

WELCOME TO AVERY STREET CHURCH! We greet those who are visiting with us today in the name of our Lord and Savior. Please join us for coffee after the service. Our Pastor and the greeting Elder are available to answer any questions you may have. For more information about the Christian Reformed Church visit our website at www.ascrc.org



THIS SUNDAY

Scripture: Matthew 4:1-11
Message: Living the Easter Life (III): Faithful

NEXT SUNDAY

Scripture: Genesis 1:26-28, 2:15
Message: Living the Easter Life (IV): The Joy of Work (Part 1)

MINISTRIES FOR AVERY STREET CHURCH HOSPITALITY

Praying Elder
Gloria Ranney

North Door Elder
Bill Nelson

Offertory Deacon
Henry Huizinga

Greeters: Eric & Annie Rentz
Ushers: Damien & Monique Paquet

Coffee Servers: **This Week:** Tony & Cookie Liebl
Next Week: Charlie & Shirley Mannheim



Children's Worship: Michelle Hoyt and Sharon Satalino

*** * * NURSERY * * ***

A nursery is available during the worship service. The nursery is located in the north hall of this building. Electronic pagers are available and will vibrate if it should become necessary for a parent to come to the nursery. For parents with small children, we also offer a "cry room" in which you can see and hear worship and feel more comfortable should your child become fussy during worship. It is located near the corner with the sound and visual equipment.

5/19/19 & 5/26/19
9:15 AM
Sunday School
Page Volunteer

5/19/19
10:30 AM
Worship Service
Damaris Torres
Brooke Nelson
(Daniela Gore on call
infants)

5/26/19
10:30 AM
Worship Service
Deb & Kelli Poolman
(Elisabeth Winkel on call
infants)

*** * * AUDIO EQUIPMENT * * ***

A voice copy of the sermon is available on the church website at ascrc.org. CD copies are available as well. See Rich O'Neill or email him at roneill28@cox.net. Please specify sermon or service. Copies are ready the following week but can also be expedited if necessary. Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORLD RENEW DISASTER RELIEF OFFERING JUNE 4: Due to the continued flooding and other weather related disasters around the country, there will be a second offering taken on Sunday June 4 for World Renew.

ADVANCED NOTICE: Sunday, June 2, will be the last day of Sunday School classes for all ages. On the following Sunday, June 9, we will switch to our summer worship time, and our **Sunday worship services will start at 9:30a.m.** through Labor Day weekend (September 1). We will return to the regular 10:30 worship time on September 8.

BOOK CLUB: Book Club will meet on Friday, May 24, at **6:30 PM** for pizza, dessert, and to discuss Before We Were Yours by Lisa Wingate. Georgia Tann, director of the Memphis-based Children's Home Society Orphanage, kidnapped and sold poor children to wealthy families all over the country. Marg Christians will lead the discussion. Please bring the books you would like to read and discuss next year. Please let Anne Hulstein know if you plan to attend this meeting - 860-644-8512.

YARD GOATS GAME: Just a reminder that our excursion to a Yard Goats game is coming up on Wednesday, May 29. For those of you who have signed up and have not yet paid for your tickets, please see Mike about your payment. Tickets are \$11 each.

YOU'RE INVITED! Please join us on Sunday afternoon, June 2, for a free, family friendly, summer concert in our backyard featuring singer songwriter Jon Troast. He will be playing from 4 pm-5:15ish. Come a little early or stay a little late for light refreshments, fellowship and yard games. Bring your lawn chairs! RSVP by May 28th to Peter and Joy Ferwerda or pjferwerda14@gmail.com. There is plenty of parking in the lot next to our home, 207 Stafford Road, Somers, CT. We look forward to seeing you there!

PRAYER TEAM: We are seeking to establish a prayer team and are looking for people who are interested in participating. Overall, the hope is to help the congregation grow in their relationship with the Lord through prayer and be more deliberate in praying for the needs in our community and our world. Once we have a group together we will review our current "formal" prayer efforts (prayer chain, folks being available to pray after the service, monthly prayer meetings, plans for the National Day of Prayer, etc.) and consider additional ideas in which we can draw closer to the Lord through prayer. Please contact Joy Ferwerda or pjferwerda14@gmail.com if you're interested or have questions. Thank you.

RENEWAL LAB DAILY BIBLE READINGS: There is an insert in today's bulletin with the readings for this coming week; readings are also posted on the church website (www.ascrc.org).

WORLD RENEW: Young Adult Summer Experience in Uganda - World Renew is offering a 4-week summer experience for 18 to 24 year olds! If you want to volunteer internationally out of your commitment to spiritual growth, are motivated to humbly immerse yourself in a different culture, and willing to invite others into your journey, join World Renew's Embark Uganda mission trip from July 8 to August 9, 2019! See details at worldrenew.net/volunteer/embark-uganda or contact Andrew at globalvolunteer@worldrenew.net to find out more!

Next Week's Calendar

Sunday 5/19/19	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	(6:00 PM)	(N/A)(Room A)
Tuesday	(6:00 PM)	(N/A)(FH)
	7:00 PM	MMT (Admin)
Wednesday	(5:00-10:00 PM)	(MRPF)(Church)
	8:00 AM	Men's Life (Emeralds)
Thursday	7:00 PM	Choir
	6:45 AM	Man-to-Man (FH)
	9:30 AM	Coffee Break
Friday	4:30 PM	GEMS (Room A)
	6:30-7:30 AM	Men's Bible Study (Admin)
	6:30 PM	Book Club (FH)

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	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	(6:00 PM)	(N/A)(Room A)
Monday	(7:30 PM)	(N/A)(FH)
	Memorial Day	
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