congregational Meeting
19-Service of Thanks w/Pie Fellowship Thanksgiving Food Baskets Assembled

DECEMBER

02-Arlington Holiday Parade and Festival
03-Lord's Supper Sunday-Casserole Fellowship Meal. 1st Sunday of Advent
10-2nd Sunday of Advent
15-All Church Advent/Christmas Dinner Event
17-3rd Sunday of Advent-Arlington Kids Party
24-4th Sunday of Advent
24-Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
31-Carols Praise and Testimony Service

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11

**OUTREACH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES
FOR ALL IN 2023**

Non-Perishable Food Collection- On any Sunday bring nonperishable canned or boxed food for the local food pantry. Please help feed the hungry in our community.

Deacon and Outreach Funds-Make a contribution to the Deacon's Fund for helping with emergency needs for those in or without our church--or a contribution to the Outreach Fund for helping with outreach events and ministries.

Water Bottles- Once a month we deliver water bottles to Dutchess Outreach for their "Meals to Go" program. Contribute to this ministry!

Bread Distribution-Weekly we deliver donated bread/pastries from Freihofer's to Dutchess Outreach Soup Kitchen and to Hudson River Housing Homeless Shelter.

A S May School Supply Drive- We collect school supplies to deliver to the A S May Elementary School to help families in need.

Thanksgiving Food Baskets-We collect money so we can buy food for food baskets we give to food insecure families for a Thanksgiving meal. We will assemble the baskets together over a light meal.

Love, INC-We collect personal care items to restock the Love INC pantry shelves. Personal care items cannot be purchased with SNAP benefits (food stamps) and are rarely available at food pantries. There is a basket for your personal care items donations.

2023 ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

- Pancake Breakfasts
- Open Mic Nights and Movie Nights
- Kids Programs and Excursions
- Bible Studies
- Educational Seminars
- Arlington Street Fair Community Booth
- Outreach Events

And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people. (Ephesians 6:18)

23rd Annual Arlington Street Fair

Saturday, September 16th, 2023

Located: Raymond Ave Poughkeepsie NY 12603 Time 12:00pm-6:00pm

Music
Crafts
Local Vendors
Food
Youth Activities

Movie and Live Music Nights

We will have occasional music and movie nights in our ground floor level throughout 2023

WATCH FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS
ALL ARE WELCOMED

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Part of our Acts 2:42-47 Connect Ministry

ALL ARE WELCOME-INVITE A FRIEND

AN ARC INTERGENERATIONAL EVENT

Cultivating an environment in which faith in God is nurtured and relationships are fostered as all ages learn and grow, serve, and worship together.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 22 6-8PM

We gather the church to have a meal, experience part of God's story through a drama, play games, share and learn together as family!

Additional Info Coming Soon!

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ANNUAL A S MAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE
JULY 23RD-SEPTEMBER 3RD

suggested items:

- Pocket Organizer
- Composition Books
- Pencils and Pens
- Small Tissue Boxes
- 3 Subject Notebooks
- Loose Leaf Paper
- Erasers
- Inexpensive Backpacks
- Hand Sanitizer
- Glue Sticks

As a church family, we have an A. S. May Elementary School Supply Drive each summer. Everything collected goes directly to the A. S. May Elementary School, part of the Arlington School District. A S May Elementary School is around the corner at 601 Dutchess Turnpike. This drive directly benefits the kids and the families in our immediate neighborhood. The teachers are always so grateful for contributions that help their students in need.

LoveINC
Love in the name of Christ

Personal care items cannot be purchased with SNAP benefits (food stamps) and are rarely available at food pantries.

Want to help? We help collecting items to restock the Love INC pantry shelves. Get involved today by simply going shopping and then bring one of the below items to church and put it in the basket provided. Questions? See Ruth Zoodsma.

MOST NEEDED ITEMS:

DISH SOAP	LOTION (REGULAR & UNSCENTED)
TOILET PAPER	LAUNDRY DETERGENT
PAPER TOWELS	BODY WASH

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OUR BUILDINGS ARE MINISTRY

Who Rents or We Host in Our Buildings

- Arlington Business District Committees
- Vida Real Church
- Mission Church
- Westies Dance Group
- Salt of the Earth
- Sawahneh's Thrift & Gift
- Others!

A church property utilized to its fullest builds God's Kingdom, serves others, and brings people into the community to support our local businesses!

Loving God, each other, and our community

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